...cy and Boston
...ctric Street Railway
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...nd after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run
...different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

...leave Quincy for Neponset:
HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and ... minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.
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WOLLASTON, 6.55, 6.25 A. M. and ... minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour ...25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and ...ur until 10.00 P. M.
HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK ...S, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past ...until 10.50 P. M.
...OLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and ...5 and 45 minutes past the hour until ...M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.
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...NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 ...d every hour until 9.30 P. M.
...SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M ...y hour until 10.00 P. M.

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...CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from ...Point and 25 minutes later from North ...th)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, ...9, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; ...50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, ...9, 8.35, 8.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, ...9, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednes. ...Saturdays.)
...EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later ...the Weymouth and 25 minutes later from ...North)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 ...11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, ...2.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, ...8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

...cy and North Weymouth.

...QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M.
...NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 ...M. 5.45 P. M.

...y and Weymouth Landing.

...CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and ... every hour until 12.20 P. M., ..., 1.50, and every hour until 10.50 P. M.
...WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, ... every hour until 12.50 P. M., then ... every hour until 11.20 P. M.

...uincy and East Milton.

...CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every ...of and 25 minutes past the hour until ...then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.
...EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then ...nutes of and 25 minutes past the hour ...P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

...QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and ... at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every ...0 minutes past the hour until 9.50 ...c 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook ...c 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Brain...

SUNDAYS.

...st car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. ...rst car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.
...st car for Weymouth Landing leaves at ... and the first car from Weymouth ...leaves at 7.30 A. M.
...ave City Square, Quincy, for E. Wey...d Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. ... Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour ...hour throughout the day.
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...bc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
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...bc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
...bc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
...bcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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...bcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
...bc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

KENTUCKY GOVERNOR,

Oath of Office Administered to Goebel on His Death Bed.

At Once Issued Orders For Troops to Go Home.

Majority of Members of Senate Denounce Action of Taylor.

Goebel Thought to Be Dying, but Shows Remarkable Fortitude and Strength.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 1.—The condition of Governor Goebel early this morning was better than at any time yesterday. He was resting comfortably, and no unfavorable symptoms had appeared.

Mr. Goebel was, shortly before 9 o'clock last night, sworn in as governor of Kentucky, and J. C. W. Beckham a few minutes later took the oath of lieutenant governor.

The oath was administered to both men by Chief Justice Hazelrigg of the court of appeals.

The plan to make Goebel governor was set in motion early in the afternoon. A statement was prepared saying that the boards which had heard contests for governor and lieutenant governor had decided in favor of Goebel and Beckham, and that the boards intended to report their findings to the legislature, but that they had been prevented from doing so by the action of Governor Taylor in declaring the legislature adjourned.

The statement says that the members of the legislature were driven from place to place by the militia and threatened with arrest whenever they attempted to hold a meeting. It was declared the belief of all the signers of the statement that Goebel and Beckham were the legally elected governor and lieutenant governor, and each man, as he signed the paper, announced that he voted for the adoption of the majority report of the contest boards, which declared Goebel and Beckham to be the men rightfully entitled to the offices. The statement is signed by the majority of the members of both houses.

It was slow work obtaining the signatures of the members of the house and senate, and although the work was in progress all the afternoon it was not until evening that the necessary number of signatures had been obtained. As soon as the last man actually needed had af-



WILLIAM E. GOEBEL.

fixed his signature to the statement, word was sent to the residence of Chief Justice Hazelrigg of the court of appeals. He came at once to the Capitol hotel, passed directly upstairs to the room of Mr. Goebel and administered the oath of office.

Mr. Goebel was propped up with pillows and was able to raise his hand only with the greatest difficulty as he listened to the words of Judge Hazelrigg. When the oath had been given, Mr. Goebel sank back exhausted, the effort having been almost too much for his strength. There were in the room at the time the oath was administered, beside Mr. Goebel and Judge Hazelrigg, Arthur Goebel, brother of the wounded man; Mrs. Welch, his sister, and Percy Haley, his campaign manager, and two or three intimate friends. Mr. Goebel was unable to say anything regarding the matter, but the contented smile on his face bore strong witness to the pleasure he felt.

Immediately upon leaving the room where he had sworn in Mr. Goebel, Judge Hazelrigg went to an adjoining room, where he swore in Mr. Beckham as lieutenant governor. This done, he returned to his home.

Judge Hazelrigg declined to make any statement concerning the manner in which the offices had been conferred upon the Democratic contestants. "A majority of both houses of the legislature declared for them," he said, "and when I was asked to swear them in, there was nothing left for me to do but administer the oaths of office. The proceeding was, of course, entirely legal and proper. I would not have done as I did had it been otherwise."

Mr. Goebel, as soon as he was assured that he was legally governor of Kentucky, took prompt action regarding the military arm of the service. Two orders were quickly prepared for his signature, the first of which discharged Adjutant General Collier from office, and appointed General Castleman of Louisville as successor. The second was directed to the commanders of the militia now stationed in this city, directing them to return to their homes.

Word was at once telegraphed to General Castleman of his appointment. There is a possibility of trouble in this matter of control of the state troops. The regiments of the guard have lately been reorganized and are for the most part made up of Republicans and the personal followers of Governor Taylor.

It is not certain that they will at once obey the orders issued by Governor Goebel, and any attempt to force them to do so will almost certainly result in trouble. Some of the officers intimated that they would not obey the orders to leave, although they were careful not to say so in specific terms.

All day long the shadow of the death of Mr. Goebel hung over the Capitol hotel. His strength began to fail him late in the morning. The bustle and excitement, which, despite all precautions, penetrated into his quiet room, had a most serious effect upon him. At noon it was declared that he could live but a short time, and at 1 o'clock it was said that death was upon him. The halls and stairways were filled with people, who sat in silence, expecting to hear at any moment that the end had come. The afternoon wore away, however, and as evening drew on he seemed to gain new strength, and appeared distinctly better. He was never for a moment unconscious, and never did his courage abate for an instant.

He called for clergymen during the afternoon, and Rev. P. F. Taliaferro and Prison Chaplain Wallace were twice with him. Later a clerical friend residing a short distance in the country came in and remained for an hour at his bedside. The physicians declared that there was nothing that could have kept him up so long but his wonderful nerve and will power. They gave absolutely no hope, and said that death, at the farthest could not be farther away than a few hours.

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Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 1.—In the senate yesterday the following petition was received: William Tolman, for legislation to protect candidates for public office from groundless accusations in newspapers and to enforce suitable retractions. The bill accompanying the petition provides for a careful investigation by the proprietor or publisher of a paper before printing any editorial or other article, which shall not be printed unless he is furnished with the name of one reliable person who makes himself responsible therefor, and in case of such publication the publisher or proprietor shall immediately furnish the name of the person who authorized it. If it shall prove unfounded, a retraction shall be published in a conspicuous place and type.

There was an avalanche of new business in the house, among the new measures being two new subway bills, a proposed revision of the city charter of Boston, a petition relating to state conventions and a proposition as to cheap fares for school children.

Many of the bills were for the purpose of correcting small abuses, but late in the day Representative McNary, acting, it is said, in behalf of the Democrats, filed a bill for the purchase by the state of the Boston and Albany railroad. This is in accordance with the plank in the last Democratic platform. A similar bill, introduced by the Socialists, is now under consideration by the committee on railroads. A bill authorizing sparring contests was also introduced.

The senate concurred with the house in adopting on order for the investigation of the metropolitan water board, on charges of abuses among the Italians at Clinton. The house also adopted an order for the investigation of the price of gas in Boston.

These reports of committees were received: Ought not to pass on act relative to allowances from the estates of deceased persons for the care of burial lots; leave to withdraw on petition prohibiting clergymen from acting as insurance brokers; ought not to pass on bill to repeal the act concerning equitable process after judgment.

Shooting Was Accidental.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 1.—John J. Gallagher, the youth who accidentally shot and killed his step-sister, Nora Shannahan, was discharged by Judge Almy yesterday. The authorities believe that the shooting was accidental. The court called attention to the danger of keeping loaded firearms in the house.

Unworthy the Name of Father.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 1.—In the superior court here yesterday Henry Damon of Lynn was sentenced to state prison for not less than four years, nine months, nor more than five years, for incest with his own daughter.

FORTY PERCENT LOSS.

Lowest Estimate of British Casualties at Spion Kop.

Half-Pay Naval Officers May Be Called Upon.

Belief That Buller Intends to Again Attempt to Relieve Ladysmith.

Winston Churchill Predicts That "All Will Come Right In the End."

London, Feb. 1.—The supplemental lists of casualties fill two columns in nonpareil type in the morning papers, making 1300 reported thus far for General Buller's operations north of the Tugela. The Daily Chronicle estimates that the total exceeds 2000. The 40 per cent. loss at Spion Kop is greater than any British force ever suffered, except possibly at Albuora.

The admiralty has warned all half-pay naval officers to hold themselves in readiness for service. This, with the fact that able seamen not thoroughly experienced have been withdrawn from the channel squadron, is taken to indicate the early mobilization of the reserve fleet, especially "A" division.

At a meeting of the army and navy members of the house of commons yesterday a resolution expressing absolute confidence in whatever the government thought necessary commanded only two votes. Instead of this a resolution was adopted calling for the immediate formation of a home defense force.

Lord Salisbury has called another cabinet council, which will meet Friday or Saturday, to consider the situation. Public spirit is at very low ebb.

A blue book has been published containing a quantity of correspondence relating to the defense of Natal. It contains urgent letters and telegrams from the Natal government from dates as early as May last up to the outbreak of hostilities, asking reinforcements. On Aug. 3 Mr. Chamberlain wired: "Arrangements to send 2000 troops are in progress."

The Natal ministry grew more alarmed and, on Sept. 6, implored the imperial government to avoid a rupture until other reinforcements had arrived. Finally, seven thousand, seven hundred men were ordered from India. The correspondence shows that General Symons thought that 4000 men would be enough to secure the integrity of Natal; and this view was apparently concurred in by the Cape authorities.

A curious incident is related of the fighting on Jan. 24. One of the Lancasters, while firing from the prone position, had his head taken clean off by a shell. To the amazement of his comrades the headless trunk rose, stood upright a few seconds and then fell.

Winston Churchill, in a further dispatch to The Morning Post, which describes the recrossing of the Tugela, says: "The army is exasperated, not defeated. General Buller will persevere, and all will come right in the end."

Spencer Wilkinson, in The Morning Post today, discussing the military situation, takes it for granted that General Buller intends to make another attempt to relieve Ladysmith. He seizes the occasion to express the greatest admiration for the dauntless spirit of the British army, and a regret that the main thing is lacking, namely, proper leadership.

The Cape Town correspondent of The Daily Mail says: "Evidence is accumulating that something beyond a tacit understanding existed between the Boer executives and the inner circle of the Afrikander bond concerning what should follow the ripening rebellion at the outbreak of war. Fully 5000 colonial Dutchmen have joined the enemy. The Boers, however, believed that this number would be multiplied tenfold. Consequently the Afrikander bond is now execrated at Pretoria and Bloemfontein."

The German papers print long reports of the proceedings in the British parliament, but for the most part without comment. The Boersin Courier, however, says: The attempt of the speech from the throne to saddle the war upon the Boers will not deceive anybody outside of England.

The French press continues to criticize the speech from the throne and the declarations of Lord Salisbury and his colleagues. The Journal points to the fact that the queen's speech made no mention of the United States, and says that "This silence is remarkable after the demonstrations in recent months." The Gaulois says that the days of the Salisbury cabinet are numbered.

did not touch upon the future, in which alone the public is much interested. The only sign of animation during the whole session was when Sir Robert T. Reid attacked the South African committee, drawing forth cries from the Irish members of "Publish the Hawkesley letters."

There was an utter lack of interest in yesterday's debate in the house of commons. At no time was the house well filled. The speeches were academic, travelled in deep-worn ruts, and

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42-in Bleached Pillow Cotton, 8c. goods, This Sale, **6c** per yd
5c. White Domet Flannel, This Sale, **3c** per yd
8c. White Domet Flannel, This Sale, **5c** per yd
3,000 yds. Fancy Outing Flannel, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **8c** per yd
33c. Eider Down Flannel, all colors, This Sale, **25c** per yd
5c. Brown Twill Crash, This Sale, **1c** per yd.
5c. Merrimac and American Prints, This Sale, **3c** per yd
7c. Simpson Dark Prints, This Sale, **4c** per yd
36-in. 10 and 8c. Percale, This Sale, **5c** per yd

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$1.00 Wrappers, This Sale, **75c**
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20 in 18c. Goods, This Sale, **10c**
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26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 " **18c**

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25 doz. NIGHT ROBES, 75c. Goods, This Sale, **39c**
15 doz. Three Tuck Yoke Band Drawers, regular 25c. goods, This Sale, **15c**
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Sunday,	41	32	25	16	27
Monday,	41	44	28	20	30
Tuesday,	30	52	28	11	26
Wednesday,	39	28	25	34	33
Thursday,	20	34	20	32	30
Friday,	—	33	27	18	35
Saturday,	—	25	34	22	33

New Advertisements Today.
Woman's Exchange—Brown Bread, etc.
Sheriff's Sale.
Tonight, High School Hall—Concert.
May's Invisible Weather Strip.

Drift of Opinion.

If Germany should double her navy it would still be only about equal to that of France, and far inferior to England's. It would, however, be much stronger than the navy of the United States, which is the phase of the proposition which interests us.—Pawtucket Times.

No good purpose can be served by bringing ex-Governor Altgeld of Illinois to Massachusetts. He is not popular here. Some of his political actions are reprobated by the people. That he is an able man no one questions. That he may be expected to make eloquent speeches goes without the saying. But something more than eloquence is needed to convince thinking people. The man behind the speech counts more than the speech itself.—Boston Republic.

That discussion by the federation women on the objectionable pictures in the newspapers is interesting. We wish they would show by their selection of newspapers to be taken into their homes, by their discrimination in the advertisers they patronize, and by complaints to the editors, that they are bound to have something better—they will have it. And why shouldn't a mother be as careful in the kind of newspapers she lets her boys and girls read as in the teachers she lets them receive instruction from, or the entertainments she lets them attend, or the boy and girls she lets them associate with?—Lewiston Sun.

Much has been said and written of the President as an orator. He is surely notable in this regard. His short speeches are models of rhetoric and delivered in a pleasing style, but his talents as an auditor are equally remarkable, and surrounded by his cabinet he is frequently called upon to show them. When he listens to a speech he sits tranquilly in the large chair generally placed for his convenience, gazing intently at the speaker and usually holding his silk hat in his hand. No nervousness mark his manner, except now and then he will tap quietly upon the arm of his chair with his gloved hand, or close and unclose it. He does not miss a single point the speaker makes; looks grave or smiles as the case may be, and often, as though carried away by the enthusiasm of the moment leads the applause. He is truly a sympathetic listener and, as one of the younger orators put it, "an inspiration to the speaker."—New York Tribune.

Our county has called for and received freely the services of her sons upon the field of battle during the past two years and is still receiving it, and that is well, but there are other things in which our country's need is as great and the call is as urgent as for the sacrifice of life. The nation today calls for the best brains her sons possess. There are grave and serious problems which can be better and more permanently settled by wise thought than by sword and bullet. The labor problem, the race problem, the corporation problem, the questions of municipal government, of coinage and more than all else, the oppression of individuals by combinations of which he is not a part; all these are as great and as necessary problems as any nation was ever called upon to solve, and he who earnestly and honestly gives his best effort to their right adjustment, for the best good of the country, and not merely for personal preferment or political capital is as truly a patriot as though he gave his life upon the battlefield—Beverly Times.

QUINCY--TYLER.

The Wedding Announced for This Month.

The Groom the Recent Mayor of City of Boston.

The Bride the Widow of Prof. Tyler of Quincy.

The intended marriage of ex-Mayor Josiah Quincy of Boston to Mrs. William R. Tyler of Quincy has just been announced. The wedding will take place some time about the middle of February in London. Mr. Quincy made a written statement to a Post reporter regarding the intended marriage, in which he said:

"Mrs. William R. Tyler is the widow of William R. Tyler, head master of the Adams Academy, Quincy, who died in November, 1897.

"Mr. Tyler was for years Mr. Quincy's most intimate friend, and they lived together for several seasons in the summer.

"Immediately after her husband's death, Mrs. Tyler went to Europe, and has since lived in England and on the continent. She has a son at school at Harrow, one of the large English public schools.

Mrs. Tyler is about the same age as Mr. Quincy.

"The marriage will take place in London soon after Mr. Quincy's arrival there. He sails Feb. 7. Mr. Quincy expects to return in time to keep in touch with his business interests, and will go over again for the summer.

"The wedding will be practically a private one, although in church, and no formal invitations will be issued.

"Mrs. Tyler is staying at the home of Mr. John R. Carter, second secretary of the American embassy, in London, and will be married from there.

"Mr. H. W. Bates, who has been associated with Mr. Quincy in business, both in Boston and in New York for some time, will go over with him and act as his best man."

Continuing, the Post says, Mrs. Tyler is the sister of Franz Hugo Krebs, and has many other relatives in this city, but her friends of recent years are nearly all of Quincy, where she lived after her marriage with Professor Tyler.

As much might be said about her tastes for good literature and inclination to admire all the finer forms of art as was made public concerning Mrs. Dewey at the time of her marriage.

She has written several short sketches, and her letters are said, by some of her friends fortunate enough to be also her correspondents to be little masterpieces of humorous gossip or witty description. She has also tried her hand, simply for amusement, at water color sketching.

During the time of her engagement to Professor Tyler it was repeatedly said that the match was a perfect one. Miss Krebs had not been smitten with any great love for society, and it was with difficulty that her family could persuade her to attend any of the many affairs to which she received invitations.

This was known to be the case also with Professor Tyler, devoted as he was to his studies. Miss Krebs was an omnivorous reader, and between the demure-faced, quiet little girl and the professor a friendship sprang up that seemed to grow deeper from their very first meeting. The matchmakers were in glee to see the professor, who had always seemed to look upon women merely as a necessity to the carrying on of the race, captured at last, and when the announcement of the engagement came there was little surprise. Although the bride had not mingled in society to any great extent, at any affair she did attend she was invariably selected as the belle of the evening.

After the marriage, when Mr. Tyler was made head master of the Adams Academy in Quincy, the couple went to live in that city.

In the early nineties the Tylers met Mr. Quincy, and he also became a warm personal friend of the family. He went with them during several summers to resorts in the mountains and at the seaside, and it seemed always, so say residents of Quincy, that Mr. Quincy was with some member of the family.

After the death of her husband, Mrs. Tyler did not delay long before going to Europe. Nevertheless there has never seemed to be a doubt in the minds of Quincy folk that the Mayor was much attached to the widow. As long ago as early last spring a Post reporter was told that the Mayor of Boston wouldn't marry any Boston woman, because his intended bride was abroad.

In appearance, Mrs. Tyler is slightly above the medium height, of plump figure, and possessing a wealth of glowing golden hair. She is very attractive still, not having lost more than a very little of the beauty which had so distinguished her as a girl.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Diphtheria continues on Cranch hill.

There are several cases of the grippe in Atlantic.

The residence of Rev. A. F. Roche is being connected by telephone.

It was but 10 above zero at 8 o'clock this morning in City Square.

Miss Martha Jenkins of Billings street is very ill with pneumonia.

A valentine party will be held at the Wollaston Yacht Club house Feb. 14.

The Merry Seven held another social dance at Farnum's hall on Wednesday evening.

Extensive repairs are being made on the house of Mrs. Alonzo Davis on Crescent street.

The officers of Merrymount lodge, A. O. U. W., will be installed Tuesday evening, Feb. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas T. Morris left Wednesday morning for Denver, Colorado, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ward are in New York, having been called there by the death of Mrs. Ward's mother.

Wulf Fries, Miss Ella Hall Shields and Miss Annie E. Fisher will assist Mr. Lord at his concert this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huss of Willard street are receiving congratulations on the birth, Monday night, of a daughter.

Charles Scammell, who had the misfortune a week ago to injure his hand on a saw, had one of his fingers amputated on Wednesday.

A taxpayer says he is thankful that there were no large snow storms this winter before C. F. Knowlton assumed the office of Commissioner.

Although much of the granite for the new Catholic church at West Quincy has been landed on the site, work will not be commenced until spring.

An inmate of the Braintree almshouse fell in an appolectic fit in City Square Wednesday noon. He was cared for by the police, and then sent home.

Rev. Edward Norton will exchange with Rev. Henry C. Alvord of South Weymouth on Sunday, the latter preaching at the Quincy Point church.

Mrs. Minnie G. Riley, the master's assistant at the Wollaston school, has resigned to accept a similar position in Malden at an increase of $100 per year.

All Sabbath School workers are especially invited to the exposition of the Sabbath School lesson given in the First United Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock on Sabbath afternoon.

John C. Randall of Quincy and E. Clarence Hovey, receivers of Smith & Kraft, proprietors of the new Hotel Belleview, Boston, qualified Wednesday, each in $25,000 and at once took possession of the hotel, which will continue to do business.

Friends have raised by subscription during the last few days money for a piano for Bethany Congregational church, and the new instrument has been purchased. Much of the success is due to Charles Miller, the new treasurer of the society, who canvassed for the funds.

Masters Harry Kennedy and Arthur Sadlie while skating on the Sailors' Home pond last week fell into a hole that had been cut to test the thickness of the ice. Harry Kennedy succeeded in getting out himself, but Arthur Sadlier who was the younger, would have gone under the ice had his brother Fred and some of the other boys not hurried to his assistance and pulled him out.

The funeral of Mrs. Abigail N., wife of Mr. John Chamberlin, was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late residence on Hancock street. There was a very large attendance of relatives and friends and the services which were very impressive were conducted by Rev. Ellery C. Butler. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston. There were many beautiful flowers.

The Wollaston Yacht Club held one of their whist parties Tuesday night, about sixty being present. The first prize was taken by Miss Gerrell which was a handsome book of Lowell's poems. Miss Lillian Smith who was successful in taking the first prize last time took the second prize this time, which was a very pretty card case. The first prize by the gentlemen was taken by Commodore Mr. A. Gardner, five volumes of the history of England. Mr. Shurtleff took the second, a picture. After the whist attention was called to a short but interesting program, which was opened by a piano solo by Miss Jones, followed by a song from Mr. Allsebrook. Another song by Mr. C. Page and Mr. W. Chase. Some of the talent were unable to be present.

—Oliver H. Durrell of the Governor's Council, died last night.

MARRIED.

CAMPBELL—BENZIE—In Quincy, Jan. 31, by the Rev. William W. Dornan, Mr. James Kenzie Campbell and Miss Elsie Benzie, both of Quincy.

HOT TURKEY SUPPER.

Quincy Point Gentlemen Score a Success.

Everything Well Cooked and Supply Bountiful.

The Minister and Deacons Carve and Young Men Serve.

Last year the gentlemen of the Quincy Point church gave a turkey supper which was pronounced all right, but that of Wednesday evening eclipsed it, because all the food was cooked to a turn, was bountiful in supply and was served H-O-T hot. Women know what a difficult task it is to serve a large dinner hot, and some of them propose to take lessons of the Quincy Point men if they will divulge the secret.

The supper was served in the vestry of the church and most of the cooking was done in the kitchen connected therewith. The menu will give some idea of the labors of the men, who were called upon to provide for over 100 at the first table and nearly 100 at the second table.

Hot Tomato Soup.
Hot Coffee.
Hot Roast Turkey
with plenty of "Stuffing" and Gravy.
Cranberry Sauce that was tart.
Hot Boiled Potatoes. Hot Squash.
Hot Turnips. Hot Onions.
Celery.
Apples. Bananas.

The soup received praise at the outset, as it was excellent and at the same time hot. It is said that Mr. George Bailey prepared this dish, but he will not give lessons for less than $1 per hour per individual in classes of twelve.

The coffee came on hot and experts say they could not have done better.

The birds were carved by Rev. Edward Anderson, Deacon T. H. Newcomb of State House fame, Deacon Edgar F. Hayden (who has lived high since he was an alderman and increased his weight from 148 to 228), and Deacon C. H. Sherburne. Each evidently tried to see which could put the most turkey upon the individual plates, for the supply was bountiful.

The vegetables were cooked by Mr. H. D. Adams and Mr. M. E. Wight, and no word of adverse criticism was heard. Even at the second table they were served hot, and the secret was that they were cooked while the first table was being served. It was a great night for onions, but the men were able to supply the demand.

Three long tables were spread, and there was a head waiter at each, viz: Mr. D. E. Wadsworth, Mr. W. H. Dean and Mr. Fred Drake. Sixteen young men served as waiters, and were prompt and efficient. They were Frank Melville, Ernest Hayden, Marcus Wight, Walter Holmes, Frank Foster, Ernest Chute, James Melville, Harry Sherburne, Arthur Foster, George Hayden, Frank Newcomb, Archie Frew, Cyril Randall, Charles Damon, Edgar Hayden, Jr., and Carl Sherburne.

During the supper popular and inspiring music was discoursed by three pieces from the orchestra of the South Quincy Social club, which was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. John Federhen, 3d, was ticket seller, and other gentlemen assisted by contributions and service to the grand turkey supper by men.

Will be Installed March 1.

Rev. Robert Westly Peach is now located at Camden, N. J., his present address being 332 Benson street. The reverend gentlemen was dismissed by the Presbytery of Boston on Jan. 29, with commendatory resolutions, and was received by the Presbytery of New Jersey Jan. 30. He will be installed as pastor of the Camden church on March 1. Mr. and Mrs. Peach intend to keep in touch with Quincy for some time as they have subscribed for the Patriot.

The communication on the impending strike and other matters laid over until tomorrow.

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Feb. 1. tf

CLEARANCE SALE OF CLOAKS.

One of the penalties of a prosperous Cloak business is the accumulation of odd garments at the end of the season; the mild winter, too, has helped to make this surplus larger than it should be and accordingly we must take an immense loss on these goods to make room for our in-coming Spring Garments. Therefore when we say

EVERY CLOAK HAS BEEN REDUCED

We mean that the cut has been deep enough to make it worth talking about, in many cases meaning Half Price.

One Lot of Fifteen Heavy Wool Plaid
GOLF CAPES
With hood and high collars, the latest styles we had were $9, $10 and 12. To close
$5.98

We have left a few very fine
Plush Capes.
We mention just one style. Trimmed with Angora Fur and Passamenterie. Were $12.00.
$7.98

Five Black Melton
GOLF CAPES
With Fancy Silk Lined Hood, etc. Were $13.50 and $15.00. To close
$8.98

A few fine all-wool
Ladies' Suits.
All different prices and sizes. Marked to close at
Half Price

One Lot of All Wool
Ladies' Jackets
In Black, Brown and Tans of Meltons and Covert Cloths, all Silk Lined. Were $12 and $14. To close
$5.98

Among the Furs left are five Blue Fox
Collarettes.
All have been reduced, but these in particular we have cut to less than half price from $8.48 to
$3.98

Twenty-five Fine All-Wool Fur Trimmed
Children's Reefers.
Several different patterns which for $4.98 to $6.00. To close.
$3.50

Our entire line of
Fur Trimmings.
To close out at
33 per cent. off

A small lot of
Misses' Jackets.
Sizes 12, 14 and 16 years were $4 and $5. To close,
$2.98

SUITS.
We still have a few fine Covert and Venetian cloth
SUITS
left. We have given no thought to cost, but marked them all
Half Price

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

PICKLES vs. DRUGS.

Pickles are all right in their place but a man may understand selling pickles thoroughly and still make a very poor showing in his knowledge of drugs and medicines. I do not find time to extend my business outside of the limits of the legitimate drug business. I would make a very poor artist in the sale of pickles, but with my 20 years experience as a druggist, 11 of which I have spent in Quincy, I point with pardonable pride to the fact that I have today the largest, best appointed and most complete drug store in this city. It has been my constant endeavor to please every customer entering my store, and my success in my chosen profession can not but convince me that my efforts are appreciated by the people of Quincy.

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DOUBLE TRACKING.

High School Seniors Debate the Local Problem.

The seniors of the Quincy High school grappled an important local problem on Wednesday when the fornightly debate was on the subject: "Double tracks should be laid through Hancock street."

The affirmative was assigned to Miss Isadore C. Lull and Miss Mary F Burns, and the negative to Miss Jennie Wilson and Miss Wenonah Nash. Mr. Carl Hayward was critic.

The merits of debate decided in the negative. Merits of the question decided in the affirmative. Open debate, afterwards, in which many of the class took part.

The Juniors also had a debate: Resolved—That Chinese immigration should be prohibited. The affirmative was assigned to Miss Backus, Miss Coyle and Miss Metherall; the negative to Miss Nichols, Mr. Anderson and Mr. Mitchell. The question was decided by a vote of 4 to 1 in the affirmative.

The Morning Alarms.

The alarm from Box 41 at 1.15 this morning called the fire department to a lively fire in a small cottage building on Parker street, used by a man named Hanson for the manufacture of sporting goods. How the fire started is at present unknown. When the alarm sounded the fire had broken through the roof, and the building being situated on high ground it made a bright illumination and gave the appearance of being a disastrous fire. By the time the department arrived the building was burning fiercely, but well directed streams soon had the fire out. Chief Engineer Williams estimates the loss to be not over $600.

The alarm from Box 35 at 8.40 this morning was for a fire in a lot of old excelsior and rubbish in the rear of the Webb business block on Hancock street, and is reported to have started from someone dumping a lot of hot ashes onto it. There was no loss.

Wedding at Atlantic.

Mr. Thomas T. Moulton and Miss Margaret M. Chisholm were united in marriage Wednesday evening by the Rev. John Holland Whittaker at the home of the bride, No. 12 Botolph street. The bride was robed in a travelling gown of mode broadcloth and carried a shower bouquet. Her sister, Miss Henrietta C. Chisholm, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Frederick Moulton was best man. The ushers were Mr. Clarence H. Seaman of Norfolk Downs, Mr. Frank Magee of Dorchester and Mr. William B. Chisholm of Lynn. The house was beautifully adorned in potted plants. There were guests present from Boston, Dorchester, Quincy, Lynn and Saugus. The bride and groom departed for their future home in Lynn on the 9.20 train. A number of the guests followed them to the depot, and when they embarked upon the train they showered them with rice and good wishes. The wedding presents were numerous and very beautiful. A collation was served.

Basket Ball.

Two games of basket ball were played at Hancock hall, Wednesday evening. The first game was between Thayer and Quincy and resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 9 to 3. The second game was between the Quincys and East Braintrees and resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 10 to 3. A good crowd was present. Messrs. Moorehead and Newall were umpires and Smith, timer.

The summaries:

THAYER.	QUINCY ADAMS.
Gallagher,	Spargo, 1
Kelley, 2 2 2 2 1	Patterson, 2
Brigham,	Davey,
Emerson,	Ledbetter,
Hollis, Peabody,	Turner,

SECOND GAME.

QUINCY.	EAST BRAINTREE.
Jones, 2	Kelley,
Smith, 2	Muse, 2
D. McConnell, 2	Orr, 1
Parker, 2 2	Starr,
McConnell,	Linnan, Moody.

St. John's Coffee Party.

Seldom does Music hall have a larger party than that present Wednesday evening, at the Coffee party held under the auspices of the Sunday School of St. John's church. The greater part of the evening was devoted to dancing, which was enjoyed until 1 o'clock, when special street cars varried the merry participants to the several parts of the city. Cuff's full orchestra furnished music, and the dancers as they tripped lightly through the several numbers on the order had little thought of the cold wind without until they came to face it.

At 10 o'clock it was announced that refreshments were ready, and for an hour or two the waiters were kept busy serving hot coffee, ice cream and cake.

The affair was a success in every way and was very enjoyable. The floor was in charge of Timothy J. Carey, who was assisted by John W. Walsh and Edward L. Bean, and a corps of sixty-five aids.

Street Force Reduced.

It was generally expected that with a change of Commissioner of Public Works there would be changes in the Working force of the department. This is one of the cases when the expected happened. Commissioner Knowlton had the men of the Street Department sized up before he entered upon his duties Wednesday morning, and before night twenty-four of the number received notice that their services were not needed. This included Mr. Glover, drivers of teams, and men at the city stables. Out of Mr. Cavanagh's force but three or four are retained.

The places of the men removed have been filled by others equally as competant, and have been selected for their particular adaptness to the service they are to render the city. The men selected are not new to the positions for they have filled them before under past administrations.

No changes have as yet been made in the Water department force.

Doctor in Court.

A case which tends to show the authority of the Board of Health was heard before Judge Humphrey this morning, when Dr. Holmes of Randolph was arraigned upon complaint of Selectman Hand, who is also a member of the Board of Health for violating the rules of the Board of Health for removing a sign posted by them upon a house in Randolph.

According to the testimony of Mr. Hand, it was reported that a member of the Sheridan family was ill with diphtheria. Dr. Holmes was the attending physician and had made no report.

Wednesday morning, Mr. Hand met the doctor and told him he intended to post a sign on the house, at which the doctor replied that the patient had tonsilitis, and if a sign was posted he should tear it down.

The sign was posted, and later torn down, and the complaint was issued against Dr. Holmes.

Dr. Holmes testified that he was called in the case Sunday, and pronounced it tonsilitis. As a precaution, however, he excluded all visitors, and the family from him until he heard from the State Board of Health. The report from this board came Wednesday and their report was tonsilitis.

There was nothing to show that Dr. Holmes had failed to report any case he was obliged by law to do or that he tore down the sign and the complaint was dismissed.

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G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of James Dean, Jr., of Randolph for being a common drunkard was called and continued again until Feb. 19.

William E. Holmes was arraigned for violating the rules of the Board of Health at Randolph. He was found not guilty and discharged.

In Ashantee and around the woods near Kabba grows a tree resembling in appearance the English oak, which furnishes excellent butter. This vegetable butter keeps in perfect condition all the year round, in spite of the heat, and in its natural condition.

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Quincy Aug 26 1p tf

SILVER DEMOCRACY'S DOCTRINE

Expounded to Voters of the Pine Tree State by Bryan, Altgeld and Lentz.

Portland, Me., Feb. 1.—The enthusiasm which has been pent up in this state for nearly a year broke loose at the banquet tendered to Mr. Bryan last night at city hall by the Maine Democratic club. This was the crowning feature of a busy day. Portland was reached at 5 o'clock last evening, and the Bryan party was taken to the Hotel Falmouth. After a short rest, Mr. Bryan was tendered a reception in the council chamber of the city hall. Following this was the banquet in the larger hall above. Four hundred covers were laid.

The speaking began at 8 o'clock, and as there was another big meeting at the Auditorium, the three chief speakers—Messrs. Bryan, Altgeld and Leutz—were taken in turn from one meeting to the other, and during the evening spoke at each meeting.

Mr. Bryan said that when he came into the eastern states he came among Democrats who are such without hope of reward or fear of punishment. He spoke of his visit to Bath, in 1896, and said he learned to love his colleague on the ticket for his sterling qualities and manly nature. "I have been well repaid," he said, "for all I have ever done. The Democrats of Maine have not. The generals are always well paid. It is the privates who suffer."

Mr. Bryan divided his address into three parts, and discussed, in turn, money, trusts and imperialism, in the same manner as he did at the recent meetings in Providence and Boston. In speaking of the money question, he said that the proposed financial bill was one which would turn the banking business of this country over to a syndicate of speculators who will rob the people of their all.

On the silver question, he said: "I expect to carry on the fight for the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 and I don't intend to stop there."

He declared that the new definition of the Republican party is a body of trained athletes, whose privilege it is to turn somersaults whenever their leaders say "flop." They are expected to flop from the old platform to the new, which favors a banking system and an elastic currency, with both ends of the elastic held by the banks.

Mr. Lentz held to about the same argument as he has previously given.

Ex-Governor Altgeld said that a great many men who had helped the Republican party to win fame and renown are now calling a halt. He cited the cases of John Sherman, ex-Senator Edmunds, ex-Governor Boutwell, Senator Hoar, ex-President Harrison, Tom Reed and many others who have declared that the principles of the Declaration of Independence are in danger and are calling upon all lovers of liberty, without regard to party affiliations, to rise up in defense of American institutions.

Could Not Realize on Purchases.

New York, Feb. 1.—The suspension of Tunstall & Co. was announced on the Stock Exchange yesterday. The enormous purchases of sugar by this firm in Tuesday's market attracted much attention, and the efforts to realize on it yesterday broke the price. The firm were unable to meet their engagements and their holdings were sold out under the rule of the exchange. Tunstall was a very heavy buyer of sugar Tuesday, taking, according to report, 20,000 shares on his own purchases and 20,000 to 25,000 through another broker. His purchases forced the stock up from 117½ to 121 on sales of more than 97,000 shares.

No Americans Shot by Mexicans.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Ambassador Clayton has informed the department of state that the Mexican government has received a telegram from General Torres stating that absolutely nothing has occurred that would give rise to the report that six Americans have been shot by his orders.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

John Pilgram, a demented man, aged 56, killed himself at Boston by shooting. He had barricaded his room, and the police were obliged to break down the door in order to reach him.

The Toronto board of trade will memorialize the city council to hold a great exhibition in 1901, with a view to inducing the thousands who will attend the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo to visit Toronto.

Lieutenant Patrick Hourigan, attached to the Prairie, which is carrying goods back and forth to the Paris exposition, was convicted by courtmartial of intoxication on duty. The court sentenced him to be reduced five numbers in his grade.

Since 1872 Emperor William has killed 40,822 pieces of game. The list includes 34,818 small game and 6009 big game, including 121 chamois, 7 elks, 3 reindeer, 3 bears and 1 whale.

Heavy snows have fallen in eastern Germany, doing serious damage to telephones and telegraph.

The Catholic church at West Thompson, Conn., was burned. It is thought the blaze was started by tramps. The loss is $3000.

Patrick Halpin, aged about 50, fell between two freight cars at Portland, Me., and had both legs cut off. He died soon after.

There are 5000 cases of influenza at Madrid.

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Sheriff's Sale.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. QUINCY, Jan. 3, 1900.

TAKEN on Execution and will be sold at public auction on SATURDAY, the 17th day of February, A. D., 1900, at 9 o'clock A. M., at my residence, No. 53 Franklin street, in Quincy, in said County, all the right, title and interest which Bridget McDonough of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the 9th day of October, 1899, at eight o'clock A. M. (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following property, with the building thereon, situated in the westerly part of said Quincy and bounded as follows, viz:

Northerly on land formerly of J. W. Robertson, about 130 feet; easterly by Willard street, about 64 feet; southerly on land now or late, of one, McDavitt, about 125 feet, and westerly on land, now or formerly, of said Robertson, 64.19 feet; containing in all about 8,160 feet. Said premises being lot numbered 37 on a plan of land on Willard street, in said Quincy, made by Whitman & Breck, Surveyors, dated August, 1874.

Also all her right, title and interest in and to the following described lots of land situated in said Quincy, being lots numbered 71, 72, 73 and 87, as shown on a plan marked "B" attached to a certain petition for partition of land in said Quincy, held in common by John Swithin, Thomas Swithin and the heirs of John Jones, said partition being confirmed by decree of the Probate Court for said County of Norfolk, July 25, 1894. Said lot numbered 71 is bounded northerly on lot numbered 70, as shown on said plan, 153.25 feet; easterly on Forest avenue, 26 feet; southerly on a private way, 183.2 feet, and westerly on lot numbered 69, fifty (50) feet; containing 7,741 square feet, more or less. Said lots 72, 73 and 87, are bounded northerly on a private way, 100 feet; easterly on Forest avenue, 174.75 feet; southerly on lot numbered 88, one hundred twenty-three and 5-10ths (123.5) feet; on lot 86, thirty-five (35) feet; on lot numbered 85, fourteen and 5-10ths (14.5) feet, and westerly on lot numbered 86, fifty-two and 5-10ths (52.5) feet, and on lot 74, one hundred (100) feet; containing 18,413 square feet.

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ANOTHER HOT DEBATE

Growing Out of Pettigrew's Plan to Print Statement of Aguinaldo.

Dewey's Alleged Recognition of the Filipino Republic

Strongly Refuted by Senators Who Declare Pettigrew Guilty of Treason.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The debate in the senate, ordinarily calm and dignified, burst yesterday into passionate utterances and bitter recriminations. The debate grew out of a phase of the Philippine question, and no scene has been witnessed since the discussion of the war resolutions in the last congress which, in sensational features, compared with that of yesterday.

The discussion arose quite unexpectedly. Mr. Pettigrew, who has precipitated nearly all of the debate upon the Philippine question during the present session, sought to have read a resolution embodying a document written by Emilio Aguinaldo upon the Filipino insurrection, and containing his version of the alleged recognition of the Filipino republic by Admiral Dewey.

Mr. Lodge, with visible manifestation of feeling, protested earnestly against this last effort of Mr. Pettigrew to secure the printing of Aguinaldo's statement by the United States government.

"The reason I protest," said Mr. Lodge, "is that the document contains a number of statements that are absolutely false. Statements are attributed to Admiral Dewey which are utterly without foundation. Now, the Anti-Imperialistic league and its organ can print such matter as this without restriction. That is to be expected of them. But that the United States government should lend its aid to the circulation of branded falsehoods concerning the admiral of the navy is preposterous."

Mr. Aldrich raised a point of order against the resolution on the ground that Mr. Pettigrew had already a resolution pending providing for the printing of the statement as a public document. The chair (Mr. Frye) sustained the point of order, thus disposing of the resolution.

Mr. Pettigrew gained the floor, however, and addressed the senate. He spoke in an impassioned manner and several times declined sharply to yield to interruptions. He said the paper which he had offered was a translation made in Boston of a statement written by Aguinaldo himself. It had been sent by the Springfield Republican to this city and submitted to Admiral Dewey, with a view of ascertaining whether it was accurate or not. The admiral, Mr. Pettigrew said, declined to say anything in regard to the document, saying he must adhere to his intention not to discuss the Philippine question in any form in advance of the Philippine commission's report. "Now," said Mr. Pettigrew, "Admiral Dewey, after the publication of the document, sends here a letter repudiating the statements he is quoted as having made, and denouncing them as a tissue of falsehoods. Admiral Dewey did recognize the Filipino republic," shouted Mr. Pettigrew, "and —"

"How?" inquired Messrs. Lodge and Spooner, in unison.

"By saluting the Filipino flag," declared Mr. Pettigrew, his voice keyed up to a high pitch. "By proceeding to Subig bay with Aguinaldo's forces and there receiving the surrender of the Spanish garrison; by his conferences with and statements to Aguinaldo."

Mr. Hawley objected to the statement "because it is treason. It is lending aid and comfort to an enemy of the United tSates, and the senator has been doing that for months."

Mr. Pettigrew replied that what he wanted was to have the facts of the matter placed before the country. He charged the state department with holding back information of value to the senate and to the people, and intimated that the department was afraid to publish them to the world.

Mr. Spooner read an expression from the late General Lawton, in which the general said: "If I am shot down by a Filipino bullet, it might as well come from one of my men, because I know the continuance of fighting is due to reports sent out here from America."

Mr. Rawlins criticised the censorship of the administration "on the threshold of a political campaign." He also objected to the use of a letter from a patriot like General Lawton in support of political propaganda.

Mr. Gallinger complained of what he called Mr. Pettigrew's sneer at the American soldiers, and his charges against the president. To him the question was simple, and it was whether we should believe a man who was in open rebellion or the hero of Manila bay.

Mr. Jones said the most unfortunate circumstance that had happened in connection with the discussion of the Philippine subject was the disposition to cut off debate and suppress facts. He would have the censorship removed, not only in Manila, but in the departments in Washington.

Mr. Sewell said that he had opposed the acquisition of the Philippines, but so soon as the Paris treaty was ratified he had acquiesced in the result. "I saw the flag attacked," he said, "and after that with me it was 'the country and the flag, right or wrong.' I deprecate beyond measure," he said, "the action of the senator from South Dakota." He declared that under the circumstances he considered Mr. Pettigrew a traitor to his country and his conduct as monstrous.

Mr. Teller made a pacificatory speech. Every senator had a right, he said, to express his views here whether for or against the government. Still he was opposed to printing Aguinaldo's statement, because it raised a question of veracity unless Admiral Dewey's denial was to go with it. He saw no occasion for the characterization of a senator as a traitor.

Mr. Pettigrew replied briefly to the accusations against him. He said that he yielded to no man in his devotion to the country or the flag. But he had his own opinion as to how best the country's honor might be sustained. He did not believe it could be sustained by reversing the policy that governments derive their just powers from the consent of the governed, and accepting the present administration's usurpatory policy. Mr. Pettigrew referred feelingly to the death of 60 South Dakota volunteers in the Philippines, and declared that if Aguinaldo's request for a truce had been assented to their lives and General Lawton's life might have been saved.

Under the latitude allowed in general debate upon appropriation bills, the Indian appropriation bill in the house yesterday was made the occasion for the discussion of a wide range of public questions. Our policy in the Philippine Islands, the government of Puerto Rico, the leasing of our arid lands and election methods in the south, were in turn brought into the arena.

The most interesting debate occurred over the latter subject. Mr. Linney of North Carolina, a former Democrat, who joined the Republican party in 1884, and is one of the breezy talkers of the house, used as a text for the introduction of the subject the amendment to the constitution of his state, which, he claimed, was designed to disfranchise the negro. Quite a number of members were drawn into the discussion, and Mr. Linney's statements provoked an eloquent reply from Mr. Williams of Mississippi, who justified to the fullest extent the action of certain southern states, on the ground that the non-participation of the ignorant and illiterate was necessary to prevent the submergence of civilization.

New Association Strikes a Snag.

Philadelphia, Feb. 1.—The work of organizing the new American association has been blocked, owing to the inability of the organizers to find capitalists who will place a club in Philadelphia. Two different syndicates have been asked to take the Philadelphia franchise, and, after looking over the field, have refused. The organizers are now dickering with a third syndicate, and the chances are about even that this one will take up the Philadelphia end of the circuit. The league magnates are said to have persuaded the first and second syndicates to keep hands off, but whether they are making efforts to prevent the third syndicate from placing a club here is not known.

Death of Councillor Durrell.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 1.—Oliver H. Durrell, councillor from the Third district, died last night at his home in this city. He was 52 years of age. When the big Boston fire of 1872 broke out he was a clerk for the firm of Brown, Dutton & Co., and after the fire, a new firm was formed, with Mr. Durrell as one of the partners. The new company began business in a small store in Boston in December, 1872. At present the business of Brown, Durrell & Co. is carried on in one of the most imposing business blocks in Boston. Mr. Durrell took an active interest in the Y. M. C. A., and held many positions of trust.

Climate Too Severe For Him.

Boston, Feb. 1.—Mikami, the Japanese actor, who played in numerous parts both off and on the stage with the company of Japanese artists that has been in this country for some weeks, died at the city hospital yesterday, and was buried a few hours later. Mikami was much in society as a guest, and in his leisure he was a model for art students. So undefatigably did he work that he broke down here, and succumbed to New England's rigorous climate. After his coffin was lowered in the grave, his servant lighted joss sticks and offered prayer for the soul of his master.

Schley Ahead of Sampson.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The January naval register was delivered at the navy department yesterday for issue. It discloses all of the changes in personnel that have taken place since the issue of the July register. In the present case they are particularly numerous, because of the operation of the personnel act. Admiral Dewey's name, of course, leads the line, and Admiral McNair, now at the naval academy, heads the list of rear admirals. Admiral Schley stands No. 8, and Admiral Sampson 10, and Admiral Barker as the junior rear admiral.

Roberts Threatens to Bring Suit.

Washington, Feb. 1.—B. H. Roberts of Utah, who was recently excluded from membership in the house, has made a formal demand on the sergeant-at-arms of the house for his salary and mileage, amounting in all to about $2000. The demand was accompanied by the presentation of papers relating to the claimant's rights, and also, it is said, with a suggestion that suit would be begun to enforce the claim in case it was not paid. The sergeant-at-arms declined to accept service of the papers.

The Fiery Empress Dowager.

Berlin, Feb. 1.—The Lokal Anzeiger reprints an alleged secret decree issued by the Empress Dowager of China to the governors of the provinces, exhorting them to strong measures against foreigners, and even to war. The language is very violent.

End of the Prodano.

St. John's, Feb. 1.—The British steamer Prodano, which went ashore in St. Mary's bay on Oct. 1 last, while on a voyage from Baltimore for Leith, broke up last Sunday night. All the sacks of flour in her hold drifted seaward.

Got Off Easily.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Joseph Furnace, who assaulted General A. W. Greely, chief signal officer, several weeks ago, was yesterday fined $200, with the alternative of serving six months in jail.

Sporting Nobleman Dead.

London, Feb. 1.—The Marquis of Queensberry, who was born July 30, 1844, and succeeded to the title in 1858, is dead.

Findings Disapproved by Merritt.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The record of the proceedings of the courtmartial which tried Captain Robert W. Shufeldt, retired, U. S. A., at the Washington barracks, on the charge of conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, shows that the court acquitted the officer of the charges and that the findings of the court were disapproved by the reviewing authority, Major General Merritt. The accused officer is released from arrest, as he cannot be tried twice for the same offense.

Ruhlin Looking For Heavyweights.

Utica, N. Y., Feb. 1.—In the fifth round of what was to have been a 20-round battle before the Genesee Athletic club last night Gus Ruhlin knocked out Jack Finnegan of Pittsburg. Tim Hurst was referee. Ruhlin weighed in at 190 pounds, and his adversary was three pounds lighter, but fat, and seemingly not in good condition. Ruhlin challenges Jeffries, Fitzsimmons, Sharkey or McCoy to fight for $5000 a side with gloves or bare knuckles.

Judgment Against Zola Reversed.

Paris, Feb. 1.—The court before which the case was tried yesterday acquitted M. Zola in the libel suit brought against him by Ernest Judet of The Petit Journal, arising from M. Zola's declaration, in reply to M. Judet's accusations against M. Zola's father, that the letters published in The Petit Journal were forgeries or garbled. M. Zola was fined, in default, at the first hearing of the suit during his flight to England.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The cold wave which covered the states of the Missouri and upper Mississippi valleys and the western lake region Tuesday night has reached the Atlantic coast states, and the line of freezing weather is traced through central Louisiana. There are no indications of rain or snow, except in localities in the lake regions. The temperature will continue very low in the New England states today and tonight, and will moderate tomorrow. Along the New England coast the winds will diminish in force from the northwest.

A Gruesome "Box Mystery."

Sioux City, Ia., Feb. 1.—A corpse, in a box marked "books," was found in the United States express office yesterday. The body was received on Jan. 19 from Baltimore, addressed to J. B. Bradford, but the express officials failed to find him. The dead man appears to be 55 or 60 years old. The only garment on the body was a shirt. There was a frightful wound on the back of the head, apparently made by a blow of a blunt instrument. The face is so distorted that recognition will be difficult. Everything points to murder.

New League Makes a Start.

Philadelphia, Jan. 31.—The work of placing the new American Association of Baseball clubs on a firm and permanent foundation was begun here yesterday. Fair progress was made and thus far everything is apparently moving along smoothly. Seven-eighths of the circuit was laid out and the eighth city will probably be selected today. The circuit as made up includes Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore in the east; Chicago, Detroit, Milwaukee and St. Louis in the west. Applications from Providence and New York have been received and one of these cities, it is believed, will surely be selected.

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Train In Tornado's Grasp.

St. John's, Jan. 31.—During a tornado an express train on the Newfoundland railroad was lifted off the track and deposited in a bog some distance away, only the engine holding to the rails. The track was not disturbed. The baggage car took fire and was destroyed with its contents, including the whole colonial mail for Canada and the United States. Nobody was injured.

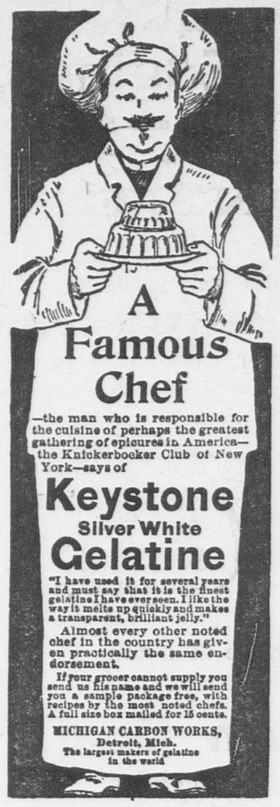
Look at the Facts.



Mrs. T. Dolan, of Madrid, Perkins Co., Neb., writes: "I was cured of painful periods by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and his 'Compound Extract of Smart-Weed.' I think Dr. Pierce's medicines the best in the world."

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"I suffered fifteen years with female weakness and nervousness," writes Mrs. Vincent Bohall, of Franklin, Johnson Co., Indiana. "One year ago I began taking your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I took six bottles of each and now I am well. I owe my life to Dr. Pierce."



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Aug. 17. tf

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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Maria Harvey to John H. Dinegan dated July 8, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 848, Page 67, and for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on TUESDAY, the thirteenth day of February, 1900, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein substantially described as follows, viz:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated on Washington street, in said Quincy, and bounded as follows, viz: Southerly on Washington street, westerly on land of Drake, formerly of William Chubbuck, northerly on a creek, easterly on land now or formerly of the heirs of William Bent, being the same premises set off by Edwin W. Marsh, et al., commissioners appointed by the Probate Court to assign and set out by metes and bounds to Maria Chubbuck, who was the wife of Perez Chubbuck. See probate records for the County of Norfolk. See also deed of Perez Chubbuck to Perez Chubbuck, dated Oct. 5, 1876, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 483, Page 278.

This property is sold subject to a mortgage given in January, 1899, to the South Weymouth Savings Bank for twenty-seven hundred and fifty dollars, also to all unpaid taxes and assessments, if any there be. Terms at sale.

Per order,
JOHN H. DINEGAN,
Mortgagee.

J. W. McAnarney, Attorney.
Jan. 18-25-1

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Harold W. Orcutt of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Jane Kerr of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth, dated Nov. 4, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk deeds in Book 831, Page 232, for breach of condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on MONDAY, the 19th day of February, in the year 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described substantially, namely:

A certain parcel of land, situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts called Wollaston Park, being lots numbered twenty-four (24) and twenty-five (25) on plan of land of Josiah P. Quincy, at Wollaston Park, by H. T. Whitman, dated March, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds as Plan No. 769, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Northwesterly by the rear lines of lots numbered ten (10) and eleven (11) on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet; northeasterly by the rear line of lot numbered fourteen (14) on said plan, forty-five (45) feet, and a portion of the rear line of lot numbered fifteen (15) on said plan, thirty seven (37) feet; southeasterly by a portion of lot numbered twenty-three (23) on said plan, twenty-two (22) feet; again northeasterly by a portion of said lot numbered twenty-three (23), thirteen (13) feet; again southeasterly by a portion of said lot numbered twenty-three (23), eighty-three (83) feet; and southwesterly by Muirhead street on said plan, seventy-three and 62-100 (73.62) feet, and by the side line of lot numbered nine (9) on said plan, twenty-one and 38-100 (21.38) feet.

Said premises are sold subject to the restrictions set forth in the deed given by Josiah P. Quincy to Katie W. Orcutt, dated May 31, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds and are the same premises conveyed to said Harold W. Orcutt by the Abington Savings Bank by deed dated Nov. 4, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, volume 831, page 230.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments; three hundred dollars will be required to be paid at time and place of sale.

For further information, apply to Robert K. Dickerman, 89 State street, Boston.

JANE KERR, Mortgagee.

Jan. 25-3t 25-1-3

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday).

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M., 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner of City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

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r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
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r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate the trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b, Norfolk Downs.	g, Savin Hill.
c, Atlantic.	h, Crescent Avenue.
d, Neponset.	i, South Boston.
e, Pope's Hill,	r, Quincy Adams.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

KENTUCKY SITUATION

A Political Chaos, With Soldiers Holding Balance of Power.

Proposition From Republicans Looking For Peace.

Orders Issued by Both Taylor and Goebel Not Recognized as Legal.

But Little Hope of Goebel's Ultimate Recovery From His Wound.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 2.—Two governors and armed soldiers holding the balance of power between them—that is the situation in Frankfort. Whoever the soldiers decide is the proper official for them to obey will be seated in the gubernatorial chair. The soldiers themselves are in a quandary as to what they should do, and they are awaiting developments. While all the officers are Republicans, many of them say that they have no intention of resisting the legal governor of Kentucky, provided they were once satisfied who the individual is. All things being equal, they will stand for Taylor.

For the first time since the shooting of Governor Goebel there were signs of a peaceful settlement yesterday. The signs were few and small and they have disappeared, but there is a chance that they may reappear.

The original proposition looking toward an amicable adjustment came from the Republican side just before noon, when T. L. Edelen, one of Governor Taylor's attorneys, appeared at the Capitol hotel to hold a conference with Judge Pryor, Louis McQuown and William Scott, the legal advisers of the Democracy. After a short talk Mr. Edelen declared that Governor Taylor and the Republican party were anxious to avoid anything that might possibly lead to serious trouble. He was assured by the Democratic attorneys that they were also anxious to avert any clash between the parties. Mr. Edelen then proposed to submit the case of the rival governors to the Kentucky court of appeals, which, he declared, judging by the action of Judge Hazelrigg in swearing in Governor Goebel, would probably decide against Governor Taylor. He then wanted the right to submit the matter to the United States supreme court for final settlement. The talk was informal.

Mr. Edelen merely stated his position that the opposing attorneys might take the matter under advisement. The lawyers then separated with an agreement to meet again at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

When they met for the second time, Mr. Edelen again submitted his proposition and received the reply that the Democratic attorneys desired to have the matter adjudicated in the state courts. To this Mr. Edelen objected, saying he wished the final settlement to be made in the supreme court at Washington.

Mr. McQuown urged the Republicans to concede the election and seating of Governor Goebel, which proposal Mr. Edelen declined to entertain. Nothing more could be said on either side, and the lawyers separated. As they left the room Mr. Edelen intimated that it was possible that he might be able to submit another proposition at some later time. He was given to understand that he would be met half way and the conference was at an end.

Two direct slaps were given Governor Taylor yesterday by public officers, who declined to obey his orders. The first came from President Rodman of the Farmers' bank, which is a state depository. Some vouchers on the bank were signed by Governor Taylor in favor of some of the militia officers who wanted money for their companies. When they were presented at the bank payment was refused. President Rodman said that he did not see how he could pay out the money on orders signed by Governor Taylor until he knew for certain who was the actual governor of Kentucky. He had asked an opinion from the attorney of the bank, and when it was received he would act accordingly.

The second instance promised for a time to have serious consequences and trouble may yet arise from it. Governor Taylor issued a pardon to Douglass Hayes, a convict in the Frankfort penitentiary, who is serving a five-year term for manslaughter, having been sentenced in March, 1899. When the pardon was sent to Warden Lillard he decided that he could not free the man until he was satisfied regarding the legal status of the governorship. He made no reply to Governor Taylor, but declined to honor the pardon. The penitentiary commissioners agreed with the position taken by the warden.

The action of Lillard, who is an ardent supporter of Goebel, aroused intense indignation among the Republicans, and it was declared that soldiers would be sent to the penitentiary to take the man away if Lillard persisted in his refusal to release Hayes.

When asked if he intended to resist troops if they should be sent to release Hayes, the warden replied: "Oh, no, it would not do for me to attempt any such thing as that. I have 14 guards only, and they could not do much against soldiers. When the soldiers come up here and demand the keys for the purpose of releasing Hayes I think they are likely to get them. If convicts are taken out of here in that manner the responsibility will rest on the men who take them away and not upon me."

No attention whatever has been paid by the militia to the orders of Governor Goebel to return to their homes. Adjutant General Collier says that no consideration will be given to any orders that may emanate from the Goebel headquarters.

The legislature will today take active steps to prevent Governor Taylor from interfering with any session if it desires to hold one in the legislative chambers. Papers have been prepared and an injunction will be asked for from Judge Cantrill of the fiscal court, restraining governor Taylor from interfering in any way with the proceedings of the legislature. Governor Taylor has announced before this that he would pay no attention to the orders of the fiscal court. The probabilities are that some trouble will ensue.

When the members of the legislature attempted to enter the state house, at 5 o'clock last evening, a double file of soldiers, with fixed bayonets, met the members at the door and turned them back. Speaker Trimble adjourned the legislature again, subject to his call.

Governor Goebel passed an unfavorable day, although he was fairly comfortable when night came on. He had half a dozen doctors around him, and the reports of his condition varied according to the last physician who left his room. One doctor was confident that he would recover and another would allow him an hour or two before he breathed his last.

Early this morning Dr. Hume said that Governor Goebel would probably live some hours. He added, however, that there was a possibility of uraemic poisoning, and that it was possible for the governor to die in convulsions almost any time.

Administration Keeping Out.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The administration intends to keep out of the Kentucky affair if possible. Its leaders feel that they would be taking hold of a hot poker to get into the disturbance. The border states are by tradition exceedingly sensitive upon the subject of federal interference. The party leaders here want to keep out of Kentucky and let the natives fight out their own battles, which they now seem perfectly able to do.

PREFERRED DEFEAT TO DISHONOR.

Bryan Says That Democracy In 1896 Was Willing to Lay Down Its Life For Principle.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 2.—A banquet in honor of Mr. Bryan was served at the Eagle hotel last night, at which many prominent Democrats of the state were present. A list of speakers had been prepared, each speech being limited to five minutes. But after the tables were cleared Mr. Bryan was introduced as first speaker, and soon became so warmed up that he talked for over an hour and used up all the time allotted to the other men.

Phoenix hall, the scene of the public meeting at 8 o'clock, was crowded, the audience numbering about 2500. Mr. Bryan was interrupted every few minutes during his address by cheers and cries of approbation.

Mr. Bryan said in opening that he brought good tidings from other parts of the country, saying in part: "I know that the Democratic party is more completely united today than ever before in a generation. In 1896 many Democrats left us under a misapprehension of issues. They thought the party had left them and gone to destruction. Now they realize that the Democratic party is going to live.

"The contest is between plutocracy and democracy. A plutocracy is a government in which wealth rules. Democracy means the protection of every man in the enjoyment of the rewards of his toil. Democracy means equal rights to all and special privileges to none. The Democratic party is today the best friend of honest wealth because it protects it from the odium thrown upon all wealth by the prevalence of public thieving by the men who have used the government for plunder and gain. It stands for the right of every man to earn his bread in the sweat of his brow. Every question in the campaign of 1896 is still unsettled. The Republican doctrine of the dollar first and the man afterwards is seen in its attitude on taxation, trusts and, at last, in imperialism. The Democratic party in 1896 was willing to lay down its life for principle. It preferred defeat to dishonor."

In his concluding remarks, Mr. Bryan ridiculed the Republican claims for protection, and attacked the position of President McKinley on the money question. He devoted some time to trusts and imperialism.

Consul Van Stittart's Denial.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The secretary of state has sent to the senate committee on foreign relations an assurance from the British ambassador that the interview attributed to Consul Van Stittart at New Orleans, reflecting upon public officials of the United States, was not authentic. Mr. Van Stittart says that he has given no interview to any reporter, nor has he at any time used the language imputed to him. He says the interview is a pure fabrication.

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ROMANTIC CHILDREN.

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Youth of 18 and Girl of 11 Were Deeply In Love.

Mystery as to Where They Got Money to Pay Traveling Expenses.

Sharon, Mass., Feb. 2.—Little Mary Goodwin and Lawrence Comey, who disappeared last Sunday, have been located at Jersey City and traced to Newark, where they left Wednesday night, it is thought for Louisville. An agent of the Children's Aid society of Boston telegraphed yesterday from Newark that the couple had left the city before he reached there, and from what he could gather they were on their way to Kentucky.

Boston officers have sent a message to the chief of police of Louisville to look out for the fleeing truants and detain them, if caught. Their folks here deny that it is an elopement, and are at a loss to understand why the boy and girl ran away.

The story is one of strange possibilities. Lawrence Comey is a youth not yet 19, and Mary Goodwin is some over 11. He is the stepson of Rev. W. H. Fish, and she is a ward of the Children's Aid society of Chardon street, Boston. Mary's mother died nine years ago, and the father, not being able to give the motherless child a suitable provision of life, turned her over to the charitable society, which has since overlooked her rearing. She later was taken by the Misses May and Alberta Felt, who lived in Maple avenue here. The girl was given a good home. Her daily life was spent amid refined influences, and she was treated as a member of the family.

Directly across the street from the Felt residence sets the parsonage where Rev. Mr. Fish lives. His wife is a sister of the Misses Felt, and she married James Comey 20 years ago. Their married life was incompatible and she secured a divorce, the court granting her the custody of the boy, Lawrence. She returned home and lived with her sisters until her marriage with the minister. The boy has lived with them. He was always delicate, and when he passed the 15-year-old mark he began to grow tall. He now is fully six feet in height, but weighs less than 140 pounds.

His parents sent him to a sanitarium at Rutland, Vt., some months ago, where he was given a course of treatment. He never had done any work requiring any physical strength, but has simply lived at home.

Just across the street to his aunts' home he often went. There he met little Mary, who loved him with all the intensity of her childish instincts. They went to school together, inseparable companions. Where one went, there went the other. It was an odd sight to see the tall, attenuated boy-man, and the slight 11-year-old girl. The people of this village often spoke of the peculiar intimacy.

Then, last Sunday, they suddenly disappeared. Mrs. Fish was greatly alarmed for her son. Natural curiosity was manifested for the fate of the girl, whose young years have been spent under the direction of a charitable institution. The society in Boston was notified. They began the search, and were materially assisted by a young man living in Melrose, who received a letter from Comey, dated Newark, in which he said he was staying in Jersey City with his sister, and, it is said, asked the Melrose friend to send him money.

The Children's Aid society got hold of the letter, and with that as a clue posted one of its agents off to Newark. He arrived too late, but wired back that he had trace of the couple, as heretofore stated.

Where and how the children got money enough to travel on is a mystery. Beyond a little pocket change, Lawrence was not supposed to be abundantly flush, while the girl was absolutely penniless.

It is stated that young Comey has frequently expressed his intention of running away and taking Mary with him. His folks think the children were both blamable and romantic.

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NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO

Nov. 28. tf

CLEARANCE SALE OF CLOAKS.

One of the penalties of a prosperous Cloak business is the accumulation of odd garments at the end of the season; the mild winter, too, has helped to make this surplus larger than it should be and accordingly we must take an immense loss on these goods to make room for our in-coming Spring Garments. Therefore when we say

EVERY CLOAK HAS BEEN REDUCED

We mean that the cut has been deep enough to make it worth talking about, in many cases meaning Half Price.

One Lot of Fifteen Heavy Wool Plaid
GOLF CAPES
With hood and high collars, the latest styles we had were $9, $10 and 12. To close
$5.98

We have left a few very fine
Plush Capes.
We mention just one style. Trimmed with Angora Fur and Passamenterie. Were $12.00.
$7.98

Five Black Melton
GOLF CAPES
With Fancy Silk Lined Hood, etc. Were $13.50 and $15.00. To close
$8.98

A few fine all-wool
Ladies' Suits.
All different prices and sizes. Marked to close at
Half Price

One Lot of All Wool
Ladies' Jackets
In Black, Brown and Tans of Meltons and Covert Cloths, all Silk Lined. Were $12 and $14. To close
$5.98

Among the Furs left are five Blue Fox
Collarettes.
All have been reduced, but these in particular we have cut to less than half price from $8.48 to
$3.98

Twenty-five Fine All-Wool Fur Trimmed
Children's Reefers.
Several different patterns which for $4.98 to $6.00. To close.
$3.50

Our entire line of
Fur Trimmings.
To close out at
33 per cent. off

A small lot of
Misses' Jackets.
Sizes 12, 14 and 16 years were $4 and $5. To close,
$2.98

SUITS.
We still have a few fine Covert and Venetian cloth
SUITS
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IF YOU WISH TO
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On your provisions, walk a few steps out of your way and come to the old stand. We have been tried a good many years and we stand on our past record. Below we quote a few of our prices:

CHOICE TURKEYS,			12 1-2 to 15c. lb.
FOWL and CHICKENS,			10 to 15c. lb.
GEESE and DUCKS,			12 1-2 to 15c. lb.
FRESH PORK,	9 cts. lb.	HAMBURG STEAK,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEGS OF MUTTON,	10 cts. lb.	PIGS FEET,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
FORES OF MUTTON,	5 cts. lb.	HONEY COMB TRIPE,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEG and LOIN LAMB,	10 cts. lb.	PLAIN TRIPE,	5 cts. lb.
FORES OF LAMB,	6 cts. lb.	FRANKFORTS,	10 cts. lb.
ROAST BEEF,	6 to 12 1-2 cts. lb.	FRESH SHOULDERS of PORK,	8 cts. lb
SIRLOIN STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.	SMOKED SHOULDERS,	8 cts. lb.
RUMP STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.		
MUTTON and LAMB CHOPS,	12 1-2 to 20 cts. lb.		

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Feb. 1. tf

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

February 2d, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the copartnership carried on in Quincy by Michael Burns and Patrick H. Cormack, under the firm name of "BURNS & CORMACK" is dissolved, and the business will hereafter be conducted by Michael Burns.

MICHAEL BURNS,
PATRICK H. CORMACK.
Quincy, Feb. 2. 3t

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

WOLLASTON.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Jones Howe to Franklin A. Howe dated May 19, 1898, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 815, page 507 and for breach of the condition of said mortgage, will be sold at public auction on the land hereinafter described, on MONDAY, the twenty-sixth day of February, 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon, the premises conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts which is called Wollaston, and being lot numbered Four in block Twenty-four of Section Six of Lands of the Wollaston Land Associates as shown on a plan of said section drawn by D. Granger & Son and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Lib. 406; bounded as follows:

Northeasterly by Farrington street, one hundred feet; Southeasterly by Hobart street, fifty feet; Southwesterly by lot Three in said block, one hundred feet; and Northwesterly by lot Five in said block fifty feet; containing five thousand square feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Jones Howe by Michael Mullaney by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds Lib. 687, Fol. 509, and subject to the restrictions therein referred to. Also sold subject to two mortgages duly recorded, each for nine hundred dollars, each covering one half the above described premises and running to the Weymouth Savings Bank.

Three hundred dollars must be paid in cash at the time and place of sale and the balance in ten days, upon delivery of the deed, at the office of F. L. Hayes, No. 7 Water street, Boston.

CHARLES F. HOWE,
Assignee of said mortgage.
Feb. 2-3t 2-9-16

Russia's Grip on Persia.

London, Feb. 2.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Mail says: The Russian loan to Persia secures to Russia a prolongation of the concession of the exclusive right to construct railways in that country, and it is assumed here that by June next Bender Abbas, on the Persian gulf, will become Russian by virtue of another loan.

Wouldn't Baptize Infants.

New York, Feb. 2.—Rev. Dr. Madison C. Peters, pastor of the Bloomingdale Reformed church, last night submitted his resignation, to take effect on March 1. Dr. Peters said that his church compelled him to baptize infants, and he had concluded that the Bible intended that only believers could be baptized. He will join the Baptist church.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Fair weather has prevailed in all districts. No well defined storm appears within the region of observation. During today the temperature will moderate in the New England states. The weather will continue to moderate Saturday, with increasing cloudiness and probably rain in the middle and southern and snow in the northern districts. Along the north Atlantic coast the winds will be fresh from westerly.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897.
Sunday,	41	32	25	16	27
Monday,	41	44	28	20	30
Tuesday,	30	52	28	11	26
Wednesday,	39	28	25	34	33
Thursday,	20	34	20	32	30
Friday,	20	33	27	18	35
Saturday,	—	25	34	22	33

New Advertisements Today.

To Let—Half-house.
Wanted—Girl for general housework.
Prof. Coffey—Magnetic Healer.
Crooker's Koff-Knots—L. G. Murray's.
Dissolution Notice.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Hon. William J. Bryan finds New England a very hospitable corner of the country to visit, even though there are not many votes in it for him. —Lynn Item.

☞An English statistician thinks he has figured it out that by the end of the year scores of people will have died on acount of the impossibility of abbreviating 1900. He needn't hunt up a worry like that. In the first place, 1900 can be abbreviated to '0 or '00; and in the second place, there is no need of abbreviating it.—New Bedford Standard.

☞Instead of abolishing the poll tax it would be far better to have that assessment adjusted in each town or city in proportion to its tax rate. Let even the man who pays the minimum rate, if it is no more than the present $2.00, realize that just what that amount is, depends upon his representatives and himself. The poll tax payer should appreciate what extravagance and economy mean.—Waltham Free Press.

☞The railroad and harbor commissioners recommend that the commonwealth assume an eighth of expense of completing the bridge which crosses the Acushnet river from New Bedford. There is a coolness of assurance, not to say impudence, about this proposition which would freeze the atmosphere of the most sultry dog-day that ever seared and blistered this dear old earth. If any such bill manages to creep through the Legislature, Gov. Crane, in line with his inaugural, should knock it in the head in fifteen minutes after it enters the executive chamber.—Milford Journal.

☞Governor General Wood of Cuba has issued an order which defines the functions of the military and civil officials in that island, and its language makes it clear that military officers are not to interfere in any manner with the public press, unless such action shall be absolutely necessary to prevent a disturbance of the public peace or to protect public morals; and even then the action of the military authority shall be limited to suspending the offending publication pending the action of the judicial authorities. This is all in the line of uplifting, increasing the power, and improving the efficiency of the civil administration, and is the wisest and best course to follow.—Malden Mail.

Wide Tire Bill.

The bills introduced in the Legislature Thursday were the following of local interest:

Of S. A. Dean and others, for the passage of a law requiring heavy draft vehicles to use tires not less than three inches in width, and to require tipcarts to have tires not less than four inches in width.

Of J. Q. A. Pettengill, that street railway companies with locations in highways shall bear a proportion of the expense of abolishing grade crossings of such highways.

Of the mayors of Holyoke, Springfield, Worcester and Marlboro, for the repeal of the street railway act of 1898 and the revival of the laws which that act repealed.

By Mr. Dean of Wakefield, providing that cities and towns may appropriate money for watering streets at the expense in whole or in part of the city or of the abutters, and may assess street railway companies not exceeding 25 per cent. of the amount,

QUINCY'S FIANCEE.

Mrs. William R. Tyler Belongs to the Krebs Family.

A reporter of the Boston Post was in town Thursday for a sketch of Mrs. W. R. Tyler, the affianced wife of ex-Mayor Quincy of Boston, and was particularly anxious to obtain a photograph. He was successful in getting the photo, and a half tone of Mrs. Tyler appears in the enterprising paper today, together with these facts about her family.

Mrs. Tyler, whom ex-Mayor Quincy will shortly marry, belongs to the Krebs family, as the name indicates, of German origin. Dr. Franz Hugo Krebs, Mrs. Tyler's father, graduated as a physician before he came to this country. His present wife, but not the mother of Mrs. Tyler, was named Bolles. Her father was the well-known State street banker of that name, who died a year ago. She is the grand daughter of old Doctor Sharp, the one-time minister of the Charles Street Baptist church who has been dead some years.

Dr. Franz Hugo Krebbs, who is now well on in years, built up an extensive practice for himself in Boston, and possesses considerable means. His professional visits at the present time are confined to a few of his older patients, who feel that no other medical man will do. He belongs to the homeopathic school. For upwards of thirty years he has lived at his present residence, 42 Union Park.

He has three children—ex-Representative Franz Hugo Krebs, Mrs. Tyler and Gretchen Krebs, who is about 25 years of age. No brothers or sisters of Dr. Kebs are known to be living in America.

To Broaden Out.

The John O. Hall Republican club of West Quincy held a meeting Thursday evening, at which it was decided, in view of the fact that the municipal election was over, and important state and national elections were approaching, to change the name to Ward Four Republican club.

These officers were elected:

President,—William E. Badger.
Vice President,—James C. Elcock.
Secretary,—J. Frank Merrill.
Treasurer,—J. Leonard Ferguson.
Executive Committee, the above with John C. Kapples, Michael Owens and Charles Landin.

The club now has seventy-five members, and it is believed it will reach to a hundred before the first caucuses are held.

The idea of the club is also that of an improvement society, and will keep in touch with the Councilmen from that ward, who will thus become better informed of the needs of their section of the city.

Who for City Engineer.

There is one office in the gift of Mayor Hall that has not been filled as yet, over which little has been heard. That is the office of City Engineer, which was created by an ordinance passed by the City Council of 1899, and which carries with it a salary of $1,000 per year. Mayor Keith intimated when the matter was before the City Council that he intended to appoint E. W. Branch, but as Mr. Branch's salary when with Mr. Whitman and now with the Sewer Commissioners is considerable in excess of that amount it is doubtful if he would accept unless there was another office combined, and that could not well be done without violating the ordinance, which provides that the City Engineer shall give his whole time to that office. The other appointments which will probably be sent to the City Council Monday night are the Board of Health and one Sewer Commissioner for three years.

Minister's Son Missing.

Word was received at the police station. Thursday night, asking them to make inquiries for Hiram Preble, the 14-year-old son of Rev. E. W. Preble, formerly of Quincy, but now of Ashmont. The young man has been employed in Boston and, according to the report, he left his place of employment at the usual hour Wednesday night. It seems he did not go home as usual, and he has not been seen or heard from since that time. The boy was in Quincy last Sunday visiting friends and it was thought possible that these boys might also be missing, or know something of his whereabouts. Inspector McKay interviewed these boys Thursday night. They had not been away from home and had heard nothing of the Preble boy. His parents are very much concerned over his absence which they can not account for and fear that something must have happened to him.

More for Sewers.

It is reported that the Sewer Commissioner will send a communication to the City Council Monday night, for an amendment to the act relative to the Quincy Sewerage System, so as to unable the city to borrow more money to extend the system. The original act called for the expenditure of $400,000, about all of which has been expended.

Concert in Teachers' Course.

Thursday was a bitter cold night but not cold enough to prevent a large gathering at High school hall for the entertainment in the Teachers lecture course. The announcement that a concert was to be given by Walter E. Loud, the violinist, attracted many who have not been regular attendants of the course. Mr. Loud was assisted by Miss Ella Hall Shields, soprano, Miss Annie E. Fisher, piano and Mr. Wulf Fries, 'cello.

It was a delight to listen to Miss Shields singing, as she not only possesses a sweet, accurate voice but has an easy natural manner that is most charming and attracts her listeners.

Many have heard Miss Fisher play before, she having assisted at some of Mr. Louds recitals. She is a thorough pianist, always makes good selections, and plays with much feeling and expression, and deserves the hearty encore she always receives.

Mr. Fries and 'cello is a combination that always pleases and he was warmly welcomed by his audience.

Mr. Loud is too well known to need words of appreciation here. He was greeted before and after his selections in a way that showed at once his popularity in his own town. His selections were finely rendered as usual.

Free of Taxes.

Henry H. Faxon has written to ex-Gov. Pingree of Michigan relative to his "potato patch" plan. The full extent of Mr. Faxon's generous offer don't appear to be understood even in Quincy. His offer in black and white is: "Several parcels of tillage land, from 3 to 5 acres in each lot, will be leased free of rent, taxes or assessments, to responsible parties, for a term of three years, upon the following conditions, viz.: the lessee to raise potatoes, or otherwise cultivate the ground, the first two years, then to manure and properly seed down the same with herds-grass, red-top and clover for the third year's crop."

Early Closing.

The proprietors of the dry goods stores in City Square have shown a desire to cooperate in the short hour movement by agreeing to close their stores on Tuesday evenings, as well as Wednesday and Thursday. Now that the city has voted emphatically for eight hours for its employes, and the granite cutters and other trades work but nine hours, they are of the opinion that stores also should have the benefit. Those who work short hours will have opportunity to trade before the stores close, or on the three evenings when the stores are open.

Birthday Party

Master Howard Johnston of Granite street entertained a number of his young friends at his home, Thursday evening, the occasion being his ninth birthday. The evening was spent in games, singing, recitations and dancing, after which refreshments were served and the young folks departed for their homes, wishing Master Howard many more happy birthdays. During the evening he was presented with a gold ring and other remembrances.

Would Include Quincy.

In the House Thursday there was an order for an investigation by the Gas Commission into the expediency of reducing the price of gas in Brockton. A similar order relative to Lynn had passed, but when the Brockton order was reached, Mr. Newton of Everett moved to add Everett, Mr. Sprague of Quincy to include Quincy and Mr. Mills of Newburyport to add his city. Debate and amendments followed and action was not reached at the time of adjournment.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Murray of Wollaston mourn the loss of their little daughter, Rachel. She was taken sick only last week; the best surgical skill in Boston was called to assist, but her life could be prolonged only a few days. She passed away Thursday. Rachel was a beautiful child, but four years of age, and will be sadly missed by those who enjoyed her bright companionship.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

DIED.

LEE—In Milton, Jan. 31, Elizabeth Lee of Randolph avenue.
SHAW—In Braintree, Feb. 1, Mrs. Nancy T., widow of Mr. Warren Shaw, aged 94 years, 4 months and 9 days.
WESTON—In Milton, Feb. 1, Mrs. Charlotte Louisa, wife of Mr. William Weston of Randolph avenue.

MARRIED.

MOULTON—CHISHOLM—In Atlantic, Jan. 31, by Rev. J. H. Whitaker, Mr. Thomas T. Moulton of Lynn to Miss Marion M. Chisholm of Quincy.
SILVA—COUPICHEPSKE—In Quincy, Feb. 2, by James F. Harlow, Esq., Mr. Dave Silva to Miss Esther Coupichepske both of Quincy.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Candlemas day.

No new moon this month.

St. Valentine's day is near at hand.

The severe snow storm of 1899 came Feb. 13.

Today the sun sets at 5 o'clock and the days are over 10 hours long.

The new sanitary system at the Coddington school will be ready for use next Monday.

An electric car was derailed at Newcomb square, Thursday morning, causing quite a delay for a number of people.

Representative Sprague will please accept thanks of the Ledger for the Bulletin of the Legislature and other public documents.

A well known citizen was taken ill in City Square Thursday evening, and taken home in an ambulance, but by request his name is withheld.

Quincy members of the Knights of Columbus attended a complimentary banquet to State Deputy James F. Cavanagh in Boston, Thursday evening.

The office hours Sundays at the Quincy Post office have been changed somewhat. The office will hereafter be open from 4.30 to 5.30 P. M. instead of from 5 to 5.30.

Praise is heard on all sides for the gentlemen who so ably and untiringly conducted the turkey supper at the Washington Street Congregational church, Wednesday evening.

The second lecture in the course at the West Quincy Methodist church was given Thursday evening by Rev. M. Kobayashi on "A Japanese Wedding." He showed many Japanese curios and characters in native costumes.

The British-Boar War will be the subject upon which Rev. E. N. Hardy will take at the men's meeting of the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. All men are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Miss Bertha Hayden is now correspondent for the Patriot and Daily Ledger at Quincy Poiut, but everybody is invited to forward promptly to the office all items of interest, Courtesies extended to Miss Hayden will be appreciated.

Judge E. C. Bumpus will act as auditor to hear cases in regard to vacant land, flats and water rights, which have been taken for terminal purposes in Boston, having been appointed by Judge Fessenden of the Superior court on Thursday.

Councilman George H. Wilson entertained a number of the city officials at his home Thursday evening, comprising the Board of Managers of Public Burial Places, of which he was a former member. Among others present were Supt. Nicol, City Messenger Tirrell and Mr. Harry J. Matthews. A collation was served and a very pleasant evening passed.

Temperance Conference.

A temperance conference will be held at Faxon hall, Quincy, Feb. 8, at 2 P. M. by workers from Quincy, Braintree, Weymouth, Milton, Randolph and Holbrook. Addresses will be given by Rev. C. R. Tenney of Boston and Miss Elizabeth F. Merrill of Dorchester. Reports are expected on the temperance strength of each place, the work done and projected, how law is enforced and about temperance iterature distributed. The conference is called by the Massachusetts Total Abstinence society.

The Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society, 36 Bromfield street, Boston, is as active and as ready to promote the cause of temperance as at any time in the twenty-nine years of its existence. It covers the State with its literature, it arranges for speakers, it collates and codifies local statistics, it offers for sale the best temperance literature, it pushes scientific culture in the schools, and it seeks to cooperate with everybody who is fighting against the saloon. Do you want a speaker? Do you want some literature to distribute? Do you want a campaign paper? Do you want a temperance paper for your Sunday School? Do you want a temperance exercise for your young people? Do you want to know about the vote of your town or city for the last eighteen years? Do you want some pledge cards? Write to the above address.

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Many Declare That the Astounding Cures Made Every Day by Prof. Coffey in Faxon Hall, Quincy, Were Miracles Beyond the Power of Man to Describe.

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A Great God Gifted Healer, who Takes Away the Ills of the Flesh and Makes New and Well the Helpless Cripple and Diseased, Without the Use of Dangerous, Poisonous Drugs, Simply by a Touch of the Magic Hand.

Professor Coffey's success as a magnetic healer is spreading far and wide, and some marvelous cures are being effected. Those who at first stood aloof from him and scoffed at the idea of healing by the laying on of hands now throng his office and stand ready and willing to testify to the fact that this man's power over disease is most wonderful.



Prof. Coffey has concluded to remain in Quincy for some time. He has offices at No. 24 Chestnut street, where he can be consulted daily (except Sunday) from 9.30 A. M. to 7.30 P. M. free of charge.

His patients are numbered among all classes of people—the rich and poor, the educated and the ignorant, the intelligent and refined. People with the most profound reason have given up their prejudices, been convinced, and are now profiting by what they have seen and know to be facts. Having thoroughly realized the folly of waiting and suffering weeks, months, and even years, with disease which could as well be cured in a day, reason and judgment, in place of experiment and theory, have taken the helm and guided them to the invincible power of magnetic healing, which is the active principle of all life, action and health-giving force.

To see and to know positively that he is of varity, curing all manner of ailments simply by laying on hands, and that in the most incredibly short space of time, is creating an exciting episode in this city.

There is no mistake but what Professor Coffey has done a great amount of good for the suffering people of this city.

There is scarcely a disease that will not succumb to the magic hands of Professor Coffey. Along the whole category of human ills, such as catarrh, pulmonary-complaints, liver and kidney troubles, paralysis and all diseases of the nervous system, tumors and goitres removed without the knife or the loss of a drop of blood, all stomach disturbances, spinal and cerebral disorders, female weaknesses of all descriptions, rheumatism in all its forms, such as rheumatic gout, inflammatory rheumatism, swelling and inflammation of the joints, deafness and all diseases of the ear and eye, no matter what the trouble may be, there is hope as long as Professor Coffey is around.

We know that such remarkable cures as are being made in this city seem almost incredible and these performances seem more like miracles than solid facts, yet they have been witnessed by hundreds of people as they daily took place in Faxon Hall, Quincy, in the most public manner.

Among the cures made recently were many who had given up all hope of relief.

John Eckerman had been told by physicians that he had cancer of the stomach. He told the writer that he had received only three treatments and felt safe in saying he was entirely cured.

Mrs. Archibald was treated last Monday for deafness and noise in the head. She stated from the platform Thursday that the noises were all gone and her hearing much improved.

Mr. Sullivan who was treated for blindness Monday, told the audience Thursday that his sigut was much improved. He had been pronounced incurable by Boston specialists.

Henry Searles, a confirmed cripple from rheumatism of fifteen years' standing, has discarded his crutches and gone to work at his trade once more.

Mrs. Ellen May Joyce had a large goitre on her neck; today after only three treatments there is nothing left of it but a little loose skin where the tumor formerly was.

Peter Halloran was cured of deafness of ten years' standing and he can now hear the lisping voice of his little babe for the first time.

Willliam Hardy, instead of being doomed to walk with the aid of crutches all his life finds his legs as good as ever and says he never ceases praising the name of the inspired healer who cured him.

Annie Parker lost her hacking cough and all the congestive pains in her chest after the healing hand of this great man had touched her. Thomas Kenna was cured of neuralgia. Samuel Birch of liver trouble and kidney disorder. Celia Butler of an ovarian tumor. Allan Carter of partial paralysis of the leg. Eveline Jardine of a weak back. Joseph Phillips of sciatic rheumatism and Amelia Chapten of nervous prostration. All of these and scores more have been cured. So may you, if you will but apply for aid.

Take no man's word, but go yourself and witness this marvelous power that has brought health and happiness to thousands.

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People who have been suffering for years should not neglect this opportunity for being cured. No such man has ever visited this city, and those who wish to get well should see him at once. Feb. 2-2t

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Pickles are all right in their place but a man may understand selling pickles thoroughly and still make a very poor showing in his knowledge of drugs and medicines. I do not find time to extend my business outside of the limits of the legitimate drug business. I would make a very poor artist in the sale of pickles, but with my 20 years experience as a druggist, 11 of which I have spent in Quincy, I point with pardonable pride to the fact that I have today the largest, best appointed and most complete drug store in this city. It has been my constant endeavor to please every customer entering my store, and my success in my chosen profession can not but convince me that my efforts are appreciated by the people of Quincy.

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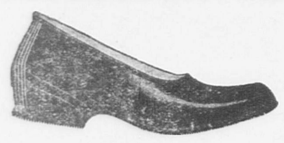
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Quincy, Jan. 31. tf



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Quincy, Nov. 25. tf

CAN IT BE AVERTED?

The Impending Strike of the Granite Cutters.

The Constitutional Question the Great Hitch.

Manufacturers Say It Is Impossible to Pay $3 for 8 Hours.

Mr. Editor, I am often asked why the Granite Manufacturers' committee does not meet the Cutters' committee and try and settle the differences at issue. I notice frequent references being made to it from platform and pulpit and it is no small wonder that people engaged in other pursuits in our city should view it with alarm for few greater evils could come upon our city at this time.

The city is just beginning to feel the pulse beat of good times for the monumental business is really the manufacture of articles that can be put off to a more convenient season. Many people put off their purchases through the five years of dull times and they were but beginning to feel that they could afford a monument and such orders were beginning to make themselves felt in Quincy.

Then before the granite manufacturer had any chance to recuperate from the hard times he is confronted with a very peculiar situation. It now appears that over two years ago the International Secretary and Standing Committee of the Granite Cutters' Union (then located in Baltimore sent out an amendment to the constitution that not later than May 1, 1900, eight hours should constitute a day's work and $3 per day the minimum pay. The whole Union from Maine to California voted on the question which was declared carried and so embodied in the constitution.

Now anyone can see that it is a constitutional question and cannot be changed or modified in any form by any committee neither can it be left to arbitration until such time as the Granite Cutters see fit to vote to take it out of the constitution and such procedure would be slow at the best.

We will suppose that the Quincy branch or the Barre branch was to so vote at their next monthly meeting. Then it would have to go to the International committee which is located in Boston this year. They would pass on it then send it out to all the branches throughout the United States. It would in all probability lay over for one month and then be voted upon. Said vote from each and every branch would be forwarded to the International secretary who would announce the result. So Mr. Editor you will see that it would take two or three months at the best.

Now let us look for a few moments to the other horn of the dilemma why the manufacturers feel that they cannot concede the demands which we consider unreasonable in the extreme.

For several years nine hours have constituted a day's work and for the past year the minimum rate has been 28 cents per hour, or $2.52 for nine hours' work. Now the demand is for $3 for eight hours work or at the rate of 37 1-2 cents per hour. And if we had to pay that to the average man then the better class of workmen would have to get from 43 to 45 cents per hour.

But we will consider the minimum man and here we have an advance of 34 per cent saying nothing of other expenses connected with the running of a manufacturing plant that would cost fully as much for eight hours as for nine hours. So it means an abrupt advance of 40 per cent. on a class of workmen that have not been cut down for over 15 years. Day work is now the basis of all piece prices as fully two-thirds of the work is now cut by the day owing to two causes. First, the steady pressure of the granite cutters to have all stones that were not covered by the piece bill or what they chose to call "special bargain stone" cut by the day. Secondly, because of the introduction of the pneumatic tools certain work can be produced cheaper by the day.

I think there would be few dissenting votes of the manufacturers if they were polled for a fair increase of pay at the nine hour day, or if the cutters preferred the eight hour day at the present pay I believe that it could be settled.

But as for conceding the present demands of the workmen we feel it would be impossible and detrimental to the whole granite industry of New England.

While I see no hope of averting the calamity and while I believe strikes are one of the worst forms of calamity, yet there is one thing worse, and that is when the manufacturers would have to submit to every and all demands of the Granite Cutters' International Union. While the constitution gives till May 1, yet the majority of the New England agreements terminate on March 1, and the cutters have made their demands to conform to that date.

So if anyone can devise a plan whereby the strike can be averted and an equitable and honorable settlement made, he would deserve the highest praise from the citizens of Quincy. But let no one be further deceived. The Quincy granite cutters have no power to do anything to settle it, unless the manfacturers are ready and willing to concede them all their constitution calls for, and I have doubts even in that case they would accept our unconditional surrender, until they had consulted the international committee in Boston. J. L. Miller,
A Granite Manufacturer.

Sea Street Widening.

To the Editor of the Ledger:

We understand that a petition from the summer residents and sojourners at Houghs Neck, Adams Shore, Rock Island and Germantown, has been presented to the Mayor of Quincy, urging his influence in forwarding the work of widening the street, to enable the Electric Railway Co. to lay their new tracks, and be ready for the service of its patrons by April 1, 1900.

In view of the fact that for many years these seaside resorts have contributed largely to the tax revenue of the city, and that now some Forty Thousand Dollars is oearly turned over to the treasury from this source, it does not seem to be asking too much to request that the support of every true man be given to this work, the completion of which, with improved roads for driving and wheeling, will not only redound to the credit of the city, but also to its material prosperity and gain. Justice.

He Relapsed.

The Looker-on in Thursday's Record, says:

At the Bryan mass meeting a ward 12 speaker was plugging Democratic shot into a couple of Republicans and the conversation attracted the attention of a white-haired gentleman in front, who turned around several times to listen, and finally said: "You ought to be a prohibitionist." Our legal friend replied: "I believe in the prohibition law, but against its enforcement" "But you ought to live in Quincy and be a prohibitionist," persisted the gentleman. "Oh, well," was the retort, "a wicked legislator told me that Faxon liked his water in any way but its original state."

At this point in the conversation a friend of the white-haired gentleman humanely interposed to acquaint the lawyer with the fact that he was addressing Henry Faxon himself, the Quincy apostle of temperance, and he suddenly relapsed into a mental cogitation upon the disadvantages of free speech.

Alliance Convention.

The twelfth annual convention of the Boston Branch of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, will be held February 6, 7, 8, and 9, in Berkeley Temple, corner Berkeley street and Warren avenue, Boston, Rev. William Franklin, Superintendent. Prominent among the speakers will be Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Simpson, Rev. A. E. Funk, Rev. D. W. LeLacheur, Rev. F. W. Farr, Rev. H. W. Wilson, Rev. O. E. Mallory, Rev. W. W. Simpson of Thibet, Rev. and Mrs. A. Stevenson from the Congo, Miss Emily Wheeler from Turkey, Rev. and Mrs. William Franklin from India. Other speakers have promised to assist, and it is expected that representatives from the various Alliance branches throughout New England will be present.

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"ORIGINAL DEMOCRATIC DOCTRINE."

Sibley Appeals to Democrats to Support the Principles of Expansion.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Representative Sibley of Pennsylvania, who attained great prominence in the Fifty-fourth congress by his earnest championship of free silver, assailed his Democratic colleagues yesterday for their opposition to expansion in a speech that made the floor and galleries roar.



CONGRESSMAN SIBLEY.

Mr. Sibley has recanted his views on free silver and is now generally out of line with his colleagues on the Democratic side. He insisted that expansion was an original Democratic doctrine, promulgated by Jefferson and adhered to by Madison, Jackson, Tyler, Polk and Buchanan. In eloquent language he pictured the destiny of the United States carrying the arts of peace and the story of the cross to the remotest corners of the globe. Mr. Sibley received an impressive demonstration when he closed.

The remainder of the debate was uninteresting. It touched the questions of mediation in the Transvaal war, lynchings in the south and the jury law in Hawaii. Not much progress was made with the Indian appropriation bill, which was under consideration.

Nearly the entire morning hour in the senate was occupied by Mr. Allen (Pop., Neb.) in a discussion of the report of Secretary Gage concerning his transactions with the National City bank of New York.

Mr. Daniel (Dem., Va.) then delivered an extended speech on the pending financial measure. He vigorously opposed the proposition that the country should go to the gold standard.

Charles G. Bennett, secretary, and Daniel Ransdell, sergeant-at-arms, of the senate, took the oath of office and assumed their respective duties. They were sworn in by Senator Frye.

Disastrous Fire at Lowell.

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 2.—One life was lost, one fireman injured and several overcome by smoke in a fire here, in which Marin's block, a five-story structure, was completely destroyed. Mrs. Bridget Grady, 48 years old, perished in the flames. She was a rheumatic cripple, and could not leave the building of her own accord. In the block were two stores on the ground floor—the Lowell pharmacy and Joseph Marin's funiture store. The upper floors were occupied as offices and lodging rooms. The total loss is about $100,-600. Fireman Rogers fell from the third story to the ground floor, sustaining broken limbs. He will recover. Several firemen were overcome by smoke. There were about 20 persons in the upper stories when the fire broke out, and they had barely time to escape with what clothes they were wearing.

McGovern Whips Santry.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Terry McGovern of Brooklyn last night proved his right to the title of featherweight champion of the world by knocking out Eddie Santry of Chicago, who claimed the leadership of the 122-pound class, by virtue of a knockout of Ben Jordan of England. The knockout came in the fifth round, after a fierce mixup, in which Santry did some clever work. Terry, however, was too strong for Santry, and straightened him up with a short-arm jolt to the stomach. He landed a left and right on the jaw in quick succession, and Santry fell to the floor on his face. He got up at the count of ten, but was so weak that Siler declared McGovern the winner, to save Santry from further punishment.

Train Had Bad Luck.

South Londonderry, Vt., Feb. 2.—A passenger train over the Brattleboro and Whitehall Narrow Guage railroad jumped the track yesterday and went down a 20-foot embankment. Although the cars were well filled with passengers only one was injured severely. After several hours' labor in getting the train back on the track another accident occurred at Dummerston, where the breaking of wheels caused the train to remain there over night.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Ex-Congressman B. Graham Frost died at St. Louis. He had been ill for more than a year with Bright's disease.

The Samoan treaty is now awaiting action by the German legislative branch. Notification of the favorable action of the United States senate has been sent to Berlin already, and no delay is expected.

While the steamer City of Gloucester was backing from her berth at Boston she fouled the stern of the steamer Prince eGorge. The damage to each vessel will be about $200. No one was injured.

Willie Webber, who has been on trial in the supreme court at York, Me., on the charge of assault with a dangerous weapon on Charles E. Perkins, was found guilty and sentenced to serve one year in jail.

Mrs. Sarah W. Daggett, the state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Massachusetts, is severely ill at Boston.

Objections to the allowance of the will of Benjamin French have been filed at Boston by an adopted son, Wilfred French, who, under a codicil, was given $5. Mr. French was a prominent and wealthy dealer in photographic goods.



The housewife keeps, with greatest care,
Her dainty glass and linen fair,
Her china and her tableware,
As sweet as she is able;
And Ivory Soap's her greatest aid,
Because 'tis pure and cleanly made
Of things which none need be afraid
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MILTON.

A grand concert was given at the East Milton Congregational church, under the auspices of the church choir Wednesday evening, under the direction of John H. Gutterson. The programme consisted of an organ overture by Mr. Carlton, march for organ and piano by Mr. Carlton and Mr. Gutterson; piano solo by Mr. Gutterson; selections by the choir; readings by by Miss Mills, and cantatas by the choir with solo by Miss Baxter.

The Milton Women's club are to give a course of three entertainments for a nucleus of a building fund for the public library. The first will be next Tuesday evening and will be "An evening with Restand" by Mme. Harney.

Prof. George C. Puringtoff of the Farmington, Me., Normal school will lecture at the Congregational church this month.

The selectmen will give a public hearing Wednesday, Feb. 7, on a petition to lay out an extension of the reserved space for use of street railways on Elliot street from its present terminus to Adams street, thence along Adams street to the Boston line.

A hurdy gurdy party will be held at the Town Hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 14.

The Episcopal Mission church and the Catholic church have been looking at the same lot of land as a site for a church. A speculator hearing of it purchased the lot. Then both churches changed their minds and the speculator still has the lot of land on his hands.

There was no school Monday morning, on account of the storm.

The Unquity club are arranging to hold a ladies' night.

The regular meeting of the Thursday Evening club was held this week. Next week a special musical entertainment will be given.

The candidates mentioned for selectmen are the present board, Messrs. Simpson, Turner and Bradley, and Messrs. Cabbatt, Kidder and Duffy.

Real Estate Sales.

City of Quincy to Lucy F. Washburn, $32.
Charles M. Bryant to Henry E. Emerson, $1.
Josiah P. Quincy to John M. Hassall, $1.
John M. Hassall to Ida Gilcher, $1,000.
Ida Gilcher to Isabella H. Hassall, $1,000.
Annie F. Swift to Richard D. Chase, $1.
Ernest C. Ford to Charles McKenzie, $1.
Fannie C. Adams, et al to Michael J. Mullarkey, $1.
Quincy Quarry Co. to Abigail N. Chamberlain, $1.
City of Quincy to Mary E. Driscoll, $17.
Henry H. Savage et al trs., to Marshall E. Mills, $1.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the Civil session of the District Court next Tuesday.

191—Blanchard vs. Belcher.
209—Bash vs. Craig & tr.
346—Smith vs. Moore.
11—Cavanagh vs. Miles.
12—Thayer vs. Barnes.
13—J. E. Worster, et al., vs. Fogg.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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WANTED—An Experienced Girl for general housework. Reference required. MRS. EBEN SHEPPARD, 16 Greenleaf street. Feb. 2-tf

WANTED—Man Competent to take charge of and manage large granite quarry, located near Little Rock, Arkansas. An opportunity will be given manager to invest a few thousand dollars in quarry if he so desires. Address, GEORGE H. MEADE CO., Little Rock, Arkansas. Jan. 26-30t

WANTED—A partner in the Granite Business in Quincy. Must be fast Stone-cutter, not over 40 years old. Address Ledger Office. Jan. 24-tf

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Dec. 28. tf

RED LIGHT.

The red light is used as a warning of danger ahead, so the one to be seen burning at 20 Franklin street, is only to remind you of the danger there is in paying too much for your Christmas Goods, such as Toys, Sleds, Rocking Horses, Dolls and Doll Carriages, Fancy Crockery. Headquarters for Skates and skate sharpeners. We have a fine lot of Rugs to select from. Don't be deceived, but call and be convinced that this is the place to trade.

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40-in. Brown Sheeting, 8c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
42-in Bleached Pillow Cotton, 8c. goods, This Sale, **6c** per yd
5c. White Domet Flannel, This Sale, **3c** per yd
8c. White Domet Flannel, This Sale, **5c** per yd
3,000 yds. Fancy Outing Flannel, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **8c** per yd
33c. Eider Down Flannel, all colors, This Sale, **25c** per yd
5c. Brown Twill Crash, This Sale, **1c** per yd.
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36-in. 10 and 8c. Percale, This Sale, **5c** per yd

Bargains in Men's Underwear.

25 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 25c. Goods. This Sale, **15c** each
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26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 " **18c**

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25 doz. NIGHT ROBES, 75c. Goods, This Sale, **39c**
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50c. Corsets, This Sale, **35c**
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$1.00 Corsets, This Sale, **80c**

KITCHEN FURNISHINGS of every description in our basement at prices for this sale cut way down.

The regular 10c. Hump, Hook and Eye. This Sale **5c**
All Sizes, Black and Silver.
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100 yds. best Sewing Silk, **8c**
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Short Leg Lamb,	12 cts. lb.
Loin of Lamb,	10 cts. lb.
Leg of Mutton,	10 cts. lb.
Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts. lb.
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts. lb.
Round Steak,	16 cts. lb.
Good Steak,	2 lbs. for 25 cts.
Beef Liver,	8 cts. lb.
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Should He Attempt It Now, England Must Prepare For Heavy Losses.

London, Feb. 2.—Mr. Wyndham's remarkable declaration in the house of commons that Great Britain will have in a fortnight 180,000 regulars in South Africa, 7000 Canadians and Australians, and 26,000 South African volunteers, is received with wonderment.

Of this total of 213,000 troops, with 452 guns, all are now there, with the exception of about 18,000 that are afloat. Beyond comparison this is the largest force that Great Britain has ever put into the field. At the end of the Crimean war she had scraped together 80,000 men. Wellington had at Waterloo 25,000.

Mr. Wyndham's speech was the strongest defense the government has yet put forward as to what has been done and is being done.

The general tone of the morning papers is that his figures will astonish the country. Roughly speaking, only 80,000 men are at the front. Ten thousand others have been lost, and 10,000 are shut up at Ladysmith.

Excluding these, there are 70,000 troops who have not yet been in action, in addition to those at sea. Why so many effectives have not yet been engaged is explained by the lack of transportation and the organization of supplies, to which Lord Roberts is devoting his experience and Lord Kitchener his genius for details.

It seems as though the weight of these masses must destroy the equilibrium which now holds the British forces stationary wherever they are in contact with the Boer army.

Lack of transport and organization will not explain adequately why, when generals at the front request reinforcements, they get them in rather small numbers. Knowledge is slowly penetrating to London that large garrisons must be kept in Cape Colony to hold down the Cape Dutch, who, as everyone knows, outnumber the British residents three to two.

Cable scraps received during the last 12 hours do not further illuminate the military operations. Various independent correspondents confirm the report that General Buller told his troops on Jan. 28 that he hoped to relieve Ladysmith within a week. It is believed in some trustworthy quarters that he is again assailing the Boer lines.

A further list of casualties published by the war office brings the total from the crossing of the Tugela to the abandonment of Spion Kop to 1985 officers and men.

Exceptional activity at the navy yards continue, but a correspondent of the Associated Press learns that this is chiefly new construction and refitting work. Three ships will be commissioned at Devenport this month.

Some unpleasant criticism of the war office has been caused by the discovery that the sights of the Lee-Enfield carbines are defective. Old carbines have been supplied to the outgoing fourth brigade of cavalry.

The only announcement regarding fresh military preparations is the formation of three additional batteries.

Winston Churchill's dispatch from Pietermaritzburg, in addition to details respecting the situation on the Tugela, gives a most interesting survey of the general position. He says:

"These most serious attacks upon the war office appear unjust. The great army in Africa is of the first quality, beautifully organized and equipped in all details, and has excellent artillery. The Boer guns are few, but splendid, and are cleverly handled. The Boers can find the range of moving targets at 7000 yards, often at the first shot of our guns. We cannot explain how."

In an interesting comparison of British and Boer methods of warfare, as illustrated during the battle of Spion kop, showing how the British troops were "cramped, mixed and disorganized," and how the "machinery of control was shattered," he says: "This would not have affected the Boers, each of whom, in pursuance of a general resolve, either to hold or to evacuate a position, would have acted individually and quite independently of officers' orders. It was a case of a pack of hounds against a flock of sheep. But the next morning the British battalions were again collected and solid, showing the advantage of discipline. A similar loss would have disheartened the Boers, and have caused a general flight. Herein lies our expectation of ultimate success. The British have great recuperative power. The Boers have none. The war, therefore, is brought nearer an end even by unsatisfactory operations."

Mr. Churchill, who anticipates that the consequences of the war will not be altogether evil, "as there will be a great increase of respect between the combatants, and contempt, the former wedge of cleavage, will be gone forever," recalls the American Civil war, and says: "Union is never born without travail, and after the refining flames have cooled, we shall find the pure gold of a more harmonious system. Let Great Britain persevere."

Spenser Wilkinson, in The Morning Post today, discusses a long dispatch from Winston Churchill, dated at Pietermaritzburg, and describes the situation in Natal. He says: This dispatch deserves to be closely read. It is an appeal to the public at home and, as it has been passed by the censor, may be taken to represent the feelings of General Buller's army. Mr. Churchill represents the difficulties of General Buller's task in concise terms:

"The enemy will act with common sense. They will place outposts on the hills and keep back their main body until they see the direction of General Buller's movement. Then they will quickly bring up the main body and extemporize what defensive works they can in addition to such as they have profusely prepared in anticipation of various possible advances.

"That is what everyone would expect them to do; and that their main body can ride faster than General Buller's main body can walk is also pretty generally understood. The consequence is that the Boer army cannot be turned. Wherever it is attacked it can present an intrenched front."

According to Mr. Churchill there are 7000 Boers watching Ladysmith, the same number held ready to resist General Buller and 5000 kept in reserve to reinforce either body at need. Thus General Buller has to attack 12,000 men entrenched on favorable ground. For that purpose Mr. Churchill thinks he ought to have 36,000 men instead of 25,000. In other words, General Buller ought to have another division.

This opinion coincides with the view we have all along expressed, that the center of gravity of the war lies in Natal, and that a British victory there would be decisive, while a complete British defeat in Natal would have disastrous consequences not easily to be estimated.

It seems difficult, in view of the strategy accepted at the war office, as well as at Cape Town, to believe that General Buller is to be allowed once more to attack a position with less than the numerical superiority of three to one which tacticians commonly think necessary for such a task.

It is hardly intelligible that he should attack again without being reinforced. Apparently, however, a third attempt will be made without loss of time. Indeed, it seems probable that the movement is now in progress. We must hope that the splendid bravery of our men will be rewarded by success. When Mr. Churchill says that "the public must nerve themselves," he probably means: "Prepare our countrymen at home for heavy losses in the coming battle."

The Daily Telegraph publishes the following dispatch from Spearman's camp, dated Jan. 30: Colonel Winne has taken command of General Woodgate's brigade. Colonel Miles has been appointed chief of General Buller's staff. The Boers are still constructing defensive works opposite Potgieter's Drift. A strong cavalry reconnaissance proceeded today westward, in the vicinity of Honger's Spruit.

Lord Dundonald's reconnaissance in the direction of Honger Spruit found the road clear. The enemy was not to be seen.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 2.—Heartfelt expressions of sorrow over the death of Oliver H. Durrell of the executive council were general about the state house yesterday, where the councellor only two weeks before had taken the oath of office for the first time. Governor Crane at once prepared a message, which was sent to the senate, and in due time suitable action will be taken by the council itself. It was a matter of some misunderstanding among many members of the legislature as to how a vacancy of this kind should be filled, some believing that a new election would be necessary and others having the idea that the senate elected the new official. The fact is that under article 25 of the amendment to the constitution, a vacancy in the executive council is filled by concurrent vote of the senate and house.

The most interesting hearing of the day was that before the committee on election laws upon the bill providing for municipal suffrage for women. Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore and Rev. Lyman Abbott, D. D., were among the noted witnesses.

Messrs. Carey and MacCartney were heard by the committee on cities on the bill to authorize a municipal referendum on current matters.

The committee on street railways gave a long hearing on bills providing for vestibules upon street cars. The arguments were the same as last year, when a bill passed both houses, but was killed on reconsideration in the senate.

Mr. Baldwin presented a petition in the senate that each member of the senate may receive a salary of $1500, and each member of the house $1000 for the session, with $2 for every mile of ordinary travelling distance from his place of abode, and that the president of the senate may receive $2500 and the speaker of the house $2000, with mileage. The act to take effect Jan. 1, 1900.

The house was again deluged with petitions and bills affecting innumerable interests. A resolution expressing sympathy with the Boers was sent to the committee on federal relations, without the distinction of a reading by the speaker.

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

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Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

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Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturdays.)

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Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

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The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

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r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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—Arthur E. Smith.

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It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Quincy when married will leave for a tour of Egypt and the Nile. During May Mr. Quincy will return to Boston on business, stopping only a few weeks, however. The balance of the summer will be spent in Europe. Boston will be their future home. It is likely that they will occupy apartments in one of Boston's big family hotels.

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Next Friday evening the sixth concert by the Union Choral society will be held at Braintree, and the public know that under the leadership of Mrs. Martha Dana Shepard this entertainment will be well worthy of attendance. Miss Marguerite Morse, soprano of Boston; Mrs. Helen Allen Hunt, contralto of Weymouth; Mr. H. W. Scanlan, tenor of Boston, Dr. G. B. Rice, baritone of Boston and a harp soloist will take part in the concert. A full house is assured and a large number of tickets have been sold.

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The matrons for Miss Corlew's sunlight dance at Music hall on Washington's birthday are: Mrs. George H. Hitchcock, Mrs. Horace F. Spear, Mrs. A. E. Sproul and Mrs. F. E. Carr of Quincy; Mrs. H. G. Fay and Miss Clara Thayer of Wollaston.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Adelaide Ladd of Milton and Mr. Alfred Rodman Weld, Harvard '91.

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Mrs. Henry C. Richards of Boston was in Braintree Tuesday, saying goodbye to her friends as she and her family leave for California, Feb. 7, for a two months' trip.

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The Junior Friday club meets on Tuesday afternoon next week with its president, Miss Edith Randall of Coddington street.

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Mr. and Mrs. George L. Duckworth of Braintree entertained the members of the Pine Tree club at their home Monday evening. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

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Rev. E. C. Butler has been suffering from a severe cold but is now able to be out and hopes to conduct the services on Sunday.

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The Braintree club held a whist tournament at their rooms last Saturday evening. The first prize, a pair of shoes, was won by J. Franklin Holbrook, and the second, a silver cigar cutter, by Walter T. Connell. Six tables were filled.

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Mrs. James H. Stetson, owing to her many social engagements, has decided not to take charge of the Quincy Home Science ball on Febuary 22d and a large committee has been selected to arrange for it.

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The engagement is announced this week of Miss Mary McKig of Braintree and Mr. John Matherson of Quincy.

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The February meeting of the Wheaton Seminary club will be held at the Vendome, Boston, the afternoon of the tenth. Miss Miriam A. Cochrane will have charge of the programme and a new idea in music will be demonstrated by Miss Southard.

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Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, meets on Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Annie Lincoln Prescott, Spear street. Mrs. Frank F. Prescott, Mrs. Francis Guild Mayo, Mrs. George T. Magee and Miss Prescott have the meeting in charge and there will be historical papers and music.

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The Universalist Sunday School held its election of officers last Sunday. Superintendent, Merrill C. Ward. Assistant Superintendent, Miss Mary Cudworth. Secretary, Miss Lillian Gay. Treasurer, Miss Addie Holton. The school shows an encouraging growth of members and work.

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The Old Maids' whist club met with Miss May Stoddard of Braintree on Tuesday evening. Miss Annie Brooks won the first prize and Miss Annie Crosby the booby. They meet next week with Miss Ethel Brooks.

The engagement is announced of Miss Blanche M. Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund F. Taylor of Wollaston and Mr. Abbott Leach of Salem.

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The Massasoit whist club will meet tonight at the home of G. D. Willis of Braintree.

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The Ivaloo whist club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. S. J. Wilde of Tremont street, Braintree.

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Mr. Henry E. Sheldon and son, Percy E., of East Milton, left on Thursday from the Hoosac Tunnel dock, on the steamer New England for a trip abroad. They go with Clark's Oriental Tour company and there are 400 in the party. They will visit Madeira, Gibralter, Algiers, Cairo and go up the Nile as far as the first cataract. A week will be spent in Jerusalem, a brief stop at Constantinople, a week in Venice, and stop at Nice, after which they will go overland across France to England joining the steamer New England at Liverpool and arrive home about April fifteenth.

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The Ruskin whist club met with Miss Edith Brett, of Braintree, Wednesday evening. Clifton Woodsum and Grace Loring won the first prizes.

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Miss Lucy Harris Symonds, principal of the well-known Normal training class in Boston, will give a talk, Wednesday, February 7th, at 3 o'clock in the Tucker school. Her subject will be the "Importance of the Kindergarten." This is a union Mothers' meeting of the Kindergarten in Milton. The public are most cordially invited to attend.

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At the request of the pastor, the Unitarian social and supper will be held Thursday, February eighth.

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The many friends of George R. M. Bestick from Braintree, Randolph, Holbrook, Brockton and Quincy were present at his home at Braintree on Thursday evening to celebrate with him the 56th anniversary of his birth. A fine time was enjoyed and a light collation was served.

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Dr. H. S. Hayford left on Thursday afternoon for a short visit with his home at Portsmouth, N. H. He has recovered from his mild attack of diphtheria, but is weak from the effects so that a change will be beneficial before he resumes his practice.

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Mr. Thomas A. Watson of Braintree has gone on a business trip to Missouri.

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The Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet at the Congregational church on Friday, Feb. 9, at 3 o'clock.

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Mrs. N. S. Hunting of Hancock street will give a party next Saturday evening in honor of Miss Margureite Davis, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Davis.

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Mrs. H. J. Gurney of Wollaston entertained the Friday club yesterday afternoon and Mrs. Wilson Marsh was in charge of the meeting. It was a Milton afternoon and a most enjoyable one. There were papers on John Milton by Mrs. Alden on his political life; Mrs. Saville, religious; Mrs. John O. Hall, Jr., educational; Mrs. Hayward home life, marriage, etc. There were also readings of his prose works. Mrs. Zenas Arnold read a paper on James I of Scotland and there were songs by Miss Randall.

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The annual meeting of the Universalist Y. P. C. U. was held last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. A. C. Merritt. The officers elected will be installed at the Y. P. C. U. meeting next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Miss Hattie H. Lincoln of Hingham, District Superintendent, will be the installing officer. Everybody welcome.

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Mrs. Thomas A. Watson of Braintree entertained the Charity club on Wednesday afternoon.

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The class of 1901 at Thayer Academy tendered a reception to the faculty of that institution in White's Gymnasuim last evening. A large number of the parents and friends were present from this and adjouring towns and the reception proved to be a very pleasing affair The faculty recieved from 7.30 untill 9 o'clock after which dancing was enjoyed until 11.

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FOUR TIMES MARRIED.

That the Record of a Quincy Groom of 1899.

It Was the First Venture for the Greater Number.

Rev. E. N. Hardy and Rev. R. W. Peach the Popular Pastors.

Is marriage a failure? This is a perplexing question. One that has often been the subject over which debaters have wrangled and they knew just as much about it after a long debate as they did when they started in. It will always be an open question, yet there are enough who believe in the negative to keep the dressmaker busy and to keep the buds following the papers closely to see who the next bride will be. That marriages are not confined to maidens, young and fair, can be readily seen by consulting the register at the City Clerk's office in Quincy, where it will be found that some grooms and brides have during the past year entered upon their third and in one case their fourth venture in the matrimonal market. That is pretty good evidence that they believe in the negative side of the question.

Usually in a growing city like Quincy, the number of marriages increase, year by year, as the population increases, but for some reason, the 1899 was an off year, for but 211 couples stood up and pledged themselves to support, love and cherish each other until death did them part. This was 38 less than in 1898 which was a banner year for Quincy.

Of course all the young ladies or all the young men who wished to get married did not do so.

If they had it might take four or five figures to tell the number of marriages. Perhaps they will muster up courage this year and help keep the record where it belongs. It isn't a leap year, but never mind.

Not all of the brides or grooms belonged in Quincy, for some people are very hard to satisfy, and have formed peculiar opinions for their ideals so that it is not surprising to find upon consulting the records that 53 of the grooms thought no Quincy girl quite good enough for them and looked elsewhere for someone to do their washing and ironing. It might also be well to mention that 44 of the brides were sought by out of town young men. Thus it ever was and thus it ever will be until the end of time.

Of the 422, only 65 first saw the light of day in Quincy, but 216 of the total were born in the United States.

Of the 211 grooms 195 entered upon the marriage venture for the first time. Fourteen tried it for a second time, one for a third time, and one for a fourth.

Of the fourteen grooms for a second time, thirteen secured maidens young and fair and one secured for his partner one who had had equal experience.

The gentlemen who contracted his third marriage got a maiden who perhaps thought it better to be an old man's darling than a young man's slave.

The gentleman who entered upon his fourth venture got a lady, who had also once before stood before the altar.

Of the brides, the beautiful bewitching brides, 190 for the first time put away all thoughts of girlish things, and assumed the more responsible position of wife. Ten had seen previous experience and had an idea of wifely duties. Of these ten, seven were fortunate or unfortunate enough to catch young men in their nets who had no previous experience as husband and family supporters; two secured gentlemen who had been married once before, and one secured for her husband one who, although he had been married three times, was still of the opinion that man was not made to live alone, and was therefore willing to try for a fourth time. Such courage as that is phenomenal.

There was one lady who probably blushed a maidenly blush as she softly said thrice before, yet she was fortunate enough in securing for her fourth husband a young man who had no previous experience as a husband but was willing to learn and obey provided he had a good teacher.

Brides are fanciful, some prefer a clergyman who resides in their own town while others prefer someone from out of town, thinking perhaps the knot would be more thoroughly tied. Of the latter there were 66. Quincy clergymen however were as a rule selected, and the several marriages performed by them were as follows: Rev. E. N. Hardy, 14; Rev. R. W. Peach, 14; Rev. J. P. Cuffe, 13; Rev. J. E. Johnstone and by justices of the peace 11 each; Rev. H. Larson, Rev E. C. Butler and Rev. W. R. Breed, 6 each; Rev. F. A. Friguglietti and Rev. W. J. Foley, 5each; Rev. Preston Gurney, Rev. E. W. Preble, Rev. Edward Norton, Rev. C. P. Mills, Rev. W. W. Dornan, Rev. J. E. Waterhouse, and J. A. Bernhard, 4 each; Rev. P. Arickson, Rev. F. Englund, 3 each; Rev. David Kerr, Rev. F. T. Knight, Rev. C. A. Bjornborn, Rev. J. J. Casey, Rev. Edward Anderson, Rev. K. L. Henrikson and Rev. C. W. Wilder, 2 each; Rev. Frederick Alvord, Rev. J. B. Wilson, Rev. J. H. Whitaker, Rev. F. A. Foxcroft, Rev. D. Rosenthal, Rev. A. J. Cuff, Rev. S. B. Duffield, Rev. T. F. Wright, Rev. W. W. Conestien, Rev. L. B. Hatch, Rev. A. P. Putnam, Rev. S.S. Searing, one each.

Mrs. Nancy Shaw of Braintree.

This aged and much respected lady passed away at her home on Washington street, opposite the Union school house, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, at the advanced age of 94 years, 4 months and 10 days.

She was born Sebt. 22, 1805, to Capt. Andrew and Polly (Loud) Thomas of South Weymouth. At the age of 16, in in the year 1821, she was married to Warren Shaw of South Weymouth and by their union was born ten children two of which died in infancy, three sons have since died, leaving five daughters. They are Mrs. Oliver Morton, of Randolph, Maine; Mrs. Quincy Tirrell, Mrs. Wilson Tirrell, Mrs. James Bailey of South Weymouth.

When 18 years old Mrs. Shaw joined the Congregational church and was always, as long as able, an ardent and faithful worker in that faith.

In 1872 her husband died, and in 1877 she made her home with her youngest son Josephus, where she remained the balance of her earthly life. Her ninetieth birthday was celebrated in 1895, and a general reunion of her relatives was held at her home.

Most people who live into old age become rinkled in the face and impaired in their faculties, but she did not have these care worn wrinkles, her hearing was excellent and her eye sight was good for coarse print,

Josephus, her youngest son and a highly respected citizen of Braintree died in 1888 caused by a railroad disaster, and in 1897 Henry and Franklin passed away. Henry Thomas, Mrs. Shaw's only brother living, previous to his death Nov. 26, 1899, was much worshiped by her, and since his death she has remained sick, gradually closing the book of life. Mrs. Shaw has over four scores of descendants over whom she was very much honored and pleased.

The funeral will take place this afternoon (Saturday) at 2 o'clock from her past home, Mrs. Josephus Shaw's. Rev. A. C. Alvord, of South Weymouth assisted by the Rev. A. A. Ellsworth of Braintree will officiate. Miss Ella Cook, contralto of South Weymouth, will sing and the burial will be at South Weymouth. It is expected that the bearers will be Frederick Shaw, Allen Tirrell, Will H. Shaw, Hamilton Tirrell, George H. Shaw and James Bailey.

Slight Fire.

The alarm from Box 45 at 7.55 this morning was for a slight fire in the basement of a house on California avenue, owned by Mrs. Patrick McDonough and occupied by John P. Riddington. The occupants of the house were thawing out a water pipe in the basement when the lamp was overturned and set fire to a lot of old sleepers. There was no damage.

Skating Accident.

A morning paper reports that Rose Cantello, aged 16 years, of Wollaston, fell while skating on the public skating park, at Neponset, Friday night and struck on the back of her head. She was removed to a nearby house and a physician summoned, who found that the blow had caused concussion of the brain.

Preble Returns.

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Hiram Preble, the 14 year old son of Rev. E. W. Preble, was cleared up yesterday when he was reported in New York. Money was telegraphed him to return home with, and he started on the night train. He arrived home safe and sound this morning.

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ARE THEY MIRACLES?

Many Declare That the Astounding Cures Made Every Day by Prof. Coffey in Faxon Hall, Quincy, Were Miracles Beyond the Power of Man to Describe.

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A Great God Gifted Healer, who Takes Away the Ills of the Flesh and Makes New and Well the Helpless Cripple and Diseased Without the Use of Dangerous, Poisonous Drugs, Simply by a Touch of the Magic Hand.

Professor Coffey's success as a magnetic healer is spreading far and wide, and some marvelous cures are being effected. Those who at first stood aloof from him and scoffed at the idea of healing by the laying on of hands now throng his office and stand ready and willing to testify to the fact that this man's power over disease is most wonderful.



Prof. Coffey has concluded to remain in Quincy for some time. He has offices at No. 24 Chestnut street, where he can be consulted daily (except Sunday) from 9.30 A. M. to 7.30 P. M. free of charge.

His patients are numbered among all classes of people—the rich and poor, the educated and the ignorant, the intelligent and refined. People with the most profound reason have given up their prejudices, been convinced, and are now profiting by what they have seen and know to be facts. Having thoroughly realized the folly of waiting and suffering weeks, months, and even years, with disease which could as well be cured in a day, reason and judgment, in place of experiment and theory, have taken the helm and guided them to the invincible power of magnetic healing, which is the active principle of all life, action and health-giving force.

To see and to know positively that he is of varity, curing all manner of ailments simply by laying on hands, and that in the most incredibly short space of time, is creating an exciting episode in this city.

There is no mistake but what Professor Coffey has done a great amount of good for the suffering people of this city.

There is scarcely a disease that will not succumb to the magic hands of Professor Coffey. Along the whole category of human ills, such as catarrh, pulmonary-complaints, liver and kidney troubles, paralysis and all diseases of the nervous system, tumors and goitres removed without the knife or the loss of a drop of blood, all stomach disturbances, spinal and cerebral disorders, female weaknesses of all descriptions, rheumatism in all its forms, such as rheumatic gout, inflammatory rheumatism, swelling and inflammation of the joints, deafness and all diseases of the ear and eye, no matter what the trouble may be, there is hope as long as Professor Coffey is around.

We know that such remarkable cures as are being made in this city seem almost incredible and these performances seem more like miracles than solid facts, yet they have been witnessed by hundreds of people as they daily took place in Faxon Hall, Quincy, in the most public manner.

Among the cures made recently were many who had given up all hope of relief.

John Eckerman had been told by physicians that he had cancer of the stomach. He told the writer that he had received only three treatments and felt safe in saying he was entirely cured.

Mrs. Archibald was treated last Monday for deafness and noise in the head. She stated from the platform Thursday that the noises were all gone and her hearing much improved.

Mr. Sullivan who was treated for blindness Monday, told the audience Thursday that his sight was much improved. He had been pronounced incurable by Boston specialists.

Henry Searles, a confirmed cripple from rheumatism of fifteen years' standing, has discarded his crutches and gone to work at his trade once more.

Mrs. Ellen May Joyce had a large goitre on her neck; today after only three treatments there is nothing left of it but a little loose skin where the tumor formerly was.

Peter Halloran was cured of deafness of ten years' standing and he can now hear the lisping voice of his little babe for the first time.

Willliam Hardy, instead of being doomed to walk with the aid of crutches all his life finds his legs as good as ever and says he never ceases praising the name of the inspired healer who cured him.

Annie Parker lost her hacking cough and all the congestive pains in her chest after the healing hand of this great man had touched her. Thomas Kenna was cured of neuralgia. Samuel Birch of liver trouble and kidney disorder. Celia Butler of an ovarian tumor. Allan Carter of partial paralysis of the leg. Eveline Jardine of a weak back. Joseph Phillips of sciatic rheumatism and Amelia Chapten of nervous prostration. All of these and scores more have been cured. So may you, if you will but apply for aid.

Take no man's word, but go yourself and witness this marvelous power that has brought health and happiness to thousands.

None will forget the wonderful cures made by this man in public at Faxon Hall this week before hundreds of people, and his private treatments are even more wonderful.

People who have been suffering for years should not neglect this opportunity for being cured. No such man has ever visited this city, and those who wish to get well should see him at once.

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KITCHENER TO LEAD.

Rumors That He Will Start With Big Force to Relieve Ladysmith.

Is Now In Consultation With Roberts at Cape Town.

Heyn Declares That England's Object Is to Annihilate Afrikanders.

London, Feb. 3.—Great Britain's hopes are new centered on Kitchener. It is persistently rumored that he will start with a big force to try to relieve Ladysmith.

The plan, it is said, is to advance to the right of Colenso, making a long detour by way of Weenen. He would cross the Tugela 12 or 15 miles to the right of Colenso, and his aim would be to turn the Boer left flank.

At the same time Buller holds the drifts north of Springfield, where he crossed last week. He will thus be in a position to effectively co-operate with Kitchener by distracting the attention of the Boers by another attack on their right flank.

At present the Boers have an immense advantage because their position is compact, though acting on what military men call "interior lines." Thus whether attacked at Spion kop or Colenso they can quickly concentrate their forces to meet the new attack.

With, however, an attack on their left by Kitchener, 15 miles further away, it is thought that they will not be able to use their forces in a compact line, but will have to divide them.

Lord Kitchener has been travelling from army to army in northern Cape Colony, and General French, by instructions, is now in Cape Town consulting with Lord Roberts. Large engineering constructions are proceeding at Modder river, suggesting that Lord Methuen's fortified camp has been selected as the base from which to invade the Free State. Numerous sidings, platforms and warehouses are being built, and a permanent railway bridge is well advanced.

The correspondent of The Times at Lourenzo Marquez, telegraphing yesterday, says: Crowds of military looking men are still landing here. During the last two days more than 100, described as suspicious, have arrived in German steamers. Some left yesterday for Pretoria. Many of them wore riding boots and carried field glasses. They were evidently officers, and were assiduously attended by a Transvaal detective.

President Steyn, addressing the Burghers in Natal, accused Great Britain of coercing the Boers into war. He said that England had already drunk deeply of Boer blood, but was still unsatisfied. Had not Sir Alfred Milner, he asked, said that the Afrikanders must



MARTIMAS TH. STEYN.

be annihilated? This is the grand, final object of the war, he exclaimed, but God will never permit the subjection of the Afrikanders. Let not the Burghers imitate the barbarians like looting of which the enemy are guilty, but let them struggle as Christians. If we do so unitedly, our contest for life and the destiny of our race must end in victory.

A Mafeking dispatch, dated Jan. 17, says: Siege rations of bread and meat have only now been enforced. Oats, intended for horses, are now saved to supply the troopers, if needed. Tinned milk and matches are commandeered. Liquor is scarce. Lady Sarah Wilson is pluckily attending to hospital work, and constantly passing to and fro under shell fire.

The cost of the war to the end of the fiscal year, March 31, is estimated at £30,000,000. The house of commons has already granted £10,000,000, and the Times says another £20,000,000 will be asked for.

Troubles In Northern Africa.

Paris, Feb. 3.—The Figaro, referring to the reported revolt of the Soudanese troops, says: Unfortunately for Great Britain, the Egyptian troops know what to think of the private feelings of the Khedive and of declarations dragged from him. Without attaching too great importance to them the first symptoms of revolt are worthy of note. The Matin says: If the Cairo dispatch be correct, England will find herself face to face with inextricable international difficulties. She has no right to use the Egyptian in South Africa. The sultan and the European nations who control the debt will be justified in objecting.

Monster Sympathetic Meeting.

Vienna, Feb. 3.—Under the auspices of the German Nationalists some 30,000 people met yesterday to express sympathy with the Boers. The Dutch minister, Dr. Van Der Hoeven, and several German Radical members of the reichsrath, with almost all the Dutch residents of Vienna, participated. Intense enthusiasm was displayed, war songs were sung and a telegram was sent to Dr. Leyds.

BRYAN TALKS TO VERMONTERS.

Says Republicans Have Failed to Come Up to Expectations of the People.

Montpelier, Vt., Feb. 3.—Mr. Bryan's reception here was a warm one, and that is saying considerable, for the mercury stood at 28 degrees below zero most all day. He visited the Dewey homestead, opposite the state capitol, and in the evening he addressed two audiences.

In his address at the armory Mr. Bryan said that he was surprised to find that it took two halls in which to hold a Democratic meeting in Vermont. He did not know what the people of Nebraska would say when they read such a thing.

He said he had reasons for denouncing the bad Republicans. There is hope for them—their sins may be scarlet, but they can be made as white as protected wool. The Republicans won the last election, but it would have been better if they had been defeated, because of their failure to come up to the expectations of the people. Forgetting the common people the Republican party is just like a lot of old eggs, said Mr. Bryan. The shells are the same, but the contents have undergone a change.

On the question of trusts, money and imperialism, Mr. Bryan adhered to his arguments given in other cities. In conclusion he spoke of the interest Americans have in independence, and said that he could not see how any one could fail to pray for God's blessing on the Boers who are willing to die for their republic.

Mr. Bryan finished at 9:40 and proceeded at once to the Opera House. He was heartily cheered upon his entrance. He repeated in substance his earlier address.

At the close of the meeting Mr. Bryan had a short rest at the hotel and left on the 12:40 morning train for Springfield.

Hard Raps at Democrats.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 3.—In the hall in this city in which Mr. Bryan spoke Thursday night J. A. Greene of The Weirs, candidate for the Republican congressional nomination, last night replied to Mr. Bryan. Dr. Greene began by declaring that the followers of Bryan are not true Democrats, but are "southern and western renegades, soreheads and disappointed officeseekers, Populists, socialists and anarchists." He accused Bryan of being in the pay of silver mine owners, and thanked God that "Altgeld had not disgraced New Hampshire by coming here with Bryan." Mr. Greene took up and answered in detail Bryan's arguments on the money question, expansion and the tariff, closing with an eloquent eulogy of President McKinley, which brought rounds of applause from the audience.

Wanted by Salem Authorities.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 2.—Charles Tarbiff, who is alleged to have been concerned in a number of burglaries in this city, has been arrested at Hartford, on a description sent out by the Salem authorities. Marshal Hart will go to Hartford for the prisoner. Tarbiff's companion, Eugene Lessier, was arrested Dec. 29, and is now in jail under indictment. For a time terror was caused by the raids of these men, and they are said to have been concerned in at least a dozen breaks.

The Treasury Fattened.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The government receipts for January from all sources amounted to $48,012,164, as against $41,774,930 for January, 1899. The expenditures during the last month aggregated $39,189,096, as against $51,122,770 for January, 1899, leaving a surplus last month of $8,823,068. Since July 1, 1899, the receipts have exceeded the expenditures $29,870,000.

Cole Held In $50.000.

Boston, Feb. 2.—Before United States Commissioner Fiske yesterday, Charles H. Cole, former president of the Globe National bank, was arraigned for the third time on the charge of embezzling and misappropriating $900,000 of the funds of that institution. Through his attorney, William Schofield, the defendant waived examination, and was held in the sum of $50,000 for the March term of the United States district court. Benjamin W. Wells and Benjamin F. Smith were the sureties on his bond.

Two Lives Lost In School Fire.

St. Louis, Feb. 2.—Two lives were lost by a fire which partially destroyed St. Lawrence O'Toole's parish school here yesterday. The victims were Sister Stanislaus and a pupil, Mary Foley, 10 years old. They were in the south wing on the third floor, and when they discovered that the building was on fire they were imprisoned by a pall of smoke that no one could penetrate. The fire was caused by an overheated furnace.

THE ROYAL BOX.

Emperor Francis Joseph has appointed Prince Henry of Prussia an admiral in the Austrian navy.

The Prince of Wales has promised to open in person the international congress on tuberculosis, to be held in England in 1901.

The mother of the queen of Holland objects to the title of "dowager," and an official statement has been made by the young queen to the effect that her mother must not be called "dowager queen," but "Queen Emma of the Netherlands."

The kaiser, it is said, takes a great delight in seeing very big men in uniform. It is in the blood. Frederick the Great, when he had need of propitiating his irascible old father, used to make him a present of a 6 foot 4 inch or 6 foot 5 inch grenadier. That softened the heart of Frederick William.

THE COOKBOOK.

Before cooking sweetbreads soak them for an hour in mild lemon juice and water.

When beating eggs for a pudding, add the sugar to them and not to the other ingredients.

A vanilla bean kept in the sugar box imparts a delicious flavor to sugar. The French do this.

In recipes "one teaspoonful" means rounded up as much above the spoon as the bowl rounds below.

A Spanish onion minced and added to an omelet batter in the proportion of one teaspoonful for each egg gives a delicious flavor.

Letter from Florida.

Crescent City, Florida,
Jan. 1900.

Editor of the Braintree Observer:

I believe I promised to write a few lines about Florida and my trip south. There is very little to be said about the trip, but much more than I can write, to be said about Florida. The north has but a very slight knowledge of the present condition of this state, based as it's prosperity was upon the growth of the orange. Therefore when in 1895 a freeze destroyed the entire product, together with the entire groves, from the ground up, one can readily see that the foundation plank of all its revenue, had fled. Then again a second freeze last winter destroyed the young trees that were growing from the stump. This had a still more depressing influence upon already doubtful investor.

This town (or rather city) was an ideal spot, before this calamity; — its location being some fifty feet above the level of "Lake Crescent." In days of its prosperity some fine residence property had been developed, mostly by northern capital, and beautified with every known tropical plant (and their number is legion) that taste and wealth could suggest, costing many thousands of dollars. All dependent upon the orange to furnish a revenue that should support it. But alas for the unforeseen, that came in a night, destroying every source of income, leaving those who but a day before, saw nothing in the future but sunshine, penniless.

It is a picture too sad for reflection, and one that judging from my personal experience has not, neither could it be, realized by the people of the north.

I attribute the fact of there having been no assistance asked for to relieve actual suffering first to the limited requirements of a native citizen, and second to the well known fact that a very large percentage of the money investe in orange groves came from outside the state, and usually from such sources as the loss would not be felt severely. The result of this state of things has unfixed values until there is no quotations possible. Northern owners are hopeful but many have abandoned their groves. Some are struggling with box enclosures with lamps inside, to light upon the approach of a freeze. The simple facts as at present are, "entire destruction of the orange industry for many years," if not for all time.

Two hundred and fifty miles south, they are raising some of inferior quality, but from what I can learn the climate, insects, mosquitoes, fleas, etc., make it very poor bargain if successful.

Florida climate is an unknown quantity to the oldest resident. It can rain on the shortest notice and become cold at nearly the same time, yet it is generally healthy and even beneficial to very many people.

We are contented and ought to be for one reason if no other we are stopping with a New England landlord, with New England cooking, who is all care for our comfort.

If any of Braintrees people are seeking benefit and rest, come here, if looking for "spread" don't do it. The Lakes are fine sheets of water, the atmosphere is pure and usually enjoyable. There is quite a movement of northern and western people now visible. It is all that we expected in climate, etc., and is a great relief from the piercing winds, snows and cold of our northern winters.

The many customs that look crude and shiftless, are matters of education, yet I feel sure that a generation will elapse long before the people of Florida will be in competition with New England. The vehicles, horses, harness, etc., are of a very low order. The people of color are civil in the extreme. The tendency to spend all as fast as obtained, is characteristic of the race. They seem happy with nothing; earning only as little as possible to subsist upon.

As yet I see no immediate danger of its ever becoming a home, for those seeking temporary relief on account of climate. But I have no doubt that it will continue to attract in far greater number the people of the north and west for a winter's rest. New England has attractions that satisfy those who have visited other states most freely, and I suggest as a remedy to any one residing in old Masachusetts, who is dissatisfied, that your visit for a perfect cure, any southern state of the union. The temperature ordinarily is from 40 to 70 degrees, with light wind and summer showers; this condition is however subject to changes that I do not care to explain, for fear it might not strictly agree with some of the printed matter whose birthplace was unfortunate on account of its close proximty to a Florida speculaton.

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PETTIGREW SHUT OFF.

Finds Fault Because the Newspapers Support the Administration.

Philippine Report Sent to Congress by President.

Favors Territorial Government and a Large Measure of Home Rule.

Washington, Feb. 3.—An effort by Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota to discuss the situation in the Philippines yesterday, taking for his text the resolution he offered Thursday, was of no avail, as he was met by a point of order which took him from the floor. He had gotten only so far as to charge that the great journals of the country would not publish the facts concerning the Philippine war when the point of order was made by Senator Gallinger and sustained by the chair. Subsequently he offered another resolution, on which he will speak next week.

"The great journals of the country," said Mr. Pettigrew, "are not open to the publication of the facts regarding this subject. Their columns are not open to these facts. They will not publish what transpires here and the people can be reached only through the plan I have adopted of securing the publication of the document in the form of documents. The great newspapers are supporting the policy of the administration and we have been driven to this course in order to get the facts to the people through the mails."

The senate in executive session took up The Hague peace treaty. There was a brief discussion of it, but no opposition was developed. The treaty would have been ratified, but under the rule it had to lie over 24 hours after being read.

Senator Allen of Nebraska concluded his speech in arraignment of Secretary Gage because of his transactions with the National City bank of New York. He had previously introduced a resolution providing for an investigation by the senate of the treasury department, but objection to its consideration sent it over until next week.

The house devoted its attention to the Indian appropriation bill. It got no further, however, than the appropriations for Indian schools, where an effort was started by Mr. Fitzgerald of New York to permit the secretary of the interior to contract with schools for the education of Indian children where the government lacks facilities. No appropriation is made for contract schools in this bill. It is claimed that present Indian school facilities are inadequate.

As soon as the house was called to order at the night session, Representative Talbert (S. C.) announced that he proposed to block all special pension legislation at Friday night sessions, unless a quorum of members was present. He declared that the abuse in connection with the passage of special pension bills must stop. When Mr. Sulloway (N. H.), chairman of the committee on invalid pensions, moved to go into committee of the whole to consider pension legislation, only 89 members were present, and Mr. Talbert made the point of no quorum. An effort to secure a quorum failed, and successive motions to adjourn were defeated. At 10:30, without breaking the deadlock, the house was adjourned, under the rule.

President McKinley sent to congress the first half of the report on the Philippine islands, which is signed by Jacob G. Schurman, president; George Dewey, Charles Denby and Dean C. Worcester.

It details a full description of the efforts made by the commission while at Manila to terminate the insurrection and secure pacification of the islands, and is devoted to the population of the Philippines. The following subjects are treated: Education, government, the judicial system, naval matters, the clergy and religious orders, the registration law, the law of marriage, the currency, Chinese in the Philippines, public health. The volume contains a large number of exhibits.

There are several draughts of constitutions proposed by prominent Filipinos, one being a copy of the so-called Philippine republic constitution. Another constitution is that prepared for the island of Negros. The document presents the conclusions reached by the commission on matters pertaining to the Philippines, its view of industries, social and economic conditions, and an elaborate plan of government.

The commission declares its belief that at present the islands need the protection of the United States. The report says that it will be safe, expedient and desirable to grant to the inhabitants of the archipelago a large measure of home rule in local affairs. Their towns should enjoy substantially the rights, privileges and immunities of towns in one of the territories of the United States. The suffrage should be restricted by educational or property qualifications, or perhaps both.

The system will necessitate a small body of American officials of great ability and integrity and of much patience and tact in dealing with other races. It has been thought by many that the system of government by protectorate which has been established in the Malayan peninsula should be applied by the United States to the Philippine islands.

But the commission is not of the opinion that such a protectorate is desirable. The idea of a protectorate entertained by the insurgent leaders, under which they should enjoy all the powers of an independent sovereign government, and the Americans should assume all obligations to foreign nations for their good use of those powers, would create an impossible situation for the United States.

Seven Lives Lost.

Brownsville, Tex., Feb. 3.—Schooner M. Innis, from Galveston for Brazos and Santiago, was wrecked on the Mexican coast. Seven lives were lost.

STAPLES HARDEN IN VALUE.

Weather Has Considerable Influence on General Trade—Failures Few and Small.

New York, Feb. 3.—Bradstreet's says: Weather influences have played no small part in the general trade situation, and yet some of the unquestionable improvement in tone can hardly be charged to the more seasonable weather experienced. Whatever the causes, however, and they have been diverse, the fact remains that a number of staples, no less than speculative securities, have hardened in value during the week. Anthracite coal, prices in which have begun to drop because of the open winter, has been perceptibly braced. The influence of colder weather, too, is perceptible in the wheat market, much of the winter crop being unprotected by snow. Other influences for strength in this market have been the representations as to foreign crops, the Argentine plague and stronger European advices.

Among products not affected by current weather conditions might be mentioned cotton, which, owing largely to better foreign buying and the reported abandonment of extremely large English crop estimates, has reached the highest point for a number of years.

There is little comfort to the hopers for lower prices in the reports from the iron trade.

In General distributive trade the reports for January vary with the branches of trade concerned. Retail distribution was undoubtedly unfavorably effected by mild weather and stocks of retailers in some sections of the country are reported large. On spring account, however, the January business appears to have been in a high degree satisfactory, shipments from leading centers being much heavier than in January a year ago, whatever complaints were received of backward new business being attributed to earlier buying having anticipated the regular season.

Woolen goods are holding the advances recently asked, and raw wool is firm, though sales are smaller than for some weeks past.

The cotton goods situation remains apparently a strong one. Backward deliveries are still complained of by converters, and the jobbing business in spring cottons is a good one.

The current demand for shoes remains quiet. Weather conditions have been against a large distribution of winter footwear, but eastern manufacturers are represented busy on new goods. Leather is dull, but hides are no weaker.

Failures are few and liabilities are small. The total number of failures in the United States during January was 1122; liabilities aggregate $10,180,879. Assets aggregated only 40 percent of liabilities and were 39 percent smaller than in January a year ago.

Business failures for the week number only 171, as compared with 207 in this week a year ago, 293 in 1898.

Funds Have Given Out.

New York, Feb. 3.—After a life of nearly four years, the United States Church Army, a Protestant Episcopal organization, has reached the end of its career. The lay director of the army, General Hadley, has resigned, and his resignation has been accepted by the church army commission. The direct cause of the disbandment of the army is stated to be a lack of funds. It is known, however, that opposition was shown to the movement by prominent members of the Episcopal church.

An Unexpected Assault.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 3.—A serious stabbing affair occurred here last night, in which John Welch nearly lost his life. Welch occupies a room in a down-town block and was in bed when he heard someone coming up the stairs and kicking at his door. He got up and went out to see what the trouble was, and in the dark passage was cut over the left eye by a knife in the hands of Eugene Blake. Blake was drunk and probably did not realize what he was doing.

Byers Had the Advantage.

Lynn, Mass., Feb. 3.—At the Kirkland Athletic club last night George Byers of Boston and George Gardner of Lowell boxed 15 rounds for the middleweight championship of New England. Although at the end of the time Byers had a decided advantage, the contest was declared a draw, under the rule that such should be the decision in case both men were in the ring at the end of the 15th round.

Concessions on Both Sides.

Indianapolis, Feb. 3.—After a joint conference lasting nearly two weeks, the delegates from the United Mine Workers of America and the Inter-state Operators' association finally adopted a scale last night which is a compromise between the first demand of the former and the first offer of the latter.

Burns Men Staid Away.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 3.—Thomas R. Bard of Ventura was nominated for United States senator last night by a rump caucus, composed of 54 Republican members of the legislature. The followers of R. M. Burns, numbering 31, refused to go to the caucus, as Bard's selection seemed certain.

A Sensational Announcement.

New York, Feb. 3.—Dr. Albert S. Ashmead, one of the best known leperologists in the country, says that there are at least 100 lepers in this city. They are scattered all around.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mrs. Annie Wittemeyer, famous as an army nurse during the Civil war, and known throughout the country as an authoress and lecturer, died at Sanatoga, Pa., aged 72 years.

A new coast line is contemplated from Boston to Eastport, Me., to be known as the Boston and Maine Steamship company. The City of Fitchburg will be one of the boats and Bar Harbor will be a port of call.

The oil tank steamer Luserna, 28 days from Shields, for Philadelphia, put in at Halifax with her rudder head broken. She met with terrific head gales and high seas.

A charter has been granted by the New Hampshire legislature to start a new savings bank at Nashua, which will be known as the Citizens' Institution of Savings.

FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

The Busy Beaver.

We have all of us at some time or other watched a water rat (which is not a rat at all, as a matter of fact, and does not belong to the rodent tribe) at work at the side of some lake or stream. Very like him in his mode of working is the beaver, and it is little short of marvelous how a colony of these creatures will change the whole



A COLONY OF BEAVERS.

aspect of a riverside wood in less than a month's time. They will gnaw down large trees, set them afloat and then ingeniously push and drag them across a stream which they may wish, for certain purposes of their own, to dam up. The habitations they construct out of branches of trees, gnawed to a uniform length, are very extraordinary. With such skill in using their teeth on the trees, it is hardly needful to say that they are terribly destructive neighbors in young plantations, and they are trapped without mercy. Their skins are of some value and are largely used by English manufacturers.—Chatterbox.

Mabel and the Fairy.

There was a frown on Mabel's fair forehead as she sat on the wide window sill, her geometry open before her. She had planned to go to school early that she might ask her teacher to help her with a problem. But the snow was falling fast, and she must wait until she could catch a ride. "Of course," she said petulantly, "I shall not be able to get there in time to ask professor's assistance, and I shall miss in my lessons." "What troubles you, dear?" asked the sweetest of little voices. Just outside the window pane stood a wee fairy. Mabel had read of fairies, but she had never seen one, and now she was so dazed that the fairy had to motion to her twice before she could make her raise the window. Mabel explained her difficulty, and the fairy, quietly saying, "Yes, dear, I have come to help you," began touching the refractory figures and letters with a tiny silver wand. Mabel looked on too fascinated to speak, for they at once began to take their proper places, and the hardest problem she had had lay worked out before her and proved. "Oh, I see it now," exclaimed Mabel, "and I thank"— "Say, Mabel, I'm going over to town, after all. If you want to ride as far as the schoolhouse, get your things on quick." The big brother shut the door as suddenly as he had opened it, and Mabel turned to complete her sentence of thanks to the fairy. The little visitor was gone, but on the window sill, just where she had stood, lay a wonderfully large pure white snowflake.—Anna Quick.

The Answer.

He sat on my knee at evening,
The boy who is "half past three,"
And the clear blue eyes from his sun browned face
Smiled happily up to me.
I held him close as the twilight fell
And called him "my dear little son,"
Then I said: "I have wondered for many days
Where it is that my baby's gone.

"I'd a baby once in a long white gown,
Whom I rocked just as I do you;
His hair was soft as yellow silk,
And his eyes were like violets blue;
His little hands were like pink tipped flowers;
See, yours are so strong and brown.
He has slipped away and is lost, I fear;
Do you know where my baby's gone?"

Did my voice half break as the thoughts would come
Of the sweet and sacred days
When motherhood's first joys were mine?
Was a shade of regret on my face?
For close round my neck crept a sturdy arm,
And the boy who is "half past three"
Said: "The baby, he went to Boyland.
And—didn't you know? He's me!"

—Ida R. Smith in Christian Register.

Smart, but Slangy.

There is a bright little page at the capitol who is undergoing his first experience as a wage earner. He is as sharp as a brier and quick at retort. The other night at dinner his sister and his mother were jollying the little fellow about the disposition of his first month's wages. His sister said that on pay day she intended to stick to him closer than a brother.

"No," said the mother; "on pay day you will see me walking down the avenue holding on to his arm"—

"Holding on to my leg, you mean," said the boy quick as a flash.—Washington Star.

Confident About Himself.

A father who was going away on business called his eldest little boy to him and said: "Johnnie, while I'm away I want you to take great care of mother. I leave her in your charge."

That night when Johnnie knelt at his mother's knee saying his evening prayer he said as usual: "Please, Lord, bless grandmamma and take care of her, bless father and take care of him, but you needn't trouble about mother, because I'm going to take care of her."

A Famous Clock.

The famous clock in the Palais de Justice in Paris dates from 1370 and is the work of the celebrated De Vick, whose turret clocks are the earliest on reliable record. The carved figures of Piety and Justice and the angels supporting the royal coat of arms were executed by Germaine Pilon. It is believed that it was the bell of this clock that rang the signal for the massacre of St. Bartholomew in 1572.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

(Subject to change without notice.)

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs, c, Atlantic, d, Neponset, e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	41	32	25	16	27
Monday,	41	44	28	20	30
Tuesday,	30	52	28	11	26
Wednesday,	39	28	25	34	33
Thursday,	20	34	20	32	30
Friday,	20	33	27	18	35
Saturday,	21	25	34	22	33

New Advertisements Today.

L. M. Pratt & Co.—Swansdown Flour.
Compositors Wanted—Male or Female.
Miss C. S. Hubbard—Choice Bargains.
Guy's Coliseum—Oil Heater.

Good Afternoon.

Quincy was not the only place where the loss by fire was above the average during 1899. Only two years in the last ten show a greater damage in Boston, than 1899, when the loss was $1,674,205.05. The heaviest loss was in April, and March came next.

Is it policy for some of the churches to antagonize a large number of their congregation on communion Sunday? Many do not care to stop to communion, and it is not pleasant to "steal out." We know it to be a fact that some do not go to church on communion Sunday because of the existing plan to merge one service into another.

Can it be averted? There certainly should be an attempt made to avert the impending strike of the granite cutters. Mr. Miller in his communication of yesterday takes too much for granted which is not characteristic of a man determined to accomplish a settlement. The Cutters' Union requested over a month ago that the bill of prices or agreement be readjusted. Have the manufacturers made any reply to the communication? We think not. But they might have said that the demand was out of the question even if they submitted no proposition. The constitution of the Union should not be a bugaboo. It is possible to amend it, and the cutters will do it, if it is shown to be for their best interests. There should be an early conference.

The movement of Cambridge in the Legislature, to have the State pay to cities and towns taxes that might be assessed on college property, seems short sighted and unnecessary. What would Cambridge be without Harvard? The business interests and the taxpayers of Cambridge certainly ought not to complain. Business is better and property is worth more. Students and visitors expend considerable money in Cambridge, and more than offset the loss because of the exemption of college property from taxation. Quincy would be willing to exempt Harvard property from taxation if the university was moved to this city. The city is not so grasping that it wants someone to pay taxes on the Adams Academy or Woodward Institute, and we do not believe Braintee would consent to the removal of Thayer academy to some other town that it might tax the property now owned by the academy.

The easier condition of the money market is noted this week, and is welcome news. Henry Clews of the New York banking house explains it in part in his weekly letter. He says, "When the South African war broke out money was very active and scarce here, caused by the drain for crop-moving purposes and to pay for sales of stocks on London account, so that we were threatened with the taking away of our gold in payment therefor. The war was then considered a bad thing for us for that reason. Now that London has no longer an important quantity of our stocks in speculative hands that can be dumped upon us and the money for moving the crops has returned to this centre, instead of the South African war hereafter being any detriment to us its effect will be the reverse. As an evidence of this, a large number of English agents are now in the West buying up all the mules and horses they can get, and large orders for war supplies are also in all our markets, and the longer the war lasts the longer will we be called upon to furnish them. Therefore, the South African war will henceforth be an absolute benefit to our producers, to our transportation companies and to our merchants."

Drift of Opinion.

☞ The London Times has come to the conclusion that the worst disaster since Yorktown now awaits the British army in South Africa. It is not safe to underrate the prowess even of "a set of farmers" fighting for a principle and for their homes.—Milford Journal.

☞ A trying age for the church! is the moan of many; but rather, I think is it a glorious age for the church—an age of unparallel opportunity of making speedy and honorable amends to science for having trespassed wilfully these many centuries on her field of activity, and of devoting heart and soul henceforth to the high and God-like mission of interpreting the divine dreams of the human soul, and of mediating to men the comforts and the completeness of that Christ who is the same yesterday, today, and forever.—David S. Muzzey in the Outlook.

☞ The free raw material cry was made with great enthusiasm at the time of the discussion of the Wilson bill. Under it, the free traders said, manufacturing would prosper wondrously for manufacturers could get their imported material free of any duty. As a matter of fact, laying theories aside, what happened under the low tariff law then enacted, as compared with under the protective measure which displaced it? According to the figures of the treasury department, in 1899 manufacturers increased their importations of raw materials for use in manufacturing 65 per cent. over the last year under the Wilson law, while exports of manufactures increased 50 per cent. over the last year of the Wilson law.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞ The latest manufactured attempt to create feeling against Germany, and thereby turn the tide of disaproval of England's course in South Africa, is altogether to thin to accomplish the desired object. Nobody is deceived by such roorbacks.—Lynn Item.

Summer Street Bridge.

The building of the Summer street extension bridge, spanning the tracks of the eastern division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad in South Boston, is being rapidly pushed forward. It is an immense undertaking, calling for great engineering skill.

By decree of the superior court, acting on the report of a special commission appointed in March, 1897, the New York, New Haven & Hartford is to build the bridge over its land, including the abutments, and the city of Boston shall do all the other work required. By this last clause is meant the construction of bridges over A, B, and C streets and such grading as is necessary for the approaches at either end of the proposed thoroughfare. The decree also provides that the expense of all the work shall be borne by the commonwealth, the city of Boston and the New York, New Haven & Hartford company in this proportion; State 31 per cent. city of Boston 30 per cent. railroad 39 per cent. In the construction of the bridge over its tracks the railroad company is ful filling its part of the agreement to furnish a grade crossing as required by law.

The bridge when completed will consist of four great spans, extending from the Boston wharf company's property near A street on the west to B street on the east. The bridge is being constructed in two sections. The southern side is the one under construction at present and has a roadway 40 feet wide and a wide sidewalk built along that side of the ridge. The northern half will be a duplicate of the southern, the total width of the bridge being about 100 feet. The bridge has abutments at both ends, and the spans crosssing the railroad track are supported where they intersect by steel piers some four feet thick, resting on a bed of solid granite blocks.

The first span is a short one, being only about 100 feet in length. Spans 2, 3 and 4 are all about the sama length, each averaging about 200 feet in length. The entire length of the bridge is about 700 feet. It is 19 feet from the track surface to the bottom of the bridge.

—Lawyer H. W. Chaplin, assignee of the John P. Squire Company, is authority for the statement that if President Downer of the Broadway National Bank had backed up the statements which Cashier Curtiss made to Bank Examiner Wing on the eve of the failure of the bank, and which since proved to be true, the failure would have been averted.

A Card.

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S. F. COPELAND.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Mayor Hall Appoints Two Doctors This Year.

A Ward Six Man For Sewer Commissioner.

Appointment of City Engineer Will Come on Monday.

The question as to who would receive the appointment of Sewer Commissioner and Board of Health has frequently been asked during the past few weeks, and as the time approached for the new officials to assume office considerable interest has been manifested. The matter was settled this morning when Mayor Hall announced the following appointments:

Sewer Commissioner for three years, ex-Councilman Frank E. Badger of Ward Six.

Board of Health,—Dr. Charles W. Garey, John S. Gay and Dr. Thomas J. Dion.

Inspector of Milk,—Dr. Henry C. Hallowell.

The latter appointment must be confirmed by the City Council.

Mayor Hall has practically settled upon the gentleman for City Engineer, but was not ready to announce it this morning. The appointment will, however, be sent to the City Council Monday evening.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Slowly rising temperature is predicted.

Little Marie Bryant of South street is slowly recovering from diphtheria.

There will be a vesper service at First church on Sunday at four o'clock.

Probation officer Francis A. Spear has been a little under the weather for the past two days.

E. H. Doble & Co. commenced Friday to cut ice. It is between seven and eight inches.

A list of the School Committees of Quincy for fifty or more years will be one of the features of the annual school report.

The Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Republic propose to petition the legislaturet to make the Seventeenth of June a State holiday.

Several persons were seen riding bicycles on the State road on Weymouth today. It seems rather singular to see people enjoying that sport at this time of year.

The Meadow Brook Ice Co. have about nine inches of ice on their pond. They will probably commence work upon it today. It takes six days for them to fill their houses.

Today will wind up the services of most of ex-mayor Keith's officials. The new men come in Monday morning. Today therefore will be a clearing up day in most of the departments.

The cold wave continues, which is much more healthful than when the weather is changeable. The mild days in January were productive of much sickness, but if the present cold wave continues, as predicted, sickness will diminish.

The Quincy & Boston cars which were damaged by fire have been undergoing repairs at the Lynn and Lowell shops and are about ready to be returned. They have all been made over into vestibules. Before the month is out, nothing but vestibule cars will be in use in Quincy.

Amnada Johnson, a domestic employed at the residence of George A. Loring, at Wollaston, was taken violently insane this morning. The police were notified and Inspector McKay brought her to Quincy in a carriage Drs. Welch and Jones examined her this noon, and as she had then quieted down considerable she will not be sent away at present. As far as known the unfortunate girl has ne relatives in this country.

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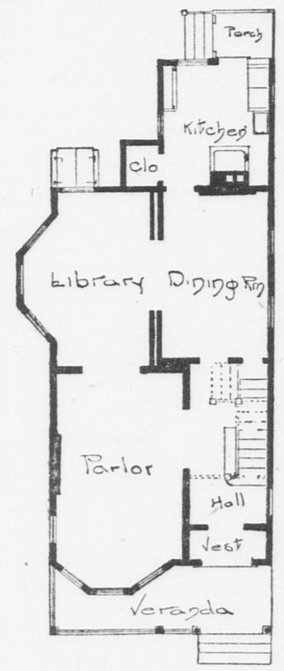
The elegant and commodious house shown in this design is suitable for a large family in good circumstances. It is handsomely finished, convenient and con-



FRONT ELEVATION.

tains ten rooms of good size. No house in these days should be built without modern conveniences for bathing, and fine accommodations for this necessity of daily life are provided in this excellent plan. The architect who plans, if he be competent, always has in view a color scheme for the finished product of his brain, and the builder is wise who follows the architect's instructions as to the painting of his home.

This is an elegant home. It has ten large rooms and a bathroom that is fit for a king. The bathroom has a tile floor and tile wainscoting five feet high on all the walls. The woodwork is finished in white enamel. The fixtures are all open set, with nickel trimming. The tub is

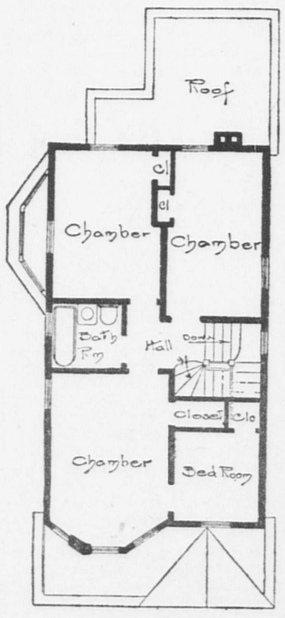


FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

porcelain enameled, with nickel legs, and is handsomely decorated with scroll work in gold.

The hall on the first floor is very beautifully arranged. It has quartered oak paneling 4 feet 6 inches high along the walls and up the string of the stairs. The stairs are built of oak. The walls of the hall, parlor and library are covered with red cartridge paper, with a handsome frieze and picture molding. The hall is 7 feet wide by 14 feet deep. An ornamental grille with portieres separates the hall from the parlor.

The parlor is 11 feet wide by 19 feet deep and has four large windows. The library is a pleasant room with a large



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

bay window. It is 11 feet wide by 15 feet long and is separated from the dining room by sliding doors.

The dining room is 11 feet wide by 15 feet long. The kitchen is 10 feet by 11 feet, is fitted with all the modern fixtures and is provided with a large dish closet.

The four bedrooms on the second floor are all large, and each room is provided with a large closet. The attic has two finished rooms and a storeroom. The outside appearance of this house could be made very beautiful by painting it as follows: The body of the house a very light yellow, with white trimming, and the main roof and the roof of the piazza a green creosote stain. Cost to build complete, $2,400.



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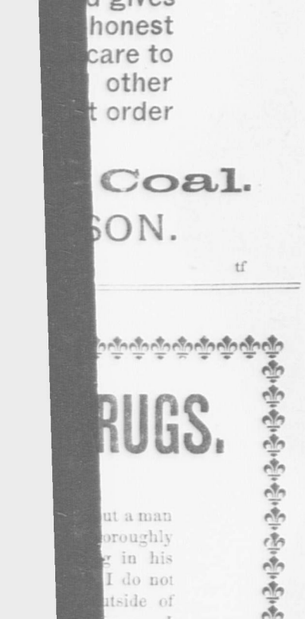
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10-yd. Pieces Fruit of the Loom Cotton, This Sale, **5c** per yd
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40-in. Brown Sheeting, 8c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
42-in Bleached Pillow Cotton, 8c. goods, This Sale, **6c** per yd
5c. White Domet Flannel, This Sale, **3c** per yd
8c. White Domet Flannel, This Sale, **5c** per yd
3,000 yds. Fancy Outing Flannel, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **8c** per yd
33c. Eider Down Flannel, all colors, This Sale, **25c** per yd
5c. Brown Twill Crash, This Sale, **1c** per yd.
5c. Merrimac and American Prints, This Sale, **3c** per yd
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36-in. 10 and 8c. Percale, This Sale, **5c** per yd

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25 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 25c. Goods. This Sale, **15c** each
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25 doz. Men's Wool Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 75c. goods. This Sale, **39c** each

Ladies' Print Wrappers.

25 doz. Best Goods, always sold for 89c., 79c. and 69c. FOR THIS SALE, **50c.**
$1.00 Wrappers, This Sale, **75c**
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16 in 10c. Goods, This Sale, **5c**
18 in 15c. Goods, This Sale, **8c**
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25 doz. NIGHT ROBES, 75c. Goods, This Sale, **39c**
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50c. Corsets, This Sale, **35c**
75c. Corsets, This Sale, **60c**
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KITCHEN FURNISHINGS of every description in our basement at prices for this sale cut way down.

The regular 10c. Hump, Hook and Eye. This Sale **5c**
All Sizes, Black and Silver.
Smallwares, full assortment, also at cut prices.
100 yds. best Sewing Silk, **8c**
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Boots, Shoes and Rubbers for Men, Women and Children for this Sale CUT WAY DOWN.

Ladies' Storm Rubbers, 50c. Low Rubbers, 40c. Children's Storm, 40c.

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THE SOCIAL REALM.

(Continued from page 1.)

A Valentine hunt is a good game for a childrens' Valentine party. It should be given early in the evening, as it removes shyness and establishes good fellowship. Hide as many small valentines as there are children, and give five minutes to hunt for them. Those finding more than one should put the extra ones on a table, and the children not finding any are then blindfolded and allowed to draw one each.

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Mr. A. L. Hood formerly of Quincy, gave a recital at Hyde Park Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Norwood.

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Mrs. Theophilus King has issued invitations to the Boys' Temperance Brigade for a social frolic next Monday evening.

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Mrs. Albert E. Avery of Braintree is confined to the house and under the care of Dr. Tinkham.

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The only soccial function which has been held in Norfolk Downs this winter was of a private dancing party in the Norfolk Downs hall last evening and which was a very enjoayble affair. It was under the management of Mr. Stephen Edwards, Jr., assisted by Mrs. E. Thorpe and Mrs. George D. Emerson. The music was furnished by Robinson's orchestra. Dancing continued until midnight. Some of those present were: Councilman Walter P. Hill and wife, Ex-Councilman Herbert S. Barker, Councilman Frank Badger, Councilman William Gassett and wife, Mr. James and wife, Mr. Shaw and wife, Mr. Perkins and wife, Mr. Gardner and wife, Mr. Hilderbrand and wife, Mr. Loud and wife, Mr. Thorpe and wife, Mr. Emerson and wife, Mr. I. Langelier and wife, Mr. P. Hall, Mr. Harry Wilder, Mr. Walter Young, Mr. H. French, Mr. J. E. Poland, Mr. P. Barry, Mr. A. Johnson, Mrs. Styles, Miss Atwood, Miss W. Jones, Miss W. Seaman, Miss M. Wilder, Miss F. Talyor, Miss A. Wilson, Miss K. Connors, Miss G. Munier, Mrs. George Varney, Mrs. Jardiner.

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The Sabbath School of the East Braintree M. E. church will give a reception to its members and friends Friday evening, Feb. 9th. There will be an interesting programme followed by social hour an refreshments. Printed invitations are being sent out. All who have ever been members of the school are invited to be present. Any one who wishes to give a book to help renew the library, their gift will be appreciated.

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There were nineteen tables at play at the fortnightly whist party of the City Band society at their rooms at 41 School street last evening. The first prize, a silver and glass water pitcher, went to Miss McCarthy, and Mrs. Roderick McLennan took the second prize, an ink stand. The gentlemen's prizes went to Stephen Tinney and William Fife, an inkstand and a necktie.

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Master Winslow Sears is making rapid progress toward recovery at the City Hospital.

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E. Landis Snyder, organist at Christ church has declined the call to Grace church, New Bedford. He will remain with Christ church and also accept the offer of the rector of St. Paul's church, Brockton, to become visiting choir master to that parish at a salary of $300. Mr. Snyder will go to Brockton Mondays and Thursdays.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Edward Phelan was called and he paid a fine of $5.

The continued case of Daniel Cronin was called and again continued until Monday.

Prophecies Refuted.

When the Boston Sunday Journal began giving its readers regularly each week a bound 48-page magazine there were many who said that the paper could not afford to continue a feature evidently so expensive. Notwithstanding these predictions, the New England Home Magazine continues to go regularly with the Boston Sunday Journal, and events have proved the wisdom of the policy it represents. The circulation of the Boston Sunday Journal was never so great before as it is today and — what is even more to the point — it is constantly increasing. Announcement is just made that arrangements have been concluded for a number of short stories by many of the best American and English authors, and these are to begin at once. They include such writers as G. A. Henty, Justin McCarthy, Stephen Crane, David Cristie Murray, William Le Queux, John Strange Winter, and S. Baring Gould.

—The young people are having their fill of skating this week, and do not seem to mind the cold.

DIED.

HARNISH—In Braintree, Feb. 1, Harriet N., daughter of Mr. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Annie Harnish, aged 2 months.

SHAW—In Braintree, Feb. 1, Mrs. Nancy T., widow of Mr. Warren Shaw, aged 94 years, 4 months and 9 days.

SPEAKING CONTEST.

Rivalry of two Braintree Schools Decided Last Night.

The Monatiquot school will hold the beautiful banner, for the first year, after which another contest will perchance land it in some other grammar school of this town. Only by two-tenths of a per cent. were the grammarians of the Jonas Perkins school the losers.

The long talked of speaking contest between pupils of the grammar grades of the Jonas Perkins and Monatiquot schools was held before a very large and appreciative audienee in the Jonas Perkins school hall on Friday evening. The interest of the occasion was the award of an elegant banner to be presented by the J. P. S. A. to the school furnishing the pupils whose percentage in the contest ranked highest in declamation, composition, sight reading and spelling.

The banner is 24 by 36 inches of regulation blue banner silk, handsomely trimmed with gilt lace, fringe, cord and tassels, and suspended from a beautiful brass mounted pole bearing the following inscription, elegantly wrought in old gold:

This banner is to be the object of a yearly contest for the purpose of stimulating greater interest in our schools in the departments mentioned.

The judges chosen for declamation and sight reading were Albert E. Avery, Esq., Mrs. George W. Stevens.

For compositions, Miss Ella W. Sheppard, Mrs. Atherton H. Hunt and Rev. W. H. Alexander.

The following was the programme of the evening:

Piano solo,	Miss Avery
Speech,	Mr. West
Soprano solo,	Miss Black
Recitation,	Miss McCab
Recitation,	George Billings
Recitation,	Olive Horte
Declamation,	Ferdon Shaw
Banjo solos,	Master Beals
Sight reading,	Miss Black
Sight reading,	Donald McClellan
Sight reading.	Margaret Crocker
Sight reading,	Cleveland Palmer
Song,—"Shepherd Boy,"	9 Girl
Composition,—"What I would do with $10,'	Miss O'Rourke, J. P.
Composition,—"Visit to Rome,"	Miss Hazel Barney, Monatiquot
Soprano solos,	Miss Black
Banjo solos,	Master Beals
Spring song,	9 Young Ladies

The following is the percentage awarded each school:

	Jonas Perkins.	Monatiquot.
Compositions,	87 4-10	85 2-10
Spelling,	72 1-10	64 1-10
Declamations,	70	77 5-0
Sight reading,	77	80 7-10
Average,	766-10	75 8-10

The spelling was previously considered in the schools by Dr. Prince.

Cochato Club.

The Directors of the Club held their first meeting in the reception hall of the club house on the evening of January 26, and elected the following members of the Club.

Mrs. Sarah R. Morrison,
Miss Helen W. Arnold,
Mrs. Nora A. Wallis,
Miss Emma L. Stetson,
Joseph S. Hilliard,
Henry W. Davenport,
Charles F. Howe,
Albert P. Worthen,
Lewis E. Tilden,
Charles A. Clapp,
Wendell B. Clapp,
Walter F. Larkin,
John A. Barbour,
George H. Wilde.

The actual membership of the club is now 140 with good prospects of reaching 175 at least at the dedication of the club house, about March 10. Some already begin to feel that it will be necessary soon to establish a reasonable limit of membership.

The dedication of the club house was discussed at length and it was decided to hold a joint meeting of the directors and house committee at the club house next Tuesday evening to decide upon the form of dedication.

Mr. George H. Holbrook, the builder, is pushing the work of finishing the house with great vigor with a large force of carpenters. He intends to have the house finished ready for dedication and use before March 1.

Mr. S. A. Neal has determined the location of the three bowling alleys, and the cement foundation for the same has been put in.

The large brick mantel which Mr. A. A. Cook, of Mount Vernon avenue, has just finished putting up in the reception hall is a piece of artistic furnishing of unusual value. It will be in harmony with an elegant room elegantly furnished.

Representatives of a Boston paper were in town Thursday offering as high as $15 for a photograph of Mrs. W. R Taylor.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James Needham to Edward Billings, dated January 28, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds Book 807, Page 382, and for breach of the condition of same will be sold at public auction on MONDAY, the nineteenth day of February, A. D., 1900, at four o'clock in the afternoon, upon the premises described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, viz:

A certain piece of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the City of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the easterly side of Howard street, and being a part of land shown on a plan drawn by Whitman & Breck of land owned by E. C. Sargent, dated 1881, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, said land is described as follows: Commencing on the easterly side of Howard street, at that point where the land of Murdock adjoins that of the late Howard Bills, and running southeasterly on said Bills' land, also land of Culver, 282 feet; thence northeasterly on other land of said Murdock, 127 1-2 feet to Bent's Creek; thence along said creek, 157 feet; thence southwesterly 58 1-2 feet on other land of said Murdock; thence southeasterly on land of Newcomb, 34 1-2 feet; thence southwesterly on said Newcomb's land, 75 1-2 feet; thence northwesterly on said Newcomb's land, 176 feet to Howard street; thence southwesterly on said street about 15 feet to the point of beginning, being the same property conveyed to Alfred Pinel by deed of Jane Murdock, dated July 30, 1895, and subject to the restrictions therein contained and including also the engine and boiler now situated in said building.

Terms will be announced at time and place of sale.

HARLOW H. ROGERS,
Assignee of said mortgage.
209 Washington St, Room 10, Boston.
Jan. 27. 27-3-10

Administrators' Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed Administrators of the estate of

CHARLES H. HARDWICK,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address) HENRY E. HARDWICK,
C. THEODORE HARDWICK,
Administrators.
Quincy, Mass., Jan 27, 1900. 27-3-10

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in any of the real estate of

MARTHA A. SMITH,

late of Gardiner, Maine, having estate in said County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, Calvin W. Smith of said Gardiner, in the State of Maine, has presented to said Court a petition, representing that he as the husband of said deceased, is interested in the real estate of said deceased lying in this Commonwealth; that the whole of said real estate does not exceed in value the sum of five thousand dollars; and praying that the whole of said real estate which is described in said petition may be assigned and set out to him by the Court, according to law.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the seventh day of February, A. D., 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested who can be found within the Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court; and if any one cannot be so found, by publishing the same in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, once in each week for three successive weeks, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
Jan. 20-3t 20-27-3

A LAUGH IN CHURCH.

She sat on the sliding cushion,
The dear, wee woman of four,
Her feet, in their shiny slippers,
Hung dangling over the floor.
She meant to be good—she had promised—
And so, with her big, brown eyes,
She stared at the meeting house windows
And counted the crawling flies.

She looked far up at the preacher,
But she thought of the honeybees
Droning away at the blossoms
That whitened the cherry trees;
She thought of a broken basket
Where, curled in a dusky heap,
Three sleek, round puppies with fringy ears
Lay snuggled and fast asleep.

Such soft, warm bodies to cuddle;
Such queer little hearts to beat;
Such swift, round tongues to kiss;
Such sprawling, cushiony feet!
She could feel in her clasping fingers
The touch of the satiny skin
And a cold, wet nose exploring
The dimples under her chin.

Then a sudden ripple of laughter
Ran over the parted lips
So quick that she could not catch it
With her rosy finger tips.
The people whispered, "Bless the child!"
As each one waked from a nap,
But the dear, wee woman hid her face
For shame in her mother's lap.

—Pittsburg Times.

DYING LIKE A GENTLEMAN

A Story of Australian Gold Hunters.

A dozen men sat around a campfire alongside the trail which led from Hope Valley to Woona Walla.

The trail was 300 miles long and ran up hill and down, over plain and through scrub and now and then crossed a river or climbed a mountain.

The feet of 3,000 Australian gold hunters, accompanied for half the distance by wagons and pack horses, had left such a plain road behind that the next 3,000 could not go astray.

At no point on the trail could a dozen worse men have been picked out than the 12 who sat around Jim Agnew's campfire. They had banded together because they were bad. Had they traveled singly they would have fared badly at the hands of the crowd.

At 9 o'clock at night, with every man ripe for mischief from the liquor he had imbibed, the camp had a caller—two of them.

A man turned in from the trail and passed the fire and halted in the midst of the quarreling gang and dropped a burden from his back. It was a little girl 7 or 8 years old and sound asleep.

He pulled a blanket from under a man and spread it out to make a bed for the child, and he tucked her up with tender hand before he straightened up and looked about him and said:

"I carried her on my back from Sydney to Hope Valley, and, finding the rush on, I'm bound for Woona Walla."

"And who may you be?" queried Jim Agnew of the stranger.

"A gentleman, sir, or the wreck of a gentleman," was the reply. "You can call me Scott."

"And is this your child?"

"No, sir; daughter of my ex-partner, Mr. Joe Taylor. He was another wreck of a gentleman. She was motherless, and when he died a few weeks ago he left her in my charge. Couldn't refuse to take her, sir—no gentleman could. Very interesting young person; bound to make a lady if properly reared and educated. She'll be waking up directly, and then we'll thank you for a bite to eat."

It was bearding the lion in his den. After two or three minutes the men recovered from their feeling of astonishment, and then there was resentment at the cool and nervy way their camp had been invaded.

The man before them was ragged and unkempt, and dissipation was to be read in every line of his face, but yet instinct told them that he was not of their ilk.

No matter what he was now, he had one day been a gentleman. There were mutterings and threats, and presently Jim Agnew said:

"Say, I've heard of you! You are Scott, the gambler. You used to hang out at Red Hills."

"Your information is correct, sir. I used to be a gentleman. Then I was Scott, the gambler. At present I am Scott, the wreck of a gentleman and guardian of that child. Quite correct, sir."

"Hang your gentleman business!" shouted Jim as his temper began to boil up. "Say, boys, let's chip in and buy the kid. Mebbe she'll bring more luck than a humpback."

"Yes; let's buy the kid!" shouted half a dozen men in chorus.

"Gentlemen," said the gambler as he waved his hand toward the girl, who had been awakened by the shouts, "permit me to introduce Miss Ethel Taylor of Sydney, daughter of Mr. Joseph Taylor, deceased, ex-convict, gambler, sharper and bad 'un generally. In dying he left her in charge of his partner, the wreck of a gentleman, who has now been a day and a half without food, but who wouldn't sell out his trust for all the gold in Australia."

"You'd better take a walk!" exclaimed Agnew after a long look at the gambler.

"After the girl has eaten, sir," was the quiet reply.

"The girl stays here."

"Not unless I am dead."

The man Agnew backed off a few feet and pulled a revolver from his belt and raised his arm until the muzzle was on a line with the gambler's right eye. The arm rested there, and as his fingers curled around the trigger he said:

"I'll give you till I count five."

"My dear Ethel, good night and goodby," said Scott as he half turned and lifted his ragged cap to the girl.

She did not rise up nor call out. Agnew meant to kill the man before him if he did not move off, but after his words to the girl his arm slowly fell. There was silence for a minute, and then the boss of the gang said:

"Cuss me, but you've got nerve! Sit down with the gal and fill up."

It was accounted a strange thing with the "rushers" to see a little girl among that band of "bad 'uns," each taking turn and turn about to carry her on his back, and both guardian and ward found themselves among friends.

Indeed before the new diggings were reached Jim Agnew and Scott were accounted "partners." It was stranger yet that little Ethel had a liking for Jim.

At Woona Walla the child shared the tent or shanty with the two men. Child though she was, Scott treated her with almost as much formality as if she had been a girl of 20.

Agnew treated her as a child, and, though his ways were rough and his speech shocked her at times, he won her heart more than the other.

Disappointment awaited hundreds of the rushers to Woona Walla. One night, tired and discouraged, the two men sat smoking their pipes in silence for an hour, while the child played about or watched them and wondered if they had quarreled. By and by Scott looked up quietly and said:

"Jim, we are downed here."

"For sure," was the reply.

"Let's move on."

"Where?"

"Up the creek, down, over the hills, anywhere for her sake. I'm down to stay down, and the end is not far away, but I'd like to make a stake for her."

In the gray of the morning they took their way over the hills, one carrying the packs and the other the girl. Fifty miles away, on the banks of Brawling creek, they made a camp and two hours later were prospecting for gold.

They found sufficient to encourage them to persevere, but not in quantities to rejoice over. On the third day the men left the girl asleep and moved farther down the creek.

She awoke and went searching for them up stream. She had walked for a quarter of a mile, calling as she went, when in trying to clamber up a bank she caught at and uprooted a bush.

With the dirt and stones a nugget of gold rolled down into the stream and lay there like a spot of sunshine. An hour later Scott threw down his pick and said:

"Jim, it's the richest spot on the face of the globe. There'll be a rush here, of course, but we'll have our claims entered first. I'll start for Woona Walla within half an hour.

In 30 minutes he was on his way over the hills, and in three days he was back again. It would have been no use to try to hide the new find. He had to state its location in order to file his claim, and the very official who made good his papers was at his heels as he made his way back to camp.

"I've got it," he said to his partner after picking up the girl and kissing her. "Here it is—the 'Ethel claim.' There'll be enough for both of you—aye, enough to make a dozen men rich!"

After supper that night the child climbed upon Scott's knee, and he stroked her hair until she fell asleep. For a long time after he had gently laid her down there was silence between the two men. He was the first to break it by saying:

"Jim, the girl is to go back to Sydney and be brought up a lady."

"Yes," replied Jim.

"Deal square with her and give her half."

"For sure, but where do you come in?"

Scott sat in the door of the shanty, with his face upturned to the full moon. It was three or four minutes before he replied:

"Jim, you can't understand."

"But we've got gold—barrels of gold!"

"And I'm an old man—a drunkard, a gambler, a swindler, a wreck. Money could only bring new vices—new degradations. Can you understand?"

"No, hanged if I can!"

"But you were not born and reared a gentleman. I wanted to make a stake for the girl. I've made it."

"And now what?" asked Jim.

Scott knelt down beside the sleeping child and kissed her. When he arose, he held out his hand to his partner and said:

"Goodby, old man; give her a square divide."

"And you—you"—

"Hush! Don't wake her!"

He passed out into the moonlight and up to the creek. Next morning they found his dead body half a mile beyond the last campfire.

"Yes, he was my partner," said Jim as they called him to look at the dead man.

"And why did he kill himself?"

"Because he couldn't forget that he was once a gentleman."—Philadelphia Press.

Strange Life In Argentina.

Professor Lawrence Bruner, who spent the year 1898 investigating the grasshopper plague in Argentina, says that only Australia could match Argentina in the singularity of its life forms. It is a country where everything protects itself. "The trees have thorns, the grasses and weeds are provided with thorns and sharp blades and herbaceous plants are shielded with burs." Forests exist where rains are scarcest, and natives say that sometimes when heavy rains fall the trees die from too much moisture. Some birds, belonging to the same order as our waterfowl, avoid water. Many Argentina birds possess spurs on their wings.

Accommodating.

"If I give you a slice of bread, will you eat the crust?"

"Yas'm. An ef you gimme piece of cheese, ma'am, I'll eat de rind."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 4—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Things that endure.—Matth. vii, 21-22. (Christian Endeavor day.)

Christian Endeavor is now 19 years of age. It has stood the test of almost a quarter of a century and is still strong and powerful and possesses the characteristics of things that endure. According to the lessons of the topical reference, Christ's closing words in the sermon on the mount, the things that endure possess several characteristics: 1. They must be divinely inspired, being "the will of the Father." 2. They must be founded upon divine principles, upon the rock Christ Jesus. 3. Their purpose must be divine. They must be done unto Christ.

Nineteen years of Christian Endeavor have proved that it possesses these characteristics of endurance.

1. Christian Endeavor was divinely inspired. It is the will of the Father. The providential factor in Christian Endeavor was long emphasized, and it should not be forgotten today. Its rapid growth, its wonderful adaptability to all denominations and to all countries, its marvelous work, all pointed to the fact that it was a movement inspired of God. This is still our belief. And, if divinely inspired, we may believe that it will endure, because it was inspired to meet a need that is ever present in the church.

2. Christian Endeavor is founded upon Divine principles. The Christian Endeavor constitution, the pledge, the consecration service, the committee work, are directly founded upon the word of God, which is not to pass away. It possesses this essential of endurance, and that it may endure these principles need more than ever today to be emphasized. The pledge, the consecration service, the committee work, all need to be revived. A new generation of young people has arisen who need to know about them, and many who once knew seem to have forgotten. Let us have a revival in Christian Endeavor, a revival of its fundamental principles, which are founded upon God's eternal word, and we will add much to the endurance of the movement.

3. The work of Christian Endeavor is divinely purposed. It is "for Christ and the church." Christ may say to Christian Endeavorers, "Ye did it unto Me," and therefore not only will the movement endure, but the work that it does will find an eternal endurance in the life beyond this world. May this anniversary day become an inspiration to Endeavorers everywhere, and may Christian Endeavor receive a baptism from on high that will give it new confidence in and new zeal for the future.

THE PRAYER MEETING.

If possible, use the United Society's special programme for C. E. day. If not, arrange a special programme, with addresses or papers on these subjects:

1. "The Past of Christian Endeavor."
2. "The Present of Christian Endeavor."
3. "The Future of Christian Endeavor."

Bible Readings.—Ps. ix, 7; lxxii, 17; xc, 1; civ, 31; cxxi, 1-8; Dan. xii, 3; Math. xxiv, 35; Luke vi, 47-49; I Cor. xv, 58; Gal. vi, 9; Jas. i, 9-12; I Pet. i, 3-5, 25; I John iii, 15-17; Rev. ii, 7.

A Church Upside Down.

"At Clapham, in England, there is a bell which bears an inscription, 'God save the Church.' But through some blunder the word 'church' is upside down. The blunder is, unfortunately, suggestive as to the real state of affairs in many churches. But the Lord is a lover of order, and the thing to do is not alone to pray, 'God save the church,' but also to entreat that God will save it from being upside down."

Perhaps the reader has seen some such churches—he may belong to one for that matter. An "upside down" church may be described as follows: It has a membership that belongs to business, pleasure and the like rather than to the Lord. It has a lot of empty seats, a lot of unpaid dues on its record books, a lot of members fighting with each other, a lot of societies for the running of entertainments and for the prevention of duty to the church. It has a Sunday school that belongs to some individual rather than to the congregation, a church council that looks to the pastor for the transaction of its business and an organist and choir that are interested more in performances than in worship. Is your church one of that kind?—New York Observer.

Religion In Japan.

The religious condition of Japan is something remarkable if an examination of three schools is any indication. Of the 400 students examined, 282 claimed to be agnostics, 60 atheists, 15 Buddhists, 4 Christians, and only one was an adherent of Shintoism. Japan's objection to being called a heathen nation would, according to this, seem to be well founded. In a catalogue of religions it is difficult to say where Japan should be placed, but this examination may serve to show some of the difficulties which Christian missionary laborers in that country will be called upon to meet.—Exchange.

Four Good Thoughts.

Though humanity proves false, God will still be true.

It is hard work making an auger hole with a gimlet.

True principles are as enduring as the throne of God.

The man who walks with God never has to hunt his own road.—Ram's Horn.

Open Doors.

There were never so many open doors to Christianity as now. The young people of today must put the enterprise, enthusiasm, energy, devotion of this aggressive business age into their religion and into their church work and life.—Presbyterian.

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FORES OF MUTTON,	5 cts. lb.	PIGS FEET,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEG and LOIN LAMB,	10 cts. lb.	HONEY COMB TRIPE,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
FORES OF LAMB,	6 cts. lb.		
ROAST BEEF,	6 to 12 1-2 cts. lb.	PLAIN TRIPE,	5 cts. lb.
SIRLOIN STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.	FRANKFORTS,	10 cts. lb.
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WILL RESORT TO LAW.

Kentucky Democrats Reaffirm Goebel's Election.

State Is Now on the Verge of a Civil War.

Clash Between Courts and Troops Among the Possibilities.

Doctors Now Declare That Goebel Has Good Prospects of Recovery.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 3.—The Democratic members of the legislature yesterday effected a regular organization for the first time since the swearing in of Governor Goebel. A secret session of the members of both houses was held at the Capitol hotel, at which the election of William Goebel as governor, and J. C. W. Beckham as lieutenant governor, was reaffirmed, first in separate sessions of the house and senate, and afterward in a joint session.



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Preceding this action the members of the senate elected as president pro tem Senator Carter. A committee of members of the house was also appointed to draw up resolutions showing the condition of affairs existing at the state capitol, and covering thoroughly the Democratic side of the controversy. These resolutions will be presented to the next session of the Democratic members of the legislature.

The session, which lasted for nearly two hours, was kept as secret as possible, for fear of possible interference. No further sessions will be held until Monday, an adjournment being taken until that time, and probably no further attempt will be made to hold sessions in the state house.

After ratifying their former action in regard to the governorship and lieutenant governorship, considerable discussion took place as to the plan of action to be taken in regard to the session of the legislature called by Governor Taylor at London next Tuesday. Though none of those who attended the caucus cared to discuss the matter, it seems to be well understood among the members of the legislature that the session at London will be ignored altogether by them, and that no Democrat will attend "until compelled to do so."

It was practically decided that no more formal demands will be made to hold sessions of the legislature in the state house by the Democratic members in a body, who will, however, continue to hold sessions at some convenient place until the political atmosphere has cleared. This plan of action was decided on to forestall any attempt on the part of the Republicans to arrest them and compel their attendance at London, which action, according to the Democratic members, has been determined on by Governor Taylor.

If arrests are attempted, no resistance will be made by the Democrats, either to arrest or to attending the session at London, should they be arrested. It was determined that all acts of violence should be avoided, and that the battle for supremacy hereafter should be fought out in the courts.

Nevertheless the situation is regarded as grave by members of both parties, and no one is willing to forecast the result of the anticipated clash of authority between Governor Taylor and the state courts.

The committee appointed at the afternoon session of the legislature at the Capitol hotel to prepare an address to the public has issued a statement on behalf of the Democratic members of the legislature. It reviews the history of the present crisis and declares that no action has been taken by Democrats inconsistent with lawful, honorable and just methods. Goebel's title to the governorship is as free from a cloud as any governor Kentucky ever had.

It asks the earnest co-operation of the citizens of the state in a peaceful settlement of this conflict by law and through the lawful and constitutional channel—the courts of the state—and says:

"We call upon the people of this state, without regard to party affiliation, to assemble in the various county seats in mass convention and announce whether this conflict shall be settled by law or force."

Lieutenant Governor Beckham is acting governor in place of Governor Goebel. A physician's certificate was made out declaring that Governor Goebel is unable and will for some time be unable to act, and by virtue of this the reins of power are placed in the hands of Lieutenant Governor Beckham, who will exercise all the functions of the position. He will have the power, according to the Democrats, of appointing all officers that are selected by the governor, and he will probably make these appointments without delay.

The first clash between the executive and judicial powers of the state occurred yesterday. A still greater clash is imminent, and beyond the possibility of today lies a sea with so stormy an aspect that no politician of either party can predict where it will carry the Kentucky ship of state.

There is the chance that things will, as Congressman Gayle expresses it, "drift around all right," but there are other chances also. There can no longer be any concealment of the fact that affairs are bordering on a conflict of arms. It may be that the present differences will be settled by the courts, but the hearts of men are hot in Kentucky now and legal process may provide a remedy too dilatory to please a few of the more impatient, and it is in the power of these to create a world of woe at almost any time. The clash of yesterday came when an officer of the circuit court of Franklin county was arrested by the military while attempting to serve notice of a legal proceeding on Governor Taylor. The next clash may come when the officers of that court attempt to enforce the rulings of its presiding judge. Behind this judge the Democrats will have for the first time the active executive head in the person of Acting Governor Beckham, and, from the Democratic standpoint, a regularly appointed adjutant general whose orders the troops now encamped around the capitol building are bound to obey. If they decline to obey the new adjutant general will, the Democrats claim, have the power to organize military forces of his own and proceed against all people who defy the authority of his office and that of the governor of the state, whom he represents.

On the other hand, the Republicans are fixed in their attitude that there is an insurrection in the state; that the actions and orders of Beckham and his adjutant general are those of people acting in opposition to law. They believe that they alone are in the right, and that those who show resistance to the proclamation of Governor Taylor are in rebellion against the commonwealth. They will resist any attempt to remove them from their position around the capitol, meeting force with force, and that means civil war.

The first clash came when Alonzo Walker, a stenographer employed by the Democratic attorneys, was arrested in the capitol grounds, charged with conduct tending to incite mutiny and riot. The conduct consisted in pinning to the door of the private office of Governor Taylor a notice that Democratic attorneys would appear before Judge Cantrell of the circuit court and ask for an injunction restraining Governor Taylor from all interference with the movements of the legislature and from his announced attempt to remove it to London, in this state.

The injunction will be asked for today, and there is no doubt that it will be granted. Judge Cantrell has the reputation of being a man who will attempt by all means in his power to enforce the rulings handed down from his bench. He will most certainly use all the power in his hands to secure the operation of his injunction.

It is certain that the Republicans will pay no attention to Judge Cantrell or his writs. The Democrats claim that the action of the Republicans in arresting Walker while he was attempting to carry out the orders of the court has placed them in contempt of court and they will make all of the point possible.

The condition of Mr. Goebel is considered better than at any time since he was shot. The iron will and the determination of the wounded man that he will not die by an assassin's bullet is, however, still considered the main factor in sustaining him, but the attending physicians, for the first time, hold out some hope for his ultimate recovery.

Governor Goebel secured some sleep yesterday, which increased his strength perceptibly, and though unfavorable symptoms showed themselves at times, the sick man always rallies well. Compared with 24 hours ago his condition shows a decided improvement, his temperature being more nearly normal, though some fever still shows itself. His pulse and respiration are still high, but his kidneys, the condition of which was regarded as the most unfavorable symptom, are performing their functions in a more normal manner, thus obviating in a degree the danger of anaemic poisoning.

Governor Goebel complained of bed soreness, and he was turned partly on his side to relieve the strained muscles. This for a time had an unfavorable effect, but he soon rallied and shortly afterward fell into a light sleep. Physicians express the hope that his recovery, though necessarily slow, will be sure.

Kentucky Must Fight It Out.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Nearly the entire time of the cabinet meeting yesterday was taken up in a discussion of the situation in Kentucky, and the rights and duties of the president in connection therewith. When Senator-elect Blackburn, with four representatives, called to protest against federal interference in Kentucky, the president promptly gave them to understand that he had already reached a conclusion on the subject, and he had found that the situation did not warrant the federal authorities in interfering. The lawyers of the cabinet sustained the president's conclusions. The law which must govern in this case authorizes federal action only when the legislature in not in session, and cannot be convened. Governor Taylor's message does not intimate that the legislature of the state cannot be promptly convened, nor does he show that the conditions in Frankfort are such as would justify federal intervention. The president and the members of his cabinet recognize the fact that the legislature of Kentucky is the sole judge of which of the two contestants was elected governor of the state at the recent election.

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Who are injured by the use or coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Held on Suspicion.

Louisville, Feb. 3.—A warrant for the arrest of James L. Sutton, the Whiteley county sheriff, charging him with malicious shooting with intent to kill, reached here last night from Frankfort. Sutton attracted attention Wednesday by a spectacular leap from the third-story window of the hotel in an attempt to escape arrest. He is thought by the Frankfort authorities to have either been implicated in the attempted assassination of Goebel or to have important information as to the identity of the culprits.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 3.—Leading members of the Gloucester bar appeared at the hearing before the committee on probate and insolvency yesterday in support of the petition ostensibly for the change of the local court from a police to a district court, but in reality designed as a step toward legislating Judge Edgar S. Taft out of office. The case of the petitioners was presented by Charles A. Russell. Judge Taft was in attendance and was represented by Michael J. Murray. The testimony was highly personal.

Leave to withdraw was voted on the petitions to increase the salary of Judge McDonough of Fall River from $3000 to $3500 and of the clerk of Norfolk county from $800 to $1200.

The joint special committee on the gypsy moth heard cumulative testimony in favor of continuing the work of extermination.

The house voted without a division to substitute the order of Mr. Dean, instructing the gas and electric light commissioners "to investigate the expediency of reducing the price of gas in the commonwealth in all cities and towns" for the order of Mr. Hancock, action upon which had not been completed.

The house was again flooded with bills and petitions.

The senate concurred with the house in the measure providing for an investigation of the gas situation in Boston.

Bernstein Put to Sleep.

New York, Feb. 3.—Joe Bernstein, the featherweight of this city, was knocked out by Kid Broad of Cleveland in the 13th round before the Broadway Athletic club last night. Bernstein was not in very good condition, while Broad was in excellent shape. From the first round Broad was on the aggressive, and in the 13th round Bernstein was brought down as the result of a right jolt under the heart. Bernstein was unconscious for several minutes.

Counterfeiting Conspiracy Exposed.

Montreal, Feb. 3.—By the arrest of Anthony Decker in Baltimore a counterfeiting conspiracy formed in this city about a year ago has been exposed. For eight months the Canadian secret service has had the men shadowed, waiting for the proper time to catch them red-handed. Further arrests are to be made in New York and Montreal. The issue upon which the counterfeiters were engaged amounts to $250,000.

Overtime Law Needs Revision.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 3.—The members of the Textile council state that they are perfectly satisfied that, as a result of their conference with Chief Wade of the state police, the labor laws relating to the employment of women and minors will be strictly enforced and violators of the 58-hour law summarily dealt with. Legislation, looking towards the removal of the defects in the present law, it is hoped, will be enacted.

Arctic Weather In Vermont.

Bradford, Vt., Feb. 3.—The present cold weather is the keenest of the winter, the mercury touching 30 below at sunrise yesterday. At Londonderry it was 20 degree below, at Jamaica 30 and at Chester 24.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

East of the Mississippi the temperature has risen generally, but continues below the seasonal average. West of the Mississippi the temperature is above the normal. The weather will continue fair in New England, with a slowly rising temperature. Along the New England coast the winds will be fresh from the west.

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Crazed by Love.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Nicholas Hotzler stabbed and instantly killed Mrs. Louise Schaeffer yesterday at her home here. Hotzler then shot and killed himself. Hotzler had been attentive to Mrs. Schaeffer and is believed to have become insane because of her refusal to marry him.

Wouldn't Agree With Aldermen.

Boston, Feb. 2.—The common council last night, by a vote of 43 to 17, refused to concur with the aldermen in the election of Frank J. O'Toole as city clerk, and adhered to its former choice of Edward Donovan.

"If I were sick and wanted to get well, I'd find out how some one else got well who had the same sort of sickness as mine."

If your sickness is like hers, Mrs. Jacobs' story will interest you.

"I was very sick indeed," writes Mrs. Mollie Jacobs, of Felton, Kent Co., Delaware, "and our family doctor said I had consumption. I thought I must die soon for I felt so awful bad. Had a bad cough, spit blood, was very short of breath, had pains in my chest and right lung, and also had dyspepsia. Before I took your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets' I was so weak I could not sweep a room, and now I can do a small washing, and I feel like a new person. I believe that the Lord and your medicine have saved my life. I was sick over two years. I took 13 bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and four vials of Dr. Pierce's Pellets."

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Good Steak,	2 lbs. for 25 cts.
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NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

BRAINTREE.

Miss Helen Duggey entertained Miss R. R. Thayer's Sunday School class Tuesday.

The sixteenth annual concert and ball by Puritan lodge, I. O. O. F., will be held in the Town Hall, Feb. 21.

The three gentlemen in the field for the office of Selectman for the south district are William E. Wilde, Louis W. Thayer and Ansel O. Clark.

The most successful dance of the series being held in Red Men's hall by Hollis' orchestra was held Wednesday evening with Charles Richards as floor manager. A large number were present and all enjoyed themselves.

Alfred Southworth will return from Needham in a few days. His relative there, Mr. Thomas Sutton, is very much improved in health but it will be several weeks before he can attend to duties, as town clerk and provision dealer.

A very pleasant and profitable evening was passed at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Holmes on Monday of this week. It was the regular meeting of the "Missionary Reading circle." Some very interesting papers were read. Rev. C. S. Cooper was leader. The first paper was on "The Natural Sources of India," by Mrs. E. A. Fisher. Mrs. Cooper read an article on "Student Missionary Appeal," Miss King had a paper on the "Brahmin Religion," and Mrs. Holmes also had an interesting paper on the "Mohammedan Religion." The evening exercises were very interesting and helpful.

Division No. 12,. A. O. H., held a smoke talk in their hall Thursday evening. Delegations were present from Quincy, Weymouth and Randolph. A collation was served and a general good time enjoyed. Speech making was in order during the evening.

Mrs E. B. Ludden of Front street is confined to the house with a severe cold. Mrs. B. J. Loring has also been on the sick list but is now able to be out again.

Charles O. Miller's new house on Liberty street is fast nearing completion. O. M. Rogers of the south part of the town is putting in the plumbing, and Joseph B. Barker of North Weymouth is doing the painting.

On Monday of this week President John M. Hall, Vice President Merrill, and Superintendent J. H. French, came to South Braintree in Mr. Hall's private car to inspect the car shops. It is hoped the visit may hasten the opening of this plant to its full capacity, which will mean a boom for the town.

Keith's Theatre.

"The Girl with the Auburn Hair," whose personalty continues to be shrouded in mystery, will be revealed to patrons of Keith's Boston theater on Monday next, Feb. 5. Curiosity has been active concerning this unique vaudeville sensation, and whether it will be satisfied when she appears, or the mystery will continue, remains to be seen. Her engagement in Chicago was the longest on record in that city, and during the past three months she has been the headline attraction at the Keith houses in New York and Philadelphia. Elaborate preparations have been made at the local theatre for her act, but just what they are no urgency of inquiry has been able to discover. Other attractions will be: Cora Stuart, an English actress, who will present a new version of Rosina Vokes' "The Circus Rider," under the title of "The Fair Equestrienne;" Caron and Herbert, acrobatic comedians; Provo, an English Juggler; Raymon Moore, tenor vocalist; Adams' trained Sea Lions and Sea's, an unique novelty; Adele Purvis Onri, who does skirt dancing on a revolving globe, and Halliday and Ward, in an eccentric comedy sketch.

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"They'd roll George around in their mouths as if it tasted good; seemed as if they had a big mouthful of something good to eat—something warm and wholesome—turkey and dressing and mashed potato; seemed as if it puffed out the cheeks, filled their whole mouth and made 'em feel good.

"A hungry looking farmer would meet me on his way home to dinner, stop and say George a few times, and the hungry look would fade out of his face, and he would go off as cheerful as if he had just had something to eat.

"About five years ago I told a scientist what I have been saying, and he said he didn't believe it was all fancy, by any means. What he said was, in substance, about as follows:

"'In uttering the word George the mouth is distended as it is by few other words—certainly no word in common use. With the average person the only other thing that so distends the mouth as the word George is a big mouthful of food. The muscular sensation is the same in each case.

"'Along with the taste of a big mouthful telegraphed to the brain by the nerves goes the sensation of distension of the mouth. The two are closely associated. You can't have a big mouthful of food without distension. You can't have distension without the big mouthful, and it telegraphs to the brain a fictitious satisfaction, as of the mouth full of food.'

"Since then I have engaged no yardmen unless they were named George. My business is twice as prosperous as it was five years ago. Why, the saving in treating alone is an item. We used to have to spend some money in judicious treating. That is now pretty well a thing of the past. A man comes into the office and says: 'Good morning, George. I want some scantling, George.' Feels as good as if he had had a glass of beer. 'Got any scantling, George?' Same thing as if the beer had been followed by a wiener.

"'Say, George, when are you coming out to see me, George?' Rye bread and cheese sandwich. 'I've got a new dog, George, and I've thought of calling him George, after you, George.' There's a plate of beans, cold cabbage and head cheese in that last sentence.



IT'S DELICIOUS.

"Why, man, George is a verbal free lunch. Take an example from contemporary events. Anybody shouting for Fred Funston, Bill Shafter, Win Schley, Rich Hobson? Nobody at all. But everybody saying George Dewey. 'Our George,' all except the ultra elegant, who never take large mouthfuls even when nobody is looking at 'em. They say 'Admiral Dewey' and 'the gallant admiral.'"—Chicago Tribune.

GREAT TRUCK GARDEN.

Mexico May Supply Us With Our Early Vegetables.

From recent developments it is apparent that the southern states will not possess the monopoly of supplying northern cities with garden products, says the Philadelphia Record. The science of refrigeration and the construction of refrigerator ships and refrigerator cars has reached such a high state that it is now possible to raise fruit, it might be said, in almost any part of the world and carry it to any other part. This fact has been for years demonstrated by the shipment of carcasses from Australia to England by the shipload, where an enormous trade has been built up. The same principle can be applied to the transportation of fruits. A very large proportion of the product of California is now shipped eastward in refrigerator cars, and some of the finest fruits on display in the east come from that state in this way. The agriculturists in the south have recently had their attention directed to the advisability of diversifying crops by the high price paid for garden products. The market garden has of late years become a very important factor in southern agricultural economy.

Enterprising capitalists, since the development of Mexico by railroad, have been looking at the possibilities of climate there and have taken steps in some cases to establish plantations for the growth of fruits on a large scale, which it is their intention to ship by refrigerator processes to United States ports and then to inland points. The schemes read well and apparently are well based. There appears to be no reason why garden truck could not be raised in Mexico and delivered safely and profitably to a great many cities and towns throughout the United States. A great many products there are four to eight weeks ahead of the south. Dairy farming has become very profitable. Milk in large cities sells at 25 cents in Mexico; butter at 36 to 48 cents per pound. Labor costs only from 12 to 25 cents a day. Sugar cane turned into brown sugar yields from $70 to $95 per acre gross. Green barley and corn are raised in large quantities for fodder.

Gypsy Moths.

Gypsy moths were introduced to America in 1869, but the insect is still confined to a limited area in Massachusetts near Boston. The first gypsy moths were brought over by Professor Trouvelot, the French savant, who was interested in trying to raise silk from native worms, and how they escaped is unknown. Twelve years from that time the moth was a nuisance in the neighborhood. In 1889 occurred the famous moth outbreak at Medford, Mass. Armies of worms suddenly appeared that June and July and seemed about to destroy everything green. They gathered in masses sufficient to blacken houses and fences in certain districts and devastated all sorts of foliage over extensive tracts, killing many trees, and the dropping of the caterpillars on people and sidewalks was most disagreeable. The streets were awful, and the destruction of the trees was greatest in those localities where the moth had been the longest. Frequently the trees sustained attacks for two or three years. The caterpillars destroyed not only the foliage and trees, but also fruit and vegetables. When the supply of leaves from the trees fell short, they attacked the gardens. Many vegetables were ruined, flower gardens were destroyed, and even greenhouses were invaded. At the close of the year 1899 the state of Massachusetts has expended in the annual appropriation for the gypsy moth work the sum of $1,555,000.

Incense Trade.

There seems to be little doubt that the recent decision of the archbishops with regard to the use of incense in Anglican churches will have no appreciable effect on the trade in that commodity. At most of the Anglican churches incense would be used only four times a year. A very small quantity of incense is required for an entire service. As far as can be ascertained no Anglican church would spend more than £5 a year on incense, and the entire trade is probably not worth more than £600 a year. It is popularly supposed that there is a trade secret in the making of incense, but in most cases it is composed simply of gum olibanum, Siam benjamin, cascarilla bark, myrrh and copal varnish.—London Graphic.

Eating and Weight.

It has been seriously asserted by many people that we are naturally lighter after a meal, and they have even gone the length of explaining this by the amount of gas that is developed from the food. Average observations, however, show that we lose three pounds and six ounces between night and morning; that we gain one pound and 12 ounces by breakfast; that we again lose about 14 ounces before lunch; that lunch puts on an average of one pound; that we again lose during the afternoon an average of ten ounces, but that an ordinary dinner to healthy persons adds two pounds and two ounces to their weight.

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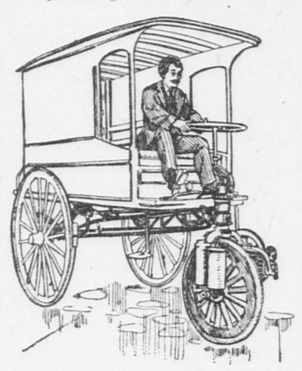
The Medical institute of St. Petersburg is about to build a unique laboratory for the treatment of pest patients and the manufacture of pest serum. This laboratory is being built in Cronstadt and is entirely surrounded by water, so that it can be isolated at a moment's notice. It is to contain a stable with 12 horses, drug stores, dwellings for helpers and nurses and a lazaret in case the staff is affected by the sickness. Communication will be effected with Cronstadt by steam launch. It will be equipped with steam engines and electric and motor appliances and all the latest inventions and improvements.

MOTOR WAGON WHEEL.

LATEST AND MOST ORIGINAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE AUTOMOBILE IDEA.

One of the latest and most original developments of the automobile is a motor wheel which has recently been patented by J. W. Walters, says The Scientific American. The motor wheel consists essentially of a heavy wheel which is journaled in a stout yoke or forks, the head of which turns in a socket. The arrangement is similar to the front wheel and forks of a bicycle except that instead of being controlled by a handle bar the wheel is steered by a hand wheel, shaft and gear wheels, as shown in the illustrations.

To the right hand fork is attached a two cylinder gasoline motor, and two



MOTOR WHEEL ATTACHED TO LIGHT WAGON.

gasoline tanks are carried on the other fork. The wheel is driven through a loosely mounted pinion, which meshes into a gear that is bolted to the spokes of the wheel, and a clutch mechanism, the lever for operating which is within easy reach of the driver of the wagon. The two cylinders are carried horizontally, one on each side of the fork, with the crank shaft, upon which is keyed a flywheel between them. The motor wheel is built in various sizes, from one horsepower, suitable to a bicycle, up to four horsepower for a carriage or ten or more horsepower for a heavy dray truck. In attaching the motor wheel to any existing vehicle it is merely necessary to remove the framework of the front wheels and bolt the steering socket to the body of the wagon. When the motor wheel is applied to a light vehicle, it is attached in front, thus transforming the same into a tricycle. In the case of hansom cabs it is attached at the rear. When it is applied to the heavier vehicles, such as express wagons, coal carts, etc., two idle wheels are attached to the motor wheel and work in unison with it.

One material advantage claimed for this system is that no reversing mechanism is necessary, the motor always running in the forward direction. If it is desired to back the car, the motor wheel is turned completely around in the steering socket and the motor started. It will be noticed that as the motor wheel is entirely self contained and has a single point of attachment to the car none of the twisting strains due to the irregularity of the road are thrown upon the motor. Moreover, in case of disablement of car or motor, the ease with which a change of motor wheels from one car to another can be made conduces to facility and rapidity of repairs.

Eels as Water Purifiers.

Professor Sebrero of Turin has recently suggested that eels should be used as purifiers of water. All that one has to do is to put two or three eels, not very big, but lively, into the domestic cistern. The reptiles devour with marvelous appetite everything which the water may chance to contain in the way of animalcules, infusoria, bird droppings from the roof, vegetable matter of any kind; nothing comes amiss to them. When the eels have fulfilled their mission, they can be eaten a la tartare, or they can be kept for further use as purifiers of the water supply. Such a method of fattening eels for the family table may not commend itself to the average British stomach, though these reptiles eat worse things in their ordinary haunts than they are likely to find in a cistern, even within the area of distribution of a London company. But as water purifiers a useful sphere of action might be found for them in reservoirs as well as in cisterns.—British Medical Journal.

Microbes In Wine.

The changes that occur in bottled wines in the course of time are, we are informed by an Austrian savant, largely due to the presence of living organisms. He opened several well corked bottles recently that had been lying undisturbed for 25 years. On examination he found the wine to contain many microbes and bacteria, some dead, but most of them alive and able to sit up and look cheerful. He says that different kinds of microbes have different effects on the wine, and it depends upon the nature of the minute organisms that are bottled up with it whether the effect is good or bad. All of which is very satisfactory and pleasant. We may as well have our share of microbes and bacteria in our wine as anywhere else.

A New Alcoholic Evil.

A new evil of alcoholism is added to the already long list by Professor von Bunge. At a recent meeting of the Union of Abstaining German Speaking Physicians he presented statistics which, while he did not consider them as conclusive, showed a remarkable correspondence between the prevalence of habitual tippling among women and their inability to nurse their children.

THE CENSOR.

If we write it .19', it will be ciphered out.—New York World.

Starvation as a cure for insanity is certainly a remarkable end of the century remedy.—Boston Traveler.

Having made things warm in Manila for some time, the United States now proposes to start an ice plant there.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Incidentally it may be said the reason why many cannot carry out their New Year's resolutions is because they take too big a load.—Philadelphia Times.

The bubonic plague has invaded New Caledonia, but no Scotchman has yet taken it. There is no money in the bubonic plague.—Kansas City Times.

It is now settled that New Jersey can organize more speculative combinations than Wall street can carry or unload on the investing public.—Philadelphia Record.

The next direction in which a new demand of important proportions will be created is undoubtedly the employment of steel for railroad cross ties.—Iron Trade Review.

Those British attaches who laughed at the slowness of the American army movements in 1898 have the floor if they feel disposed to say anything just now.—Indianapolis Press.

Now that the palace car companies have consolidated, the awful question confronts the passenger of whether the lordly car porter will expect double tips.—Baltimore American.

The average salary of ministers in this country is stated to be a trifle over $470. It is easy to see why so many of our young men prefer to be railroad kings and trust magnates.—Pittsburg News.

The ready response of the American people to the request for subscriptions to a fund for the benefit of the widow and children of General Lawton proves once more that they are always ready to reward those who do their duty.—Cleveland Leader.

CHICAGO'S CANAL.

The Chicago drainage canal is 37 miles long, 160 feet wide and 20 feet deep, and will carry 300,000 cubic feet of water per minute to the Mississippi.—Exchange.

The Chicago drainage canal cost the city $33,000,000. Chicago made this vast expenditure for pure water, and the manner in which the gigantic project has been carried to completion reflects lasting credit upon the sanitary trustees.—Chicago Times-Herald.

The people are beginning now to get a small return from their expenditure of $33,000,000. Soon there will be an end to the bulletins of the health department notifying Chicagoans that the drinking water is in bad condition and must be boiled. The pure water era is near at hand.—Chicago Tribune.

Without any spread eagle ceremony the engineers of the new Chicago drainage canal connected it with the Chicago river, which receives the sewage of the city, and thus brought into practical use one of the most noteworthy and important engineering achievements of modern sanitary science.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

There will still remain the query whether the drainage canal can also be made a ship canal connecting Chicago with the gulf of Mexico by way of the Illinois and Mississippi rivers. If it can be, then it will only need the enlargement of the Erie canal to a ship channel to enable vessels to make the journey from the Atlantic to the gulf wholly within the territory of the United States.—Philadelphia Press.

PERT PERSONALS.

Sir John Lubbock has been created a peer. "Go to the ant, thou sluggard!"—Louisville Times.

Mr. Austin is out with another poem which must have hurt him when it was in.—New York Press.

Emperor William insists that he is now living in the twentieth century. William is a rapid young man.—Ridgewood (N. J.) News.

No success attained by Oom Paul can rob the Prince of Wales of his privilege of setting the styles in whiskers.—Washington Star.

Now, if Congressman Cannon were only in the shoes of Mr. Roberts it would be quite the thing for congress to fire him.—St. Paul Globe.

What will be the moral should England get licked so soon after William Waldorf Astor taking up citizenship in that country?—St. Louis Star.

Jingo Joe Chamberlain and Promoter Cecil Rhodes made an awful mess of the great Santa Claus act, which they promised for the English Christmas of 1899.—St. Louis Republic.

THE PEDAGOGUE.

Provost C. C. Harison of the University of Pennsylvania gave the university $250,000 as a New Year's gift. The money will be placed in the hands of the trustees to use as they think best.

Dr. W. P. Kane is to be installed as president of Wabash college at Crawfordsville, Ind., on the 23d of February next. Mrs. W. R. Jones of Chicago has given $5,000 toward the fund for building a residence for the president.

Professor George T. Ladd of Yale has finished his lecture tour in India. The three weeks' course of lectures was delivered under the auspices of the University of Bombay, the vice chancellor presiding at the first and the last of the series.

Professor Park of Andover, who was 81 years old on Dec. 29, is in fairly good health and takes the liveliest interest in all the affairs of the day, national and international. He was much touched by the death of Mr. Moody, whose course he has always watched with special interest.

RAILWAY TIES.

The Italian railways have promised the pope a 70 per cent reduction in railway fares for the jubilee year if they are assured of 250,000 visitors.

The Japanese government decided some time ago to increase the price of railway tickets by one-third. The result was a loss instead of a gain in receipts.

The tramways, omnibuses and underground railways in and around London, within a radius of five miles, carry each year, it is calculated, about 453,000,000 passengers.

Paris' underground railroad caved in recently at the Place de l'Etoile, owing to heavy rains. At that point one tunnel passes under the other. It is believed, however, that the railroad can be opened next spring in spite of the accident.

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WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Rev. Henry C. Alvord of South Weymouth will preach. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "Much in little." Lord's Supper at the close. Pastor's Bible class at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "An attractive dramatic scene. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30 All welcome.

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Morning service at 10.30, conducted by Secretary Hoehn of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Rev. Scott Hershey, D. D., of the First Presbyterian church of Boston, will preach at 3 o'clock, and declare the church vacant. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by Rev. J. T. Black, of the First Presbyterian church of East Boston. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by pastor, followed by communion service. Sunday School at 11.45. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting of Epworth Leagueat 6.15. Evening service at 7. Class meeting Tuesday and prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

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WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Preston Gurney, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Christian courage." Sunday School at 12.10 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "Foreign missions."

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "Our Father." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Friday evening service at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH — Orangemen's Hall, 110 Hancock street. Mr. Joseph MacKellar of Boston will lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "The return of Christ to the earth, the true Christian hope." All welcome.

CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURE — The Christadelphians of Quincy invite you to a lecture to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street at 10.30 A. M. The subject is: "As in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive." All are cordially invited to attend this lecture; seats free, no collections.

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HAMBURG STEAK,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
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HONEY COMB TRIPE,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
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FRESH SHOULDERS of PORK,	8 cts lb
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

ON LADYSMITH ROAD.

Belief That Contending Armies Are In a Fierce Combat.

Sound of Guns Heard by the Besieged Garrison.

Boers Said to Have Made Preparations For Possible Retreat.

Report That Injury to Joubert Compelled His Retirement From the Field.

London, Feb. 5.—General Buller is marching to relieve Ladysmith. He crossed the Tugela last Friday night, and the general belief is that a big battle is now raging.

Military experts think that he must have got the greater part of his troops across the river during the night, and that probably severe skirmishing took place on Saturday.

On Sunday he must have penetrated to the outlying defenses of the Boers, and by this time it is believed that he must be engaged in a terrific struggle to drive through the Boer positions.

There is hope once more in Ladysmith. The latest dispatches state that the garrison had heard on Saturday and Sunday the sound of Buller's guns as they hurled shell and shrapnel into the Boer positions, and they were much rejoiced thereat.

It was also noted that the Boers were moving another gun to aid in bombarding the town, but the garrison was full of fight and ready to meet the expected attack.

The reports that the Boers are reconcentrating around Ladysmith are also an indication that preparations are being made to resist General Buller, or for an attempt at reattack upon the garrison in anticipation of his advance. The fact, however, that no firing has been reported, under yesterday's date, either from Ladysmith or Spearman's camp might be interpreted to mean that either the attempt had failed or that General Buller had merely made a demonstration on Friday and Saturday.

Various rumors are current. One says that General Buller is again attacking Spion kop from the side of General Lyttleton's camp. Another is that he received information from the owner of Spion kop farm and crossed by fords further west than Trichard Drift. The military authorities in London think it more likely that the crossing would be made east of Stewart's kop.

The feeling of anxiety is not much relieved by the possibility that General Buller has been considerably reinforced since the disaster at Spion kop.

The Pietermaritzburg correspondent of The Daily Mail, telegraphing yesterday, says: General Buller has undoubtedly secured the road to Ladysmith and should reach his objective this week. It is believed here that the object of the Boers in occupying Ngutu, Zululand, is to secure the road from Dundee to Vryheid in case of retreat.

I learn from a reliable source that General Joubert was seriously injured by a shell in the fight at Willow Grange, and that he will never be able to command again on horseback. My informant says that he has, in fact, retired from the field.

The Daily Telegram has the following dispatch from Spearman's Camp, dated Sunday evening: Messages are now freely exchanged between the camps of General Buller and General White—by night with calcium lamp, by day with heliograph. The men here are enthusiastic at the prospect of a speedy advance under General Buller's instructions. A very large convoy, with stores for the besieged garrison, will accompany the relieving force. The Boers have repaired the road bridge over the Tugela at Colenso sufficiently for the passage of cavalry.

Winston Churchill, in a dispatch from Spearman's Camp, dated Saturday, Feb. 3, says: "The belief is general that all will be staked on the issue of the coming battle.

A special dispatch from Durban, dated Sunday, and referring to General Buller's recrossing the Tugela in an advance upon Ladysmith, says: It is probable that General Buller crossed at a spot above Trichards Drift, and that, leaving the enemy to the right, he is marching to Acton Homes, whence the road to Ladysmith runs almost due east, through a fairly open country.

Spencer Wilkinson, in The Morning Post today, predicts that the war will end rightly in spite of all bungling. He says: When Lord Roberts is ready for the advance a new complexion will be put on the campaign. There will be a strategical idea, and as this idea gradually reveals itself what seemed an inextricable tangle of difficulties will in time present itself as a comparatively simple problem.

Then at great length Mr. Wilkinson proceeds to criticise "the three great blunders of policy, strategy and tactics to which all the disasters are directly attributable." He says: "The first mistake consisted in not making the war preparations adequate to the policy to be pursued and in sending Sir George White to Ladysmith with an army too small to hold Natal. The second was the mistake in dispersing instead of concentrating General Buller's forces. The third consisted of the attempts to force prepared positions like Colenso.

"Something also is due to the imperfect peace training, which has allowed army maneuvers in which crowds of men have fired at some crowds with blank cartridges in the open at 300 yards' distance. These mistakes, instead of being repeated, will be valuable lessons for the future."

Ballington Booth on War.

Buffalo, Feb. 5.—"I do not believe the sun of heaven ever shone on a more just war than that of the United States against Spain. But could it be said that the sun ever shone on a more unjust war than the one between Great Britain and the Transvaal?" That is what General Ballington Booth, commander-in-chief of the Volunteers of America, said in the course of an address here yesterday. Later Mr. Booth said: "I am an Englishman by birth and education, and with all her faults I have some love for England still. But my respect for her would be deeper and truer had she not entered into this uncalled for and unjust war, which, as far as I can see, will be one of the bloodiest and darkest in the annals of history."

Baptism For Believers Only.

New York, Feb. 5.—Rev. Dr. Madison C. Peters, pastor of the Bloomingdale Reformed church, read his resignation yesterday to his congregation. In his letter Dr. Peters said that his sole reason for resigning was that, after years of prayerful investigation, he had come to the deliberate conclusion that the Bible—the Protestants' only rule of faith—teaches baptism for believers only. He said he could not in good conscience continue the practice of infant baptism or baptism by sprinkling. Dr. Peters said that as soon as his term of service ended on March 1 he would enter the Baptist ministry.

Threw Dead Baby In Evarts' Yard.

New York, Feb. 5.—A woman got off a Second avenue car at Fourteenth street yesterday. She carried a bundle wrapped in a newspaper. Walking over to the home of ex-Secretary of State William M. Evarts, she deliberately threw the bundle over the iron fence into Evarts' yard. She quickly boarded an uptown car, and disappeared from view. Several small boys saw the act. The package was opened, and the boys found the body of a newly born male infant. The body was taken to the morgue.

Church Destroyed by Fire.

Springfield, Mass., Feb. 5.—Fire completely destroyed St. Louis' Roman Catholic church in West Springfield shortly after 6 o'clock last evening. The fire department was helpless and only a heavy shower saved a general conflagration. The loss on the structure, which was a wooden building erected in 1895, is about $15,000; covered by insurance. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

Forced to Yield to Public Opinion.

London, Feb. 5.—The Shanghai correspondent of The Daily Mail says: The changed attitude of the empress dowager and her virtual abandonment of her resolution to depose the emperor are directly due to the torrent of public remonstrances against her action. For the first time in Chinese history public opinion has been effective.

To Enter a Broader Field.

Boston, Feb. 5.—Rev. Robert Codman, Jr., the newly elected Episcopal bishop of Maine, preached his farewell sermon as rector of St. John's Episcopal church, Roxbury, yesterday. It is four years since Dr. Codman assumed the duties of this parish, and during that time it has grown in a wonderful degree.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

A storm has moved eastward from Missouri to the middle Atlantic coast, attended by rain in the southern and snow or rain in the northern districts east of the Mississippi, and by a marked fall in temperature. This storm will pass northeastward over the ocean, with snow, followed by clearing and colder weather in the New England states, with wind shifting to high northerly and northwesterly along the north Atlantic coast.

Bryan Had a Busy Week.

Holyoke, Mass., Feb. 5.—Mr. Bryan instead of using Biblical quotations to explain some political arguments, himself exemplified one yesterday. He rested on the seventh day. It was a literal day of rest, too, for he remained in one city all day, and he went to bed early. As a result he is ready to continue his campaigning with even greater vigor than he has shown during the past busy, eventful week. It was a week of hard work for him, as during the six days he spoke in 13 cities, in five of the New England states, travelled over 1000 miles, and made a total of 18 speeches.

Both May Die From Burns.

Hartford, Feb. 5.—Edward Morton and his wife were terribly burned yesterday as the result of the upsetting of a can of oil on their cook stove. Both attempted to extinguish the flames, Morton's clothes being entirely burned from his body, while those of his wife were partly burned off. The injuries of the man are fatal, while his wife has a very slim chance of recovery.

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DRESS GOODS. One lot of Heavy Crepon effect Novelty Goods 44 inches wide and always sold for 89c. We do not wish to carry these over to next season, so they all go at less than cost. Red Letter Week. . . . **59c**

COTTON. 2,500 yards of standard 6c. bleached cotton. Not over 10 yards to a customer. Red Letter Week. **4½c**

PETTICOATS. 100 Fancy Percaline Petticoats made with wide ruffle and dust ruffle. A regular $1.00 skirt. Red Letter Price. **79c**

BLACK SATIN. This is one of the few things that a merchant never cuts the price on, but we will break the rule for once and sell a heavy 24-inch Satin Duchess $1.25 quality. Red Letter Week for **79c**

OUTING FLANNELS. 1,000 yds. of Dark Outings in Greys, Brown, Blacks, etc. Our price on these has always been 7, 8 and 9c. Red Letter Price. **5c**

PRINTS. 5,000 yards of best Shirting Prints just the same as you always pay 5c. yard for Red Letter price. **2½c**

HAMBURGS. 1,500 yards of Fine Hamburg Edgings, two, two and a half and three inches wide, worth 8c., 10c. and 15c. Red Letter Price. **5c**

LADIES' HOSE. A fine Fast Black, Fleeced Lined, Fifteen-cent Hose made from an extra quality elastic yarn. Red Letter Week. . . . **10c**

OUTING FLANNEL. 1,200 yards of White Domet Flannel, the same as we sell for 6c., only this is subject to slight imperfections. Red Letter Price. **3½c**

DRESS GOODS. Extra Heavy 40-inch Storm Serge in Black and Navy Blue, all wool and worth 69c. yard. Red Letter Price. **39c**

MEN'S HOSE. One lot of a fine woolen mixture. Our regular price 2 pair for 25c. We are badly overstocked on these so Red Letter Week. . **4 pairs for 25c**

WRAPPERS. One lot of beautiful Chinchilla Cloth Wrappers were cheap at $1.49. Next week Red Letter Week. **98c**

CORSETS. 200 pairs of the famous "Globe" brand, the standard price of the beautiful Corsets is 50c., but for business reasons we are closing out this line. You can have them Red Letter Week for . . **39c**

TORCHON LACE. Hundreds of yards different widths, but much of it 4 1-2 inches wide. Worth from 8c. to 19c. per yard. Red Letter Price. **5c**

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Quincy Department Store

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WOULD UPHOLD ADMINISTRATION.

Arthur Sewall, Bryan's Former "Running Mate," Favors Acquisition of Philippines.

San Francisco, Feb. 5.—Arthur Sewall of Bath, Me., late Democratic candidate for vice president, is among the passengers of the Australia who have been released from quarantine. Mr. Sewall has returned from a visit to Honolulu, where he spent a month with his son, Harold M. Sewall, special agent of the United States in Hawaii.



ARTHUR SEWALL.

"I have always favored the acquisition of the Philippines after the Paris treaty," says Mr. Sewall. "The United States should stand with the administration in all that is being done to hold the Philippines; they are worth retaining.

"Mr. McKinley will be renominated and re-elected. Mr. Bryan, too, will be renominated, but I fear that he cannot win the goal. The fact is the country has been too prosperous to warrant any hope of a change in the national administration, and people are slow to take up reform measures when times are as good as they are at present.

"No, I am not a candidate for the vice presidency again. I believe it is poor policy on the part of the Democracy to select any candidate from the state where no electoral votes may be expected, and, moreover, I am not ambitious to make the race again. If the Democrats call me again, however, I could not refuse to do my duty."

H. A. HAYDEN,
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Oct. 6 tf

PICKLES vs. DRUGS.

Pickles are all right in their place but a man may understand selling pickles thoroughly and still make a very poor showing in his knowledge of drugs and medicines. I do not find time to extend my business outside of the limits of the legitimate drug business. I would make a very poor artist in the sale of pickles, but with my 20 years experience as a druggist, 11 of which I have spent in Quincy, I point with pardonable pride to the fact that I have today the largest, best appointed and most complete drug store in this city. It has been my constant endeavor to please every customer entering my store, and my success in my chosen profession can not but convince me that my efforts are appreciated by the people of Quincy.

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Popular Prices, 25, 35 and 50c.

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Feb. 5. 4t

Grocers' Annual Banquet.

THE Quincy Grocers' Association hold their Ninth Annual Banquet, WEDNESDAY Evening, February 14th. Any of the Quincy Business Men wishing to attend can procure tickets of the Committee.

GEORGE H. WILSON,
JOHN W. NASH,
JOSEPH W. JOHNSON.

Quincy, Feb. 5. tf

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

OFFICE OF THE

Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 3, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that William F. Macy and J. P. Fitts have made application to this Board for license to build a pile wharf and dredge a channel in Quincy Bay at Houghs Neck, in the city of Quincy, as per plans filed with said application; and WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of February, 1900, at 11 o'clock, A. M., and this office, have been assigned as the time and place for hearing all parties interested therein.

For the Board,
WOODWARD EMERY, Chairman.

Feb. 5. 1t

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	48	41	40	22	32
Monday,	39	41	24	43	33
Tuesday,	—	30	34	40	41
Wednesday,	—	39	32	36	45
Thursday,	—	20	30	43	50
Friday,	—	20	15	42	41
Saturday,	—	21	10	50	32

New Advertisements Today.

Hearing—State House.
Grocers' Annual Banquet.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Carpets Cleaned.
Quincy Music Hall—White Minstrels.
Woman's Exchange.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Sewing Machines.
Grand Concert at Quincy Music Hall.

Good Afternoon.

That the Quincy Yacht club would withdraw from the Yacht Racing Association was expected; that it would be by the overwhelming vote of 47 to 7 was a surprise. There seems to be a well settled belief among many yachtsmen that the Association has enacted so many racing rules, many of which appear to be detrimental to the true sportsman, that it will eventually legislate itself out of existence.

One great draw back to the success of the Association after it had outgrown its original purpose of arranging open race dates so that they would not conflict, was the sudden domination of its affairs pertaining to the racing rules by the so called smaller clubs,—those having an active membership of 100 or less and one, or perhaps oftener, no racing yachts. Of the 32 clubs in the association in 1899, at least 12 of these did not have a yacht enrolled in the Associations register; 17 of these clubs had a membership of less than 100 each; and but 18 out of the 32 were "racing clubs," —i. e. gave open races.

Like all smaller organizations, they were intensely jealous of the larger ones fearful at every meeting that they were to be ignored, and ever on the outlook to favor some new scheme regardless fo its impracticability. From the figures above noted, it can be seen that in time they came to hold a dominating influence over the Association affairs, dictating as to the kind of rules which should govern the sailing of the open races which have from time to time been given by the larger clubs. An instance in point is the recent enactment of the so called "walkover" rule. When this came before the Association meeting, Mr. Faxon, the Quincy club's representative, seeing the folly of such a rule vigorously opposed it. He was voted down. The rule goes into effect next summer and is mandatory on all clubs giving Association races.

Other rules of a similar nature have been adopted from time to time, notably the one allowing schooners and yauls to race at 7-8 of their racing length and the development under this rule of the two freaks, the Katydid and the Bud. The latter it will be remembered challenging for the Quincy Yacht club cup when it could then be competed for under the [illegible] Association rules. The [illegible] executive committee of the Quincy club did not hesitate to bar the boat out and subsequently withdraw the cup from the Association rules.

The enactment and attempted enforcement of such rules has belittled the Association in the eyes of all racing men. It is but a question of a short time when it will dissolve.

There is no diversity of opinion but what a yacht racing association properly officered and conducted is of inestimable benefit to yacht racing. Such an association it is suggested, confining its membership to clubs having an active membership of not less than 100; to those which have given open races for two years previous to the formation of the Association and propose to do so after joining, failure on their part works forfeiture of membership; a basis of one delegate for each 100 members or fraction thereof; and the decision of the club judges to be final in all cases, would place yacht racing directly into the hands of racing yachtsmen.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Harvard is split on one issue—Briton and Boer.—Hingham Journal.

☞ It is impracticable to lay asphalt at a grade above 3 per cent., owing to its being so slippery, and furthermore, it is a terror to teamsters on the dead level. And yet an effort has been made to have it appear that that class of drivers were crying their eyes out for it.—Lynn Item.

☞ One of the pleasantest ways to be charitable, that is, as far as my experience goes, is the following: Don't sift your ashes, but dump them in your back yard. Later some poor man will come along, carefully to pick out every lump of coal, and bless you between the lumps. You have saved him and his family from freezing to death, and have at the same time escaped a most disagreeable duty.—Scriollus in Milford Gazette.

☞ The Boers will continue to have free picking in the Rand gold mines for current war expenses awhile longer This is not the least of the facts of a situation desperately galling to the speculators who, with the aid of Chamberlain, led England into this war. And beyond is the pleasant prospect that if England should succeed the retreating burghers may blow up all the mines so that years will be required to dig them out and replace the machinery. Verily, in this case a brutal and bloody commercialism hath its just reward.—Springfield Republican.

The Daily Fire.

The alarm from Box 38 at 11.02 this noon was for a fire in a house on Liberty square owned by Napoleon Reed and occupied by Charles Vergobbi. The fire started in a clothing closet, in one of the chambers, and was probably caused by the chimney getting too hot, thereby setting fire to the clothing. A stream from the chemical attached to the hook and ladder was all that was necessary to extinguish the blaze which was confined to the closet. The damage will not exceed $10.

Against State Highway.

There is considerable opposition, among the property owners, on that part of Washington street taken by the Highway Commisioners for a State highway, and it is reported that the City Council will be petitioned to take such action as necessary to have the Commisioners return the street to the city. That they will be very glad to do so, no one doubts East Braintree has been clamoring for the State to take a part of Quincy avenue and of Washington street is surrendered the $7,000 will possibly be given to Braintree.

Amateur Theatricals.

Some of the girls and boys of the Coddington school gave an entertainment on the evening of Feb. 2 at the residence of Miss Mary McKay. The Declaration of Independence was given as a play by the following cast:

Mrs. Taylor, Nellie Desmond.
Mr. Taylor, Tom Connelly.
Roxanna, Susie McClusk ey.
Mr. Danforth DeLacy, Master Gilraine.
Parson Wicks, Clifford Burn.
Guest, Mary McKay.

Mabel McClusky contributed a dance and H. White a song.

A supper followed, and it was a good time for the 25 present.

Young People's Day.

A special service for Young People's day was held in the Universalist vestry Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Addresses were made by Mrs. Charles C. Hayward, Miss Annie Hayward and Miss Susie Gates of Hingham. After which Miss Hattie H. Lincoln, District Superintendent, installed the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Herbert R. Holmes; vice president, Louis F. Gomez; secretary, Mrs. A. C. Merritt; treasurer, Miss Florence E. Holton.

—A public hearing will be given by the Selectmen of Milton, for next Wednesday evening upon the petition for the laying out of an extension of the reserved space for the use of a Street Railway on Eliott street, from its present terminus to Adams street, thence along Adams street to the Boston line on said Adams street.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

On a tombstone in Landaff Center, N. H. is the following: "Widow Susanna Brownson was born Aug. 31, 1699, and died June 12, 1802, aged 103 years." The remarkable part of this is that Mrs. Brownson lived in the 17th, 18th and 19th centuries.

The education of Iceland is entirely domestic. There is no public schools in the country. The laws and customs of the country merely require that the parents or guardians, under direction of the parish pastor, shall teach the children reading, writing and arithmetic.

DIED.

WOLFE—In North Weymouth, Feb. 3, Mrs. Mary A. Wolfe, aged 55 years,

CITY HALL CHANGE.

Inauguration Day Number Two for the City.

Mayor Hall this morning announced the appointment of Hamilton Flood as City Engineer. Mr. Flood is a well known resident of Wollaston, and is an ex-commodore of the Wollaston Yacht club. His profession is that of a civil engineer, and he has been employed in the engineers' office of the Sewer department for several years. The appointment meets with general approval.

This is the year of new ideas at City Hall, and one of the latest is a plan that Mayor Hall is considering. It is an arrangement whereby City Hall may be kept open from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. As it is now City Hall is closed between the important hours of 12 and 2 o'clock and it frequently, yes almost daily happens that some citizens who has business to transact at City Hall can not get in. The scheme would be of great benefit to workingmen who now have to loose time if they have any business with city officials. The plan could be readily carried out with but little inconvenience as most of the officials have clerks, and still be of great benefit to citizens at large.

The new board of Assessors will meet Thursday morning to be sworn in and organized.

Men were about the City Hall grounds Saturday afternoon making measurements and drawings. No one seemed to know them, but rumor said they were architects and were to make plans for enlarging City Hall.

A call at City Hall this morning found Mayor Hall's department heads all on hand, and a stranger would not know that there had been any change in the officials. In one or two departments, the retiring officials were also present, making their final transfer.

In order that the officers of the Street and Water departments at City Hall may be nearer together, the Water department will be moved to the room now occupied by the Assessors, and the latter department will be moved to the rooms now occupied by the Water department. These changes will be made Tuesday. This will make it much easier for Commissioner Knowlton who has charge of both departments.

Whist Party.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. Robert Kennedy, 77 Water street, Saturday, friends being present from Weymouth, South Boston and Quincy. Whist was enjoyed for two hours, and prizes were awarded as follows: Mrs. Josie Daw, first lady, and Mr. Harlie Smith, first gentleman. Miss Mamie Kennedy and Mr. Dan McLeod captured the boobies After card playing, refreshments were served, and the company were entertained by a few vocal, instrumental and harmonica selections.

Billiard Tournament.

A handicap billiard tournament among the members of the Granite City Club was commenced at the club rooms Saturday night. The result of play was as follows: R. F. Claflin beat John Blagdon 100 to 77. Herbert M. Federhen beat Charles W. Nightingale, 100 to 25; and Henry McGrath beat Benjamin Johnson 100 to 45.

—The famous Diamond Brothers' big double white minstrels with its half a hundred people will be the unusual attraction at Music hall Thursday, Feb. 8th. There are few minstrel organizations traveling that bear a better reputation for a meritorious and clean entertainment. The opening overture introduces the entire company of white artists in a first part that goes with a rush of song and merriment. Such old time favorites as Fred Russell, Sam Horner, George Knox, and Mat. Diamond are seen at their best on the ends. The olio introduces a number of clever specialties Knox Brothers; Musicsal Comedians, The Martine Troupe in their Rebounding Table Act, etc., etc. Remember the grand noon-day street parade at noon on the day of the show.

☞ The big Store at Quincy start their Red Letter sale Monday morning. Their manager informs us that this sale has been in preparation for week, as they anticipate an early Spring season and are taking this method to close out all goods left from this season.

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—The assignees of John P. Squire & Co. will report in a week or ten days. It will comprise also a separate statement of the assets and liabilities of each of the concerns, including the seven conducted directly by John P. Squire & Co., under different names, and also of the 11 copartnerships, the five affiliated corporations and the three individual assignors. It will, therefore, comprise 26 distinct statements.

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Tickets for the Grocers' banquet are now on sale.

A hearing of interest to Houghs Neck is advertised by the Harbor and Land Commissioners.

The Granite City club will hold its annual banquet at United States hotel, Boston, on Tuesday, Feb. 13, at 6 o'clock.

J. F. Malloney of Lynn, of the Socialist Labor Party will address the citizens of Quincy at Farnum's hall, West Quincy, this evening.

A horse owned by Simon Rogers of East Braintree fell on Quincy avenue, Sunday, and broke his leg. Constable Furnald was called and put the animal out of misery.

The Norfolk Superior Civil Court came in at the court house, in Dedham this morning, at 10 o'clock. At this term jury-waived cases and libels for divorce will be in order.

Amanda Johnson, the domestic who was taken insane Saturday morning at Wollaston, was taken to the residence of Edward Sandberg that afternoon, where she now is. Her condition has greatly improved, and the attending physician thinks all she neees is a good rest.

Boston papers report the engagement of Mr. George Joseph Richards of Weymouth, Mass., to Miss Anna Staley, daughter of Mrs. T. L. Staley, 414 Girard avenue, Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Richards is the manager of the Quincy branch of the grain business of A. J. Richards & Sons.

Commander John McGowan, Vice Commander, William Morrissey, Junior Vice Commander, Thomas Davidson and Frank Pierce were delegates from John A. Boyd Camp to the convention of the Legion of Spanish War Veterans held at Charlestown last Saturday evening. Mr. McGowan was made a member of the committee on ritual, Mr. Morrissey on constitution and by-laws, and Mr. Pierce on nominations for general officers.

The boy choirs of Christ church, and St. Chrysostom's church will give a first class concert in Music hall, Tuesday evening, February 27. Keep the day and date in mind as the boys desire every one in Quincy to come to their concert. They will give you a rich musical treat. Mr. Silas R. Mills is one of our leading American singers who has lately taken charge of the music in Smith college. Mr. Storer is a rising young Boston tenor.

Council Business.

A regular meeting of the City Council will be held tonight. The Mayor will forward for confirmation the name of the Inspector of Milk, the weighers of coal, measurers of grain and keeper of the pound, and announce other appointments.

The Registrars of Voters will forward the jury list for acceptance. The Committee on Licenses will report on a number of petitions for minor licenses, and the Committee on Sewer and Drains will report on the matter of sewer extensions. The Committee on Streets have several matters before them and as they meet at 7 o'clock it is probable that they will report upon several matters.

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—Mrs. May A. Wolfe of North Weymouth died suddenly on Saturday of apoplexy. She has been prominent in the work of the Woman's Relief Corps connected with Reynolds Post. A husband and family survive her. Her age was 55 years.

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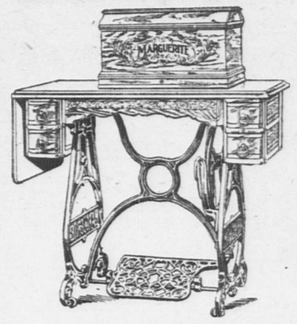
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NOTICE is hereby given that the copartnership carried on in Quincy by Michael Burns and Patrick H. Cormack, under the firm name of "BURNS & CORMACK" is dissolved, and the business will hereafter be conducted by Michael Burns.

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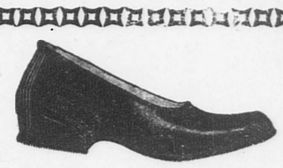
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HARRY WASHBURN SOUTHER, late of Cohasset in said County, dece intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presente said Court to grant a letter of administra on the estate of said deceased, to Sigrid Lu Souther of Cohasset, without giving a su on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Prob Court to be held at Dedham in said Count Norfolk, on the seventh day of Febru A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon show cause, if any you have, why the sa should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to g public notice thereof, by publishing this cita once in each week for three successive weeks the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper publish in Quincy, the last publication to be d day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge said Court, this twenty-first day of Janua A. D. 1900.

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VOTE TO WITHDRAW

Quincy Yacht Club Leaves the Association.

Important Action Taken at Annual Meeting.

A New Commodore Elected—Dr. F. E. Davis.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Yacht club was held Saturday evening in the Council chamber at City Hall. It was one of the most important meetings ever held, for after an animated discussion the club voted 47 to 7 to withdraw from the Yacht Racing Association of Massachusetts.

Previous to the regular meeting a special meeting was held, at which Article II of the by-laws was amended so as to divide the office of secretary and treasurer

The annual meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock by Commodore Fred B. Rice.

Reports of the Executive and House committees, and of the Treasurer were read and accepted.

The Treasurer's report showed the receipts from all sources to have been $2,555.13 and the expenditures $1,911.-96, leaving a balance on hand of $8.45.

The Executive committee recommended that the club house be kept open until the middle of October and that the club purchase chairs.

Voted to proceed to the election of officers and that the check list be used. That the polls be kept open fifteen minutes.

E. W. Newcomb, C. Eaton Pierce, A. L. Merritt and C. W. Hall were appointed a committee to receive and count ballots.

While the counters were making up returns of the ballot several minor amendments to the by-laws were made.

These amendments provided for an executive committee, who shall act as a regatta committee defining the duties of the secretary and treasurer; relative to the duties of the house committee; changing the word "regatta" to "executive," and a clause relative to payment of dues.

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James S. Whiting then moved that the Quincy Yacht club withdraw from the Yacht Racing Association of Massachusetts.

Ex-Commodore Henry M. Faxon asked for the reason.

Mr. Whiting replied, one of the principal reasons is the rule that has just been enacted that it was possible for a boat to be awarded the first, second and third prizes and the association pennant whether or not she has a competitor. The Quincy Yacht club has always stood for all that was fair in racing. It had always ruled that a yacht should have a competitor to win a prize. It was not yacht racing or sportsmen like to give a prize to a yacht that had a walkover.

Henry M. Faxon said he had represented the club in the Association for several years, and he had always found it ready to accord fair treatment to the Quincy club. The rule was passed against his vote. The sponser of it stated that it was rather hard for a boat to come a long distance and find no one to sail with in her class. It was understood that the boat should receive no money, but should be entitled to percentage. An average of thirty open races are held during the season and boats of our club are legible to compete. If we withdraw it will prevent an opportunity of winning cups and $500 in prize money. Then the Association issues a valuable book and we get a lot of information and free advertising from it. He had seen John T. Cavanagh, Mr. Hanley and L. D. Baker and they were opposed to withdrawing.

Mr. Whiting replied that the rules permitted any boat of a recognized yacht club to compete in the open races. Quincy boats had been treated unjustly by the Association on matters of appeal.

Mr. Faxon did not think so, and read from the official records to prove that it had been treated fairly.

Mr. Whiting then referred to a postponed race, which had been thrown out because one boat claimed not to have been notified.

Ex-Commodore Sanborn thought it would be a mistake to withdraw. An association was a necessity on account of the many clubs. We should not withdraw because we are dissatisfied. We should fight it out, and if we do not get what we want we should swallow our disappointment and try again. On the whole we have been treated well. He should be sorry to see the club get out.

John Cavanagh objected to the Association rule reducing sail area. If a boat can not carry all the sail it wants, many of the old boats would not have any show. They make such outrageous rules. If we can not have competent officers to take charge of the rules and stick to them we had better get out. He believed a club should say how sails should be measured. If we are to have an association let them set the racing days, but not make new rules every year. If we cannot sail our races according to our rules, but must abide by the Association rules, we should get out of the Association. He also criticised the alleged remark made by Secretary Bliss of the Association, that the crew of the Columbia were "down east farmers."

Henry H. Faxon said there had not been a year since he sailed the Tinker with Sam Spear but some one got beat and found fault. When you get into a regular fight you can refer it to the Association. People who do not beat want more sail. If he wants to win let him be up to the times and have a racing boat, and not a stone sloop. Build a boat that will carry sail.

Mr. Cavanagh—What I wanted was to stop reducing sail. Changing the sail area every year was all nonsense.

Henry M. Faxon—We are not obliged to give races under the rules of the Association only it does not count in Association percentage. Two years ago a majority thought it wise to encourage a type of boat with cabin accommodations, that would be of some value after it was through racing. With that idea, certain rules were adopted that may have been a little hard on some boats.

Arthur Cavanagh thought the Association had insulted the Quincy club and its members several times. He entered into a detailed statement of several incidents in which the Privateer figured. He favored withdrawing.

Mr. Whiting moved the previous question. Voted.

The motion to withdraw was then put and carried.

Henry H. Faxon doubted the vote, and moved it be taken by show of hands.

The result was 47 yes, 7 no.

The result was received with applause.

Mr. Whiting moved that the club insigna be changed to a design which represented foul anchors in which was a blue field and the club flag, instead of a red star on a white field. Voted.

Frank F. Crane announced that there was a subscription paper, at his store, for a series of open races under the Quincy Yacht club rules. He gave a general invitation to the members to subscribe.

The tellers then announced the result of the ballot for officers as follows:

Commodore.—Edwin E. Davis.

Vice-Commodore,—James S. Whiting.

Secretary,—Harold B. Faxon, 40; George D. Follett, 28. The former was elected.

Treasurer,—George W. Jones.

Measurer,—William C. Harrison.

Regatta Committee,—William P. Barker, Henry M. Faxon, George E. Pfaffmann and John W. Sanborn.

House Committee, — Herbert W. Barker, Frank F. Crane, William Edwards, C. Frederick Howe, Herbert W. Robbins, Joseph L. Whiton, Jr., and Ira M. Whittemore. C. Allen Howland, Jr., who was defeated, received 48 votes.

Commodore Davis was then called to the chair, and briefly thanked the members for his election.

Resolutions were adopted extending thanks to the retiring Commodore, Fred B. Rice. Thanks were passed to the Mayor and City Council for the use of the Council chamber, and to City Messenger Tirrell for opening the hall for the use of the club.

Adjourned 9.55.

TODAY'S COURT.

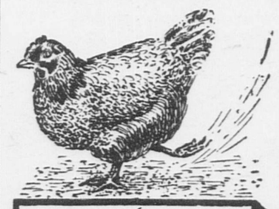
Fred H. Barker was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Feb. 19.

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Letters unclaimed for week ending Feb. 5, Walter Blake, Chase Turbine Mfg. Co., Burten Cochrane, Gunnar Johansson, John Litchfield, J. W. Newcomb, Erick Paul, Edward Roach.

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THIS WEEK IN CONGRESS.

A Variety of Subjects Will Be Taken Up and Discussed in Both Branches.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Today is suspension day in the house, but the regular order is likely to be superseded by the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill, which Chairman Hitt expects to call up. This bill probably will raise a wide field of discussion regarding our foreign relations, touching possibly the reciprocity treaties negotiated under the Dingley law, but more especially the question of mediation in the South African dispute.

William A. Smith of Michigan expects to offer an amendment for a minister to the South African republic, and in this way friends of the Boers may be able to bring the question to a test. Further discussion on the Philippine question also is inevitable. Mr. Hitt hopes to dispose of the bill in two days, but it is probable that he will be disappointed. For the remainder of the week the program is not arranged. A contested election case, or the District of Columbia appropriation bill may be brought forward after the diplomatic bill is out of the way.

The currency bill will continue to hold its place on the calendar as the unfinished business in the senate each day after 2 o'clock during the present week. No speeches on it are formally announced.

Some of the friends of the bill, including Senator Allison, have indicated a purpose to address the senate on this measure, but they probably will defer their remarks until the following week. Senator Chandler probably will speak against the bill this week. The speeches formally announced for the week are as follows:

By Mr. Caffery, on the Philippine question, Monday; by Mr. Butler, on the proposed suffrage amendment to the North Carolina constitution, Tuesday; by Mr. Turley, opposition to seating Mr. Quay, Wednesday.

Senator Chandler will make an effort to get up the Quay report during the week, but it is not expected that he will succeed in displacing the currency bill. Senator Pettigrew's resolution on the Boers may receive some attention during the week. It is also probable that during the week Senator Spooner will make reply to Senator Allen's strictures on the secretary of the treasury, in connection with the placing of the public funds in the New York banks. He desires to speak Monday or Tuesday.

Boy Beaten to Death.

Philadelphia, Feb. 5.—Hugh Dugan, aged 12, was found dead late Saturday night, with his skull crushed and about a dozen other wounds on the head. The police arrested Charles Weisenborn, aged 19, and after many attempts to wring a confession from him he finally broke down and made a clean breast of the affair. He said that the boys of the neighborhood, among whom was Dugan, continually annoyed him. Saturday night young Dugan met him and again began to tease him and call him vile names. Becoming angered Weisenborn says he threw the boy to the ground, pummeled him and left him laying in an alley. Not thinking that he had killed the boy, Weisenborn went to a theater and then home to bed, where he was arrested.

Loss of $1,500,000 by Fire.

St. Louis, Feb. 5.—Property to the estimated value of $1,500,000 was burned yesterday, the greater part of four buildings and their contents, in the heart of the retail section, being destroyed. One fireman was killed, nine others of the fire department were injured more or less seriously, and five or six slightly hurt. None of the injured will die, as far as known. There were six retail concerns which were heavy losers. The remainder of the loss is divided in varying proportions among a score of small shopkeepers or firms.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

James McGarrel, a waiter, was found dead at the foot of a flight of stairs leading to his lodging room at Boston. The police think his death was accidental.

Dow S. Williams, colored, was arrested at Boston as a fugitive from New Jersey justice and taken to Jersey City, where he will be arraigned on the charge of breaking and entering and larceny.

Fire burned to the ground the Hopkins & Allyn's pistol shop and partly destroyed several other buildings at Norwich, Conn. Loss, $400,000. Origin unknown.

Harry Vardon, a young Englishman, who holds the title of champion golf player of the world, has arrived at New York. He comes here to play some of the crack American players, and to give exhibitions.

Robert P. Porter, special commissioner of the United States to Cuba, has sailed for Havana to consult with General Wood and General Sanger on a revise of the tariff and internal revenue systems of the island.

The Central Labor union of Boston adopted resolutions in support of the bill now before the legislature, calling for local option on the subject of taxation.

Mrs. Emily Everett of Cambridge, Mass., received congratulations from her relatives and friends on the 101st anniversary of her birth. She is in excellent health.

In deference to the desire of the British cabinet, the Newfoundland legislature will meet in special session on Feb. 15 to renew the Anglo-French modus vivendi respecting the treaty shore.

The death has occurred at Bath, N. Y., of Major General William W. Averill, one of the most conspicuous cavalry leaders on the Union side during the Civil war, and since then prominent in business circles in New York city. He was born in Steuben county, N. Y., in 1832, and was of colonial ancestry.

While Charles T. Cushing and John Calley, two expressmen, were moving a printing press up stairs at Lynn, Mass., a rope broke, letting the heavy weight upon both men. Cushing died in a short time. Calley will recover.

The fine residence of Levi W. Scott at Chestnut Hill, Newton, Mass., was almost completely burned, the total loss exceeding $15,000.



A tasteful appearance in dress often comes as much from good laundering as from the quality of the clothing. Good laundering requires good soap and Ivory Soap is the best.

The fading of delicate shades is frequently the ruination of an expensive garment. Any color that will stand the free application of water can be washed with Ivory Soap.

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Gas Investigation.

The House adopted this order Friday That the board of gas and electric light commissioners be instructed to investigate forthwith the expediency of reducing the price at which gas for heating and illuminating purposes is sold to consumers in the commonwealth, and that said board be hereby requested to report the gross and net cost of the production and distribution of such gas, in all cities and towns in the commonwealth, together with all details showing how such cost and prices are arrived at; and also copies of all contracts made by any and every corporation or association in the commonwealth engaged in the production or distribution of such gas, with any other such corporation or association, and also whether there has been any violation of any of the laws of this commonwealth by any such corporation or association, and, if so, what violations and what measures have been taken to punish or restrain the offenders, together with its recommendations, to this General Court on or before the first day of April of the present year. All hearings by said commissioners under this order shall be public.

The Magazines.

In the February number of the Review of Reviews appears an illustrated character sketch of the late Dwight L. Moody by Mr. George Perry Morris who writes a discriminating estimate of the evangelist and his world-wide work.

The unique system of public benevolences established by the will of Oliver Smith in Northampton has been successfully administered for fifty years, and has accomplished untold good. An excellent paper on the origin, growth and results of the Smith Charities, contributed to the New England Magazine for February, will interest the student of sociology and economics.

☞ Furniture reupholstered and repaired. Mattresses made over. Carpets cleaned. Window Shades to order. Henry L. Kincaide & Co

Castle Square Theatre.

"The Bells of Haslemere" has been retained by the Castle Square theatre management as the attraction for the coming week and widespread interest in this production promises to give it unusual prominence in the season's successes. The work of Messrs. Pettitt and Grundy in this play has resulted in securing it a long continued popularity in both England and America and the interest in its scenes, situations and dialogue is as well maintained to-day as at the time of its original production at the Delphi Theatre, London. The Castle Square Theatre performances follow, in every particular, the version first given in this country at Boston Museum, and Stage Director J. R. Pitman has duplicated success he made at the Museum in his present work at the Castle Square. The various members of the company have won distinct success in their several characters and the artistic and realistic stage settings given the play command the heartiest praise. A dramatization of Conan Doyle's story "The firm of Girdlestone" is in preparation to follow "The Bells of Haslemere," and "The Prisoner of Zenda" followed by "Rupert of Hentzau" will also be given early production. The giving of boxes of chocolate bon bons to all Monday matinee patrons will be continued until further notice.

A Splendid Showing.

"The annual report of the Commissioners of Mass. Savings Banks for year ending October 31, 1899, shows a large gain in Deposits over previous year. Based upon this report the Wildey Savings Bank of Boston has issued its Annual Comparative Statement of Mass. Savings Banks, showing 'Gross and Net Gains in Deposits,' also percentage of Gain, Dividend rate, etc., which is a concise and comprehensive issue that institution made the largest Net Gain in Deposits and percentage of Gain during the year."

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Quincy, April 25. tf

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All Sizes, Black and Silver.
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Ladies' Storm Rubbers, 59c. Low Rubbers, 49c. Children's Storm, 49c.

Everything in our entire stock is marked way done, cost is lost sight of. We are bound to show to the people of Quincy and vicinity that this sale is a genuine CUT PRICE SALE. Shop anywhere, then compare our prices. We ask you to come in and see for yourself what we are doing for you we can sell you more for $1.00, than you can carry home. This Cut sale will continue until Feb. 15. New Idea Patterns this sale, 8c.

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GOEBEL PASSES AWAY,

Brother and Sister at His Bedside When the End Came.

Beckham Is at Once Sworn In as Governor.

Political Atmosphere Made Clearer by the Action of Taylor.

Threatening Sign of Armed Conflict Removed by Release of Alonzo Walker.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 5.—The bullet fired by an unknown assassin last Tuesday morning ended the life of William Goebel at 6:45 o'clock Saturday evening. The only persons present at his deathbed were Mr. Goebel's sister, Mrs. Braunacker, and his brother, Arthur Goebel of Cincinnati, who have been in constant attendance at Mr. Goebel's bedside. Justus Goebel, another brother, who had been hurrying from Arizona as fast as steam would carry him, arrived 40 minutes after Governor Goebel's death.

Oxygen was frequently administered to the dying man during the afternoon in an effort to keep him alive until his brother's arrival, but in vain. The train on which Justus Goebel was traveling was delayed several hours from various causes. Among bitter partisans of both parties deep grief is manifested, and already a movement has been started to erect a monument to Mr. Goebel's memory on the spot in the state house grounds where he was shot.

Mr. Goebel's condition Friday night and well into Saturday morning was considered so much improved that for the first time since he was shot hopes were entertained of his recovery. His hiccoughs and nausea, with both of which he had been troubled more or less from the first, had almost entirely disappeared, while his temperature had been reduced to nearly normal, and his pulse, though high, was apparently stronger.

About 4 o'clock a. m., however, the time of the night when the vitality is at its lowest ebb, the hiccoughs returned, accompanied by some nausea. This at first was not considered very serious and the trouble soon yielded to treatment, the patient again dozing until 6 o'clock, when he grew restless. At his request, former Congressman Handrick was called, and Mr. Goebel asked for some of his legal advisers with whom he wished to confer. From that time until about 10 o'clock Mr. Goebel rested fairly well, dozing at times, but shortly after 10 o'clock he suddenly grew worse. The hiccoughs and nausea returned with increased violence, much to the wounded man's distress, and his pulse ran up alarmingly. Drs. McCormack and Hume were hastily summoned and hypodermic injections of whisky and strychnine and afterward some morphine were given him. At Mr. Goebel's request, Chaplain Wallace of the Kentucky penitentiary, an intimate friend, was sent for and the two had a short conversation. "Lew," said Mr. Goebel, "I wish to announce to the world that I do not hold myself in open violence to the word of God."

The hypodermic injections afforded some temporary relief, but the sufferer for the first time in his long struggle for life had apparently lost his indomitable courage. "Doctor," said he, feebly, to Dr. McCormack, who stood at his bedside, "I am afraid now that I am not going to get over this."

Dr. McCormack endeavored to cheer the fast failing man, but the latter soon relapsed into a condition of semi-consciousness. About 1 o'clock he aroused himself and calling Dr. McCormack to his side said: "Doctor, am I going to get well? I want to know the truth, for I have several things to attend to."

"Mr. Goebel, you have but a few hours to live," replied Dr. McCormack.

At 6:10 p. m. Dr. Hume left the dying man's bedside and reported to the throngs of watchers in the corridors that death was a matter of but a few moments' time. The oxygen treatment was used constantly in a desperate effort to keep Mr. Goebel alive until Justus Goebel's arrival.

Finally, at 7:20, the train bearing Justus Goebel pulled into Frankfort. At the station to meet him were Urey Woodson, Samuel J. Shackelford, clerk of the court of appeals, and Mayor Rhinoch of Covington.

"Is he dead, tell me, is he dead?" were the first words Mr. Goebel uttered. "He is not dead," was the assurance given him by the friends, who had no inkling of the truth.

The party entered a carriage and five minutes later arrived at the Capitol hotel. Mr. Goebel was conducted to the chamber where lay his brother. The rap at the door was answered by Arthur, who silently drew Justus within and closed the door. Five minutes later Arthur again opened the door and motioned to the two physicians. "He died at 6:45 o'clock painlessly," was all he said, and then closed the door. There was no excitement in the corridor.

Within a few moments the following announcement had been prepared and was silently handed about the hotel and in the street:

"To the people of Kentucky: It is with the most profound sorrow that we announce the death of Governor William Goebel. In his last moments he counselled his friends to keep cool and bow to the law in all things. We, his friends and advisors, beg of the people of Kentucky in this hour of affliction to carefully abstain from any act of violence or any resort to mob law. It would be his wish if he were alive that there should be absolutely no stain on his memory by any imprudent act of any who were his friends. The law is supreme and must in time be re-established and all the wrongs he and his party have suffered will find their proper redress." This was signed by political friends of Mr. Goebel.

Exactly one hour after the death of Mr. Goebel J. C. W. Beckham was sworn in as governor of the state, the oath being administered by S. J. Shackelford, clerk of the court of appeals.

The ceremony took place in a small room on the same floor as that in which Mr. Goebel had died, but a few doors west of it.

As acting governor, and before taking the oath, Mr. Beckham issued an order removing Adjutant General Collier and Assistant Adjutant General Dixon, and directing all members of the Kentucky guard called to this city by Governor Taylor to return to their homes at once. Mr. Beckham issued a proclamation announcing the death of Mr. Goebel, and that he had assumed the duties of governor.

Mr. Beckham has appointed General John B. Castleman of Louisville adjutant general of the state.

Mr. Goebel was born in Pennsylvania, but removed when a child of 4 years with his parents to Covington, Ky., where he had lived ever since. He received his schooling in the public schools of Covington, and then read law with ex-Governor Stevenson. He showed such marked ability that Governor Stevenson made him his law partner, and this partnership was continued until the death of the governor, who made Mr. Goebel executor of his large estate without bond.

Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle was so impressed with the ability of Mr. Goebel that he formed a partnership with him, which lasted a number of years, and was only terminated when the gifted Kentuckian was made secretary of the treasury of the United States.

With two such associates as Stevenson and Carlisle, it was no wonder the young attorney rose rapidly in the law, and it was not long until he commanded a practice of $25,000 a year. He made a specialty of cases against corporations, including railroads, and was so successful in this that he soon found himself with more work than he could well do.

He thought the bridge tolls across the Ohio river were too high, and so he introduced and had passed a bill through the Kentucky legislature reducing the tolls to 1 cent for a foot passenger. Colonel John Sanford, an ex-Confederate soldier, was a large stockholder in one of the bridge companies, and he denounced Goebel for fathering the bill and wrote a severe article, which was published in a Covington paper, abusing Goebel for the part he took in reducing the tolls. Goebel replied in a sharp, unsigned article.

Goebel was soon informed that Colonel Sanford had threatened to kill him on sight. He procured a pistol, and he and the colonel met a short time afterward on the steps of the bank in which the colonel was cashier. The colonel asked Mr. Goebel if he was the author of the article in which he was so unmercifully attacked. Goebel replied, "Yes." The colonel made a motion as if to draw a weapon, but before he could get his hand on his pistol Goebel had shot him dead. He was acquitted at the examining trial, on the ground that he acted in self-defense.

One of the first bills Goebel made a law after he went to the state senate was that to make gambling a felony.

He was considered one of the most expert parliamentarians in the state, and was a leading member of the convention that revised the state constitution. He was president pro tem of the senate and the leader of the Democratic side of that body, as well as being chairman of the judiciary committee.

Mr. Goebel was unmarried. Unlike the average Kentucky politician, he neither used tobacco nor liquor. Out of his earnings as a lawyer he educated one brother and assisted the other one to engage in a lucrative business.

Armed conflict between the civil authorities of Franklin county and the national guard of the state has been averted, and unless new causes come to the front there is small liklihood that the political situation will again become as threatening as it has been during the last 36 hours.

Governor Taylor ordered the release of Alonzo Walker, for the possession of whom Judge Moore had declared that Sheriff Suter should swear in a posse and take possession of the capitol grounds if such an extreme measure should become necessary.

While not recognizing in his action the existence of the writ of habeas corpus which had been sworn out in behalf of Walker, Governor Taylor, by releasing the man, removed the most threatening sign of trouble.

Alonzo Walker, the stenographer who was placed under arrest on the charge of inciting the soldiers of the state guard to mutiny, while pinning a notice of a proposed application for an injunction upon the door of the office of Governor Taylor, was released yesterday. The release was not made in response to the writ of habeas corpus, which Sheriff Suter tried in vain Saturday to serve upon Governor Taylor. The latter concluded that Walker had remained in custody for a sufficient length of time, and told him to go home. The charge of inciting to mutiny has not been quashed, but Walker may yet be brought before a court-martial, as was at one time contemplated by the officers of the state guard.

Thirty-two of the Kentucky legislature, all Democrats, are making the hotels and homes of friends in Cincinnati an asylum of refuge from whatever unknown and unpleasant possibilities in the capital city of their own state may have in store for them.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1-4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

TO STRIKE ENGLAND.

Maud Gonne Tells Irishmen That the Present Is the Time to Act.

English Soldiers' Uniform a "Badge of Servitude."

Says Present Crisis Demonstrates That Begining of England's End Is at Hand.

New York, Feb. 5.—The Academy of Music was crowded from pit to dome last night with men and women, who cheered Maud Gonne in her bitter denunciation of England's policy in South Africa. Miss Gonne did not confine her remarks against England in her war with the Boers, but in no uncertain terms told her hearers that now is the time for Irishmen to strike an effective blow, and throw off the shackles that have bound them for more than 700 years.

"England's difficulty is Ireland's opportunity, and if you are men, having the freedom of Ireland at heart, now is your time," she declared, amid the plaudits of the gathering that cheered itself hoarse. She said in part:

"One of the greatest crimes the world has ever witnessed is being perpetrated in South Africa by England today. Actuated, as she always has been, for the acquisition of territory, and a lust for gold, England, the robber nation of the world, has brought want, woe and desolation to the unoffending white races in South Africa. The history of England is a long and shameless record of cruelty and hypocrisy. It matters not what nation England is at war with, right or wrong, it is Ireland's duty to oppose, thwart and hinder her at every step. America knows but too well the lies and the calumnies that were cast out against her by England when she tried to make permanent her foothold on American soil. Today she is your vanquished tyrant.

"I say it is only a coward that would stand idly by and unmoved watch the terrible crime. To the poor Boers it is a matter of life or death. They cannot stand by and see the invader drain away the life of the country and see the people destroyed, like we Irish have been.

"We know that the Boers are right when they refuse to permit their wealth to be drained away. They say they will fight and conquer, or die. In this war England has violated all the rights of civilized warfare. It was said in London at the commencement of the conflict that the Boers would receive the same treatment as did the Poor Dervishes, that is, they intended beforehand to murder the wounded and the dying, and the sick on the battlefied."

Speaking on the treatment of the Boer sick and wounded, Miss Gonne read lengthy extracts from letters sent by English officers and soldiers at the seat of war describing inhuman treatment meted out to the sick soldiers of the Boer army that had fallen into their hands. Turning from this, Miss Gonne said:

"It is a great pleasure to us to know that there is an Irish brigade fighting for Kruger. It was organized by John McBride, and is today in command of Colonel Blake. There is another Irish brigade fighting for the common enemy, wearing her uniform as a badge of their servitude. Colonel Blake's brigade was, we are told, 1500 at first, and now it is 3000 strong, many of the new recruits being Irish and Irish-Americans. It is indeed pleasing to know that the passages of many of them were paid to the front by the Queen of England.

"Irishmen, what are you doing both at home and abroad in this critical moment of English difficulty? This is the time to strike if you ever will or want to strike. What are you doing, men of Ireland? The spirit of the people in Ireland is ripe, and the flags of the Transvaal have been borne everywhere, while the union jack has been torn from its fastenings everywhere. Today the government dare not let any of the Irish troops pass through the streets of Dublin on their way to the Transvaal.

"In every meeting that I attended in Ireland, I advised the young men of the country that it was treason for a man to wear England's red cloth of shame, and today the recruiting officers are scouring the workhouses for recruits. The Boers have today destroyed, and forever too, the vaunted boast of England as a fighting nation. The lesson taught in this fight by the brave Boers ought to be a lesson to Ipishmen, and that is that liberty can never be won without loss of blood. The present crisis simply demonstrates that the beginning of the end of England is at hand. Your mother Ireland still holds out to you the hand of hope, for, fellow countrymen, has not Ireland been the land of sorrow long enough?"

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., theu 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

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r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
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r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49
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r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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a, Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b, Norfolk Downs.	g, Savin Hill.
c, Atlantic.	h, Crescent Avenue
d, Neponset.	i, South Boston.
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3 32	5 45 da	6 06 r
4 32	5 58 cba	6 19 r
5 32	6 15 da	6 36
6 32	6 28 cba	6 49
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

WHERE IS BULLER?

War Office Gives Public No Word as to His Location.

French Preparing to March Upon Norval's Pont.

Chamberlain Admits That Critical State of War Has Been Reached.

Declares That England's Action Was Just, Necessary and Righteous.

London, Feb. 7.—London is now asking, "Where is Buller?" His exact location is a mystery to the general public. If the war office knows where he is it is guarding the secret with the utmost jealousy.

Yesterday morning apparently authentic dispatches from Durban and Ladysmith stated that Buller had crossed the Tugela Friday night and was fighting his way to Ladysmith. The reports were generally believed because they were in accord with what the public expected.

But all yesterday passed and the war office refused to confirm these reports. The officials said they had no official dispatches from Bulier, but they gave the impression that they had considerable news if they wished to give it out.

No authentic word is at hand, save that the war office reaffirmed generally to newspaper inquiries at a late hour that it could not confirm the reported advance. There the Natal situation rests.

It is from the western field that more definite statements come. Large operations are apparently about to begin. General French, who has now returned to Rensburg, from his conference with Lord Roberts, has sent what is described as an overwhelming force of infantry to seize Norval's Pont. This is where the railway, before it was destroyed, crossed the Orange river and connected with the Free State trunk line to Bloemfontein.

Norval's Pont is 19 miles north of Colesberg, and 25 miles from General French's headquarters at Rensburg. The Boers at Colesberg have been in danger of being surrounded by the largely reinforced and extended lines of the British. An occupation of Norval's Pont in force would presumably render Colesberg untenable.

The Boers are showing great activity in the Naauw Poort and Colesberg districts. Many of the guns hitherto facing Lord Methuen are believed to have been taken to Norval's Pont. The British, therefore, may find formidable bodies of Boers there.

The war office announces that 15 transports will be dispatched between today and Monday, with 13,000 troops, including the Fourth cavalry brigade, militia battalions and 3000 yeomanry.

Sir Alfred Milner has sent most hopeful and encouraging reports to the government regarding the prospect of the campaign, and it is understood that his views are shared by Lord Roberts.

A dispatch to The Times from Queenstown, Cape Colony, dated Monday, says: "General Brabant, while addressing one of the regiments of the colonial division, on parade yesterday, said they were leaving the next morning for the front, not to return, he hoped, until the task entrusted to him by Lord Roberts had been successfully accomplished. He could not disclose the plan of operations, but if his intentions were carried out the greatest glutton of fighting among them would have his fill."

The debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne was resumed in the house of commons yesterday by Sir William Vernon Harcourt, who declared the war was due to a reversal of the policy laid down by the government in 1881 and 1895. Reviewing the negotiations, Sir William said the great misfortune was that the men consulted in regard to the situation in South Africa were "the authors of the Jameson raid and the Helots of Park lane."

Regarding the attacks on the South Africa committee, of which he was a member, Mr. Harcourt said the only reason, so far as he was aware, that the investigation was not pursued further, was that the committee would have to reassemble during the following session of parliament, and the author of the raid had sufficient influence inside and outside the house to prevent the reappointment of the committee. He also urged that the slanders regarding the connivance of the government in the raid should be rebutted. He contended that though the war was an unhappy business it must be fought out to the bitter end.

Mr. Chamberlain followed. He dwelt on the broad issues and did not deal so much with details. He paid a glowing tribute to the colonies and the promise of the future federation of the empire.

Mr. Chamberlain admitted that a critical state of the war had been reached, and that the situation was undoubtedly serious, though he did not believe the country was in danger. He refused to discuss the South African committee and briefly summarized the negotiations with the Transvaal, pointing out that the issues between the Boers and British were real and great and inherent in the differences between the Boer and British civilizations. If the preparations for war were insufficient, it was wholly due to the fact that the government was determined to do everything to secure peace and to do nothing to endanger it.

Mr. Chamberlain further declared that the war was just, necessary and righteous. It would be premature to talk of terms of settlement. "But," he asserted, "there will be no second Majuba. Never again shall the Boers erect in the heart of South Africa a citadel whence to proceed to disaffection and race animosity. Never again shall they be able to endanger the paramountcy of Great Britain. Never again shall they be able to treat an Englishman as though he belonged to an inferior race.

"We have suffered checks," said Mr. Chamberlain, "and have made mistakes. I am not anxious to dispute as to the blame. Let the government bear the brunt until the time comes when, under happier auspices, we can see how far the blame is to be apportioned between the system and those administering it. In the meantime blame us.

"What is now urgent is to redress those checks and to repair mistakes. You say we have sent too few troops; but we are pouring them into South Africa. In a few weeks we will have 200,000 men there. We will have as many mounted men as there are mounted Boers.

"Meanwhile the spirit of the nation is unbroken. There is no sacrifice which we are unwilling to make. There is no sacrifice we are unwilling to ask of the colonies, if we think it necessary to success. I must go further than this and admit that this war, under new conditions, in a new country with new arms, against a new people whose tenacity and courage are as admirable as the courage and tenacity of our own soldiers, has required a larger scheme than any the government has yet been called upon to meet. One of the lessons of the war is the enormous defensive power possessed by troops defending their own country. The second point is that when we propose a scheme to meet this emergency we shall do so not as a party, but as a nation."

Referring to statements regarding "national gloom," Mr. Chamberlain said: "I do not accept the phrase. I know of anxiety and of irritation, perhaps, but not of vacillation approaching fear or gloom."

The colonial secretary concluded with a glowing tribute to the manner in which the colonies have rallied to the empire, saying: "We are now finding the infinite potentialities and resources of the empire. We are advancing to the realization of that great federation of our race which must inevitably make for peace, liberty and justice."

John Dillon said that the nationalists, believing the war to be unjust and iniquitous war of aggression, entirely unprovoked," were unable to support an amendment declaring that the war should be prosecuted with vigor. He pressed for the publication of General Butler's dispatches, saying: "It is generally believed that Sir William Butler considered that, in case of war, no attempt should be made to protect Natal beyond the Tugela. If so, the country is entitled to know."

Mr. Balfour—No, it is not.

Mr. Dillon, continuing, said that the military reputation of England was irreparably ruined; that the Boers had established a claim to be free, and that no amount of brute force could ever diminish their claims.

President Steyn and President Kruger have communicated with Field Marshal Lord Roberts, the British commander-in-chief, protesting against the destruction of farm houses and the devastation of property. Lord Roberts, in replying, declared the charges were not substantiated, adding that wanton destruction of property was contrary to British practices.

Mrs. Blake's Ambition.

New York, Feb. 6.—Mrs. Lillie Devereux Blake last night announced her candidacy for the presidency of the National Woman Suffrage association, and it is said here that the national convention of the association, which



LILLIE DEVEREUX BLAKE.

meets on Thursday at Washington with six candidates for the office vacated by Susan B. Anthony, will be the liveliest ever held by the advocates of universal suffrage. There have been only two elections in the association since it was founded in 1896, the election of Elizabeth Cady Stanton as the first president and the election of Miss Anthony, who has been acting as president for a long time, and was chosen without any opposition.

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Republicans Say That Taylor Will Accept Decision.

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Democrats Hurried Into the City and Later Hurried Out Again.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 6.—In an agreement drawn up this morning at the conference at Louisville of representatives of the Republican and Democratic administration, the Democrats gained nearly every point they contended for. The Republican representatives gave assurances that the agreement would be accepted by Governor Taylor.

The agreement provides that in order to leave no question as to the title of Goebel and Beckham as governor and lieutenant governor, respectively, the general assembly shall pass a resolution validating the acts on that subject since the legislature has been prevented from holding its regular sessions at Frankfort.

Beckham's title to the office of governor is then not to be questioned. The Democrats will grant immunity to Gobernor Taylor and his associates from prosecution for what has been done since the shooting of Goebel.

The Republican legislature is to be withdrawn from London. General Lindsay is to decide how many troops should be left in Frankfort to prevent a clash as a result of the Goebel funeral, the Republicans to begin at once the withdrawal of troops from Frankfort.

The board of election commissioners, sitting as a contest board, is to be allowed to meet at Frankfort, the Democrats agreeing that nothing be done without due hearing of evidence and argument. To two leading Republicans

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DRESS GOODS. One lot of Heavy Crepon effect Novelty Goods 44 inches wide and always sold for 89c. We do not wish to carry these over to next season, so they all go at less than cost. Red Letter Week. . . . 59c

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LADIES' HOSE. A fine Fast Black, Fleeced Lined, Fifteen-cent Hose made from an extra quality elastic yarn. Red Letter Week. . . . 10c

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	48	41	40	22	32
Monday,	39	41	24	43	33
Tuesday,	33	30	34	40	41
Wednesday,	—	39	32	36	45
Thursday,	—	20	30	43	50
Friday,	—	20	15	42	41
Saturday,	—	21	10	50	32

New Advertisements Today.

Boston Bargain Department Store.
Dressmaking.
Hearings—State House (2).

Good Afternoon.

One of the important matters which will come before the Council this spring will be the order for the proposed new hose house at Wollaston.

To those who are familar with the present central fire station, the opinion is freely expressed, and in some instances in rather forcible language, that the designing of the interior of the new hose house in that ward should be left entirely with the Chief Engineer. It is he who is held responsible for the proper handling of the apparatus, the speed at which it can get under-way for a fire, the care of the hose, wagon, horses and harnesses after returning, to say nothing of proper and well ventilated rooms for the use of the men.

The locating of dormatories, hallways, doors, stalls for the horses, sliding poles and a hundred minor things, which to the layman seem trivial, mean to the chief and his men the success or failure of the house.

The Council, is amply competent to pass on the external architectural features but not on the interior. That egregious blunder known as the "Central Fire Station" should be a warning to future generations of City Councils not to meddle with something of which they have no practical knowledge.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ It quite takes ones breath away to try to keep up with the queer things in this day and generation. The latest is that ex-Mayor Quincy of Boston is to be married, incredible as it may sound.—Milford Journal.

☞ Indiscriminate condemnation of politics because of the Kentucky affair is nonsense. There is good politics and bad politics, and the Kentucky shooting kind is very bad. It is no worse, however, than buying votes in New Bedford, and perversions of both sort ought to be frowned down everywhere by the exalting of good politics. —New Bedford Standard.

☞ City after city in England is buying up gas and electric light plants and street railways as fast as their leases to private corporations expire. People are alive to the fact that the big dividends earned by these private corporations represent the money that should, under judicious management, have gone into the city treasury and have been saved to the individual.—Bridgeport Post.

☞ The crime committed in Kentucky last week was abhorrent in design and in every incident. Nevertheless, it is just and necessary to say that in a true sense, Goebel is responsible for the act of which he is the victim and for which he had indeed, personally set a precedent. He had been long and assiduously engaged in an attempt to murder the state.—New York Tribune.

☞ The big store started its Red Letter sale yesterday. Judging from the looks of the bundle ladened people as they emerge, they are finding bargains very much to their taste.

—The Grand Encampment, I. O. O. F., will meet Thursday in Boston.

FRANK F. CRANE,

AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut St., Quincy, Mass

Aug. 17. tf

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Authority Wanted to Expend $300,000 More for Sewers.

Assessors' Petition Has Gone to Legislature.

A Petition to State Commission to Release Washington Street.

An important meeting of the City Council was held Monday evening. Notice was received of one petition to the Legislature, and authority is wanted to borrow more for sewers. There were many petitions and reports and other business.

Councilmen Bryant and Hogan were the absent members.

Councilman Packard the senior member, called the meeting to order, and upon roll call was elected chairman, receiving 17 votes to 3 for Councilman Freeman.

JURORS.

Assisted by Councilman Faxon, Mayor Hall and City Clerk drew Arthur W. Woodward, Thomas E. Furnald and Josiah A. Fenno as jurors.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The School Committee forwarded the communication received from the State Police, relative to ventilating the Wollaston school building. Referred to Committee on Public Buildings.

REVOLUTIONARY HEROES.

The Mayor forwarded a notice relative to marking the graves of soldiers of the American Revolution, and advising a small appropriation. Referred to Finance Committee.

SCHOOL HOUSE PLANS.

The Mayor sent a communication stating that the plans of the Gridley Bryant school would need many changes before they could be used for the Cranch Hill school, and requested an appropriation.

Councilman Poland said an appropriation was made by the City Council of 1899 for this purpose and moved to lay the communication on the table; lost by a vote of 10 to 11.

The matter was then referred to the Committee on Public Buildings.

AMENDMENT TO CHARTER.

The Mayor gave notice that he had petitioned the Legislature, as authorized by the City Council of 1899, relative to changing the number of assessors. Placed on file.

NEW JURY LIST.

The Registrars of Voters presented the jury list which was read and adopted, after a ruling by the City Solicitor that the City Council could not strike off any names.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Mayor forwarded the following appointments:

Board of Health,—John S. Gay, Dr. T. J. Dion, Dr. C. W. Garey.

City Engineer,—Hamilton Flood.

Sewer Commissioners for 3 years,—Frank E. Badger.

Placed on file.

He also forwarded for confirmation the following appointments:

Inspector of Milk,—Henry C. Hallowell, M. D.

Weigher of Coal,—Herbert D. Adams, E. Frank Mitchell, Frank S. Patch, Frank W. Crane, William W. Cushing George P. Meade, Eben W. Sheppard, George B. Pray and Herbert A. Newton.

Measurers of Grain,—Frank W. Crane, Charles H. Hersey and William C. Hart.

Pound Keeper,—Franklin Jacobs.

They were all confirmed.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were received for electric lights on Farrington street, River street, Charles street, Silver street, Elm place, North street, Arthur street, Nelson street and Carlmark street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

John W. Hersey petitioned for a hearing for award of damages for land taken at 17 and 19 Coddington street by widening. Referred to Committee on Streets.

The Calvary Baptist church petitioned for apportionment of its sewer assesment. Placed on file.

NO STATE HIGHWAY.

Herbert M. Federhen and others petitioned that the Highway Commission be petitioned to release to the city of Quincy all rights acquired on Washington street, between Chubbuck street and the bridge. Referred to Committee on Streets.

QUINCY AVENUE.

A petition was received for the widening of the travelled way to the east side of Quincy avenue and for the construction of a sidewalk.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

MENACE TO HEALTH.

Robert Atkins and others petitioned that the junk dealers licenses of certain persons who store junk in the rear of 173 and 175 Water street, adjoining the John Hancock school, be revoked.

Referred to Committee on Licenses.

The New England Telephone Co. petitioned for locations of poles. Referred to Committee on Streets.

A petition was received for the location of a fire alarm box on Quincy avenue, near the residence of Peter Williams. Referred to Committee on Fire Department.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Licenses reported favorably on several petitions for minor licenses, which were adopted.

MORE SEWER DEBT.

The Committee on Sewers and Drains reported an order authorizing the Mayor to petition the Legislature for authority to borrow $300,000 outside the debt limit for sewer extensions, in addition to the $400,000 already authorized for that purpose. Referred to Committee on Finance.

The Committee on Streets reported an order granting the New England Telephone Co. a location for 38 poles on West street, with the provisions that satisfactory arrangements be made with the Electric Light Co. for their wires, that the other poles be removed and the lines of the city be moved to the new poles. Read once.

QUINCY POINT BRIDGE.

Councilman Newcomb offered a resolution that the City Council endorse the petition of F. O. Wellington and others, now before the Legislature, for the widening of Quincy Point drawbridge and that the Mayor and Committee on Legislative matters appear before the committee who have the bill in charge and advocate its passage. Referred to the joint Committee of Legislative Matters on Bridges.

MORE LIGHT.

Councilman Hill offered an order to replace the incandescent light on Appleton street, for an arc light and for three incandescent lights on Webster street, three on Madison, one on Clive and one on Botolph streets. Referred to Committee on Streets.

AFTER JUNK MEN.

Councilman Johnson offered an order to amend section thirteen of Ordinance 12, so as to provide that no wagon shall be used for the collection of junk unless licensed by the City Council, that it shall have the name and number on each side and the license shall also give the name of the driver of said team, that the fee shall be $10. Referred to Committee on Licenses.

Councilman Johnson offered an order that the Commissioner of Public Works locate one incandescent light on Clark avenue. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Packard offered orders for a hydrant at the corner of Revere road and Chestnut street, that the gas light in front of the Wilson estate on Hancock street be discontinued and an arc light placed there, and that stone crossings be built at Granite and Fort streets, and Hancock street and Cottage avenue. These were referred to the Committees on Fire Department and Street.

Adjourned at 8.30.

Monday Evening Club.

At the meeting of the Monday Evening club this week Miss Edith Randall gave a very bright, instructive paper on Nineteenth Century American Art. It was a most excellent paper, admirably presented and full of interesting suggestion.

After the intermission the following musical programme was given.

Group of songs, Two Shakspeare songs and "Mignon," Miss Josephine Knight.

Violin solo—"Berceuse," Godard, Miss Adelaide Thomas.

Vocal solo, "An Open Secret," Miss Elsie Lincoln.

Violin solos, "Cantilena," Bohm, "Canzonetta," Herbert, Miss Adelaide Thomas.

There were several encores and it was altogether an ideal programme. Much credit is due the literary committee, Miss Sadie Melzard and Mr. Charles E. Cherrington and the music committee Miss Bessie Drew and Mr. Edmund R. Wade.

Hull Races.

The Hull-Massachusetts club is early in the field with dates for yacht races and has gobbled most of the Saturdays.

Club races will be given on the following Saturdays: June 2, 16 and 30; July 7, 14, 21 and 28; Aug. 4, 11 and 25 Sept. 1 and 8. The Y. R. A. open races over the outside courses will be given Monday, June 18. The water sport are set for Saturday, Aug. 18.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

DIED.

CAREY—In Quincy, Feb. 4, Annie T., daughter of Mr. Michael J., and Mrs. Mary A. Carey, aged 2 years, 7 months and 4 days.

HENDRICKSON—In Quincy, Feb. 5, Lillie, daughter of Mr. Matt and Mrs. Lizzie O. Hendrickson, aged 2 months and 9 days.

CURTIS—In Dorchester, Feb. 6, Mrs. Harriet A. Curtis, aged 71 years, 6 months.

Funeral Thursday Feb. 8, from 21 Allston street Dorchester, at 2 P. M.

A WESTERN VIEW.

First Class Granite Cutters Ought to Have $3 for 8 Hours.

J. M. Sullivan of Minneapolis, Minn., under date of Jan. 2, writes to the Monumental News the following letter on the eight-hour problem:

"Dear Sir:—I find on my desk yours of December 12th, asking my opinion as to the probable results of the advance of prices as demanded by the Granite Cutters' Union. I should say that if there seems to be a general demand for $3.00 for eight hours a day, it would be better to settle it in that way, and make the period 10 or 20 years so that we would not be all the time fearful of strikes, or entering into a large contract on account of possible changes in prices.

"There is certainly a strong tendency towards eight hours a day in the United States, in all trades, and I do not see that it makes much difference in this business, so long as we know what it is, and can depend upon it. The consumer will have it to pay, and as the product cannot be classed as a necessity, it will work no hardship on those who see fit to buy this class of work. A man will not get quite so large a monument for his money, as he could if the producing price was a little less, but it will be a memorial just the same, and will fill all desired wants.

"Granite cutting is hard work and I believe that a good, competent man who is faithful, and able to leave behind him the marks of a first-class mechanic, ought to have $3.00 for eight hours work. In early life, I spent nearly 20 years with the mallet and chisel, and speak from experience. No doubt, it will to some extent, nullify the effect of the present tariff by letting in foreign competition, but even this may not be feared very much on account of the large demand for light gray granite, which does not exist to any extent in foreign countries.

"I should suggest, and hope, that in the event of the manufacturer submitting to this change, (which I hope they will do) the Granite Cutters' Union should be generous while passing over the divide, in as much as they are to secure their demands, and profit by it for years; they should not be too exacting where parties have a large quantity of contracts on hand, taken at time when they were not just certain whether the advance would come, or not.

"No doubt some have figured lower than they would, had they been positive that the advance was to take place and I should say that a general good fellowship adjustment of these matters, say in the spring and first part of the summer of 1900, before settling permanently down onto the new regime, would go a good way toward a kindly feeling between workman and manufacturer through the years to come.

"There has been a general advance in all necessities which a workman is obliged to buy for even the common comforts of his family, and I can see nothing but justice and right, in a reasonable advance in the compensation for his labor. The public expect it. If times should get very hard, and prices of all the necessities of life should get lower again, even though this contract may be unchangeable for a period of years, there would be a relief, as there has been in the past. If work is very scarce, piece work can be done at a less rate than day work, or other compromises may be made by which a man can have work, because he would rather work at a small compensation, than to be idle. This, however, is only incidental, but it has worked this way in the past.

"The above suggestions may be of no particular value, but indicates the line along which I have been thinking since the agitation of the subject."

Mrs. Curtis Dead.

Mrs. Harriet A. Curtis, who died early this morning at Dorchester, was for most of her life a resident of Quincy, and is remembered by many of our citizens. For twenty years or more she was a prominent member of the choir of the Evangelical Congregational church, now the Bethany church, of which she was one of the eldest members. She sang in the old edifice at the corner of Hancock and Canal streets and also in the present church. For over a year she had been seriously ill. She leaves two sons, Mr. Jesse F., of this city and Henry of Boston, also a daughter, Mrs. Harriet S. Brainerd of Dorchester at whose residence she died.

The funeral will be from 21 Allston street, Dorchester, on Thursday, at 2 P. M. The burial will be at Mt. Wollaston in this city.

Combination 2.

The company of Combination 2 was organized last night by District Engineer O'Brien as follows: James Sullivan, foreman; R. J. Colbert, 1st lieuenant; A. E. Stephenson, 2d lieutenant; John Granahan, clerk; Faxon Billings, driver; C. J. Leary, steward; John Creedon, Thomas Hayes, B. Cullen and Joseph Fratus.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Cloudy today.

There is one case of scarlet fever on Botolph street.

If it continues cold, skating will be good at the Point.

Another whist party will be held at Odd Fellows' hall Thursday evening.

Several cases of scarlet fever are reported among the children of Atlantic.

There was a lively game of polo on the quarry in Norfolk Downs on Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Newcomb is slowly recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

Rev. A.A. Ellsworth lectures tonight in the Quincy Point course on "Human Books."

Hamilton Flood, the new City Engineer, commenced his duties this morning.

Miss Eleanor Chute entertained the Good Templars at her home Monday evening.

Master Edward Kerrigan had his collar bone broken by falling on the ice Saturday.

A team from the Quincy Mansion school is entered in the basket ball tournament to be held in Boston, Feb. 22.

The Board of Health organized Monday night with John S. Gay as chairman and Dr. Thomas J. Dion as secretary.

Miss Bertha F. Hayden, correspondent for the Quincy Patriot and Daily Ledger, has accepted a position in a publishing house in Boston.

Principal Atkins of the John Hancock school and boys of the A Grammar grade were in attendance at the meeting of the City Council.

Mrs. Albert Shay of Wollaston Park was taken sick last week while at the Wollaston Yacht club whist party, she has been confined to her bed since.

The Chinese laundry which was in the small building near the Duggan block has been removed to the new block corner of Sagamore and Prospect streets.

The petition of Mayor Hall to the Legislature, and the proposed bill for amendment of the city charter relative to Assessors, will appear in full in the Ledger tomorrow.

Representative Sprague spoke in opposition to the amendment to the Dubuque law in the House Monday, and the majority were with him, the vote being 108 to 51.

Business is booming at the office of George W. Prescott & Son, and three additional men were put on Monday. Their aim is prompt work, accurate work and good work.

Miss Beatrice Lee of Boston has been the guest of Miss Olive Morrill of Wollaston Park for the past few days. Miss Lee is a student of the Institute of Technology, and is on a ten days' vacation.

City Messenger Tirrell was busy Monday night moving the furnishings of the Assessors' department to the Water office, and the furniture of the latter office to the room occupied by the Assessors.

James S. Whiting who for two years has had the management of the Quincy Yacht club challenge cup, having been promoted to vice commodore, retires from that office. It is understood that Ex-Commodore Rice will be tendered the position.

The officers of Merrymount lodge, A. O. U. W., will be publicly installed next Tuesday evening. After the installation, refreshments will be served and the balance of the evening will be spent in playing whist. Suitable prizes will be awarded.

☞ Wall Papers. All the latest designs in the richest colorings. Direct from the leading New York ware rooms. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Mourners' Bench to Go.

Boston, Feb. 6.—The colored clergymen yesterday decided to do away with the mourner's bench in churches, an old-time institution. The benches are usually the first two seats in a place where revival services are being held. Here gather each evening all those who are asking to become Christians. They are prayed over by the pastors and shown the error of their ways. At times these mourners get excited by their change of heart, and shout loud and long. Those who "have religion" in the audience very often get happy by contagion, thus making an uproar in the church.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The storm has moved northeastward over Nova Scotia, attended by southeasterly, shifting to northwesterly, gales along the north Atlantic coast and followed by clearing and colder weather. There are no present indications of severe cold in any part of the United States. In the Atlantic coast states the weather will be more or less cloudy and conditions favorable for rain may develop tonight or tomorrow. Along the New England coast the winds will become variable and shift to south.



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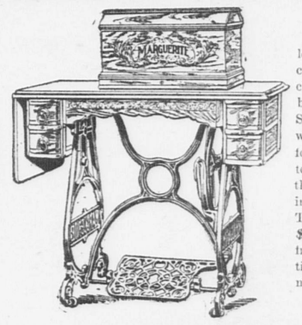
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Hancock Street, Quincy.

TODAY'S COURT.

Patrick J. Whalan was sent to the house of correction for thirty days for drunkenness at Randolph.

Fred Ross was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy. Ross said he made a mistake. He thought he was in Everett and was surprised to find he was in Quincy.

The continued case of Abel D. Brown of Quincy for receiving stolen property was heard. The case was then continued until Wednesday for judgment.

The continued case of Frank Curtis for larceny at Braintree was heard and continued until Thursday for judgment.

☞ Glenwood Ranges make cooking easy, and cut down the coal bills. From $22.00 up. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 3d, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 499, (introduced on leave by Mr. Dalton of Salem) relative to licensing stables in certain cities, at room No. 444, State House, on THURSDAY, Feb. 8th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
FRANK E. WETHERELL,
Feb. 6-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 5, 1900.

THE Special Committee on Gypsy Moth will give a hearing to parties interested in the extermination of the moths, at room No. 426, State House, on THURSDAY, Feb. 8, at 10 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
TEMPLE A. WINSLOE,
Feb. 6-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Quincy Music Hall.

A. G. DURGIN, Manager.

THURSDAY, FEB. 8.

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Popular Prices, 25, 35 and 50c.

Seats on sale at Durgin's.

Feb. 5. 4t

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Jan. 29. tf

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Grocers' Annual Banquet.

THE Quincy Grocers' Association hold their Ninth Annual Banquet, WEDNESDAY Evening, February 14th. Any of the Quincy Business Men wishing to attend can procure tickets of the Committee.

GEORGE H. WILSON,
JOHN W. NASH,
JOSEPH W. JOHNSON.

Quincy, Feb. 5. tf

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Feb. 1. tf

Boston Bargain Department Store

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MUSIC HALL BUILDING, - QUINCY, MASS.

Domestic Goods.

36-in. Brown Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale, **3c** per yd
40-in. Brown Sheeting, 8c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
42-in Bleached Pillow Cotton, 8c. goods, This Sale, **6c** per yd
36-in. Bleached Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale **3c** per yd
1,000 yds. Fancy Outing Flannel, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5** and **7c** per yd
5c. Merrimac and American Prints, This Sale, **3c** per yd
7c. Simpson Dark Prints, This Sale, **4c** per yd
36-in. 10 and 8c. Percale, This Sale, **5c** per yd
2 1-2 yds. x 2 1-4--50c. Hemmed Sheets, This Sale, **30c**
10c. Pillow Cases, Best Cotton, This Sale, **5c**
1,000 yds. Colored Dress Lawns, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
12 1-2c. Plaid Dress Goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
58 in. Bleached Table Damask, 30c. goods. This Sale, **15c** Per yd
25c. Turkey Red Table Damask, This Sale, 15c. per yd
5-8 Bleached Napkins, $1.00 goods, This Sale, 75c
98c. Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 98c
98c. Blankets, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Blankets, This Sale, 98c

Children's Shirts and Drawers.

GRAY, WHITE and RIBBED.

16 in 10c. Goods, This Sale, **5c**
18 in 15c. Goods, This Sale, **8c**
20 in 18c. Goods, This Sale, **10c**
22 in 20c. Goods, This Sale, **13c**
24 in 23c. Goods, This Sale, **15c**
26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 " **18c**

Ladies' Cotton Underwear.

"CHIC" BRAND.

25 doz. NIGHT ROBES, 75c. Goods, This Sale, **39c**
15 doz. Three Tuck Yoke Band Drawers, regular 25c. goods, This Sale, **15c**

Bargains in Men's Underwear.

25 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 25c. Goods. This Sale, **15c** each
40 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 50c. goods. This Sale, **25c** each
25 doz. Men's Wool Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 75c. goods. This Sale, **39c** each

Men's White Laundered Shirts.

$1.50 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **98c**
$1.00 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **75c**
75c. Dress Shirts, This Sale, **45c**
59c. Fancy Shirts, 2 Collars, Pair Cuffs, This Sale **39c**

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers for Men, Women and Children for this Sale CUT WAY DOWN.

Ladies' Storm Rubbers, 50c. Low Rubbers, 40c. Children's Storm, 40c.

Ladies' Print Wrappers.

25 doz. Best Goods, always sold for 89c., 79c. and 69c. FOR THIS SALE, **50c.**
$1.00 Wrappers, This Sale, **75c**
$1.25 Wrappers, This Sale, **$1.00**

Corsets! Corsets!

We will sell the **R. & G.** No. 101 Royal Worcester and the Ferris Waists all Nos. for **$1.00** per pair each. We will give with each pair of the above Corsets a **25c.** Gingham Kitchen Apron.

39c. Summer Corsets, This Sale, 25c
50c. Globe Corsets, This Sale, 35c
89c. Globe Corsets, This Sale, 60c

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19c, Fast Black Double Sole, This Sale, **10c**
37c. and 25c. Fancy Plaids, This Sale, **15c**
25c. Children's Rib Double Knee. This Sale, **10c**
19c. Men's Fast Black, This Sale, **10c**

SMALLWARES AND NOTIONS.

10c Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 3c
15c. Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 5c
10c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 5c. doz
15c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 10c. doz
10c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 5c
19c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 10c
M & K Knitting Cotton, This Sale, 5c
19c. all Colors of Veiling, This Sale, 10c
Bargains in Laces and Hamburgs, cut way down.

KITCHEN FURNISHINGS of every description in our basement at prices for this sale cut way down.

Everything in our entire stock is marked way down; cost is lost sight of. We are bound to show to the people of Quincy and vicinity that this sale is a genuine CUT PRICE SALE. Shop anywhere, then compare our prices. We ask you to come in and see for yourself what we are doing for you we can sell you more for $1.00, than you can carry home. This Cut sale will continue until Feb. 15. New Idea Patterns this sale, 8c.

Boston Bargain Department Store,

MUSIC HALL BUILDING, QUINCY, MASS.

Cars from Braintree and Weymouth stop in front of the Store. Our Store will be closed at 6 o'clock on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Evenings until further notice.

HOUSES ENTERED.

One at Montclair and the Other at Adams Shore.

It was discovered Saturday that an unoccupied house at Montclair has been broken into and the inside nearly torn to pieces. This was done to secure the lead pipe and plumbing fixtures.

It was reported to the police this morning that a house near the Hotel Shelton at Adams shore had been broken into. Chief Ripley and Inspector McKay went down and found that entrance had been made through a cellar window. The house had been thoroughly ransacked, but the police had no way of telling if anything had been taken. They were also unable to find out who occupied the house. In one book was the name H. C. Bingham 302 Metropolitan avenue, Hyde Park while a Bible contained the name of George W. Hayden, and an album the name of Carrie E. Bingham. The house was filled with valuable goods and the police will make an effort to find the owner. Chief Ripley says that although he has been on duty but two days he is convinced that there should be a day man in every ward and more men at night.

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Administrators' Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed Administrators of the estate of

CHARLES H. HARDWICK,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HENRY E. HARDWICK,
(Address) C. THEODORE HARDWICK,
Administrators.

Quincy, Mass., Jan. 27, 1900. 27-3-10

After the Junk Men.

The police and others are getting after the junk men of Quincy, many of whom have become a terror as well as a nuisance to the public. Some few weeks ago three Wollaston boys broke into a new house at Wollaston and stole a lot of brass faucets and couplings. These they sold to Abel D. Brown and were caught in the act by Officer Barry. The boys were brought into court and this morning Brown was given a hearing on the charge of receiving stolen property. Inspector McKay testified that the licenses issued by the city prohibited him from purchasing junk from minors, and while Brown claimed to have a license he had never seen it. He had also recovered stolen property at Brown's place on other occasions.

Brown in his own behalf said the boys told him the junk had been given them, or that they had found it. He also said he held a government veterans' license which he thought all that was necessary. The court recognized the boys for the grand jury and continued Brown's case for sentence until Wednesday.

Frolic for Boys.

From 50 to 75 boys, whose ages averaged between 10 and 15 years, responded to the invitation of Mrs. Theophilus King for "a frolic" at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Monday evening. The hours were from 7 until 9, and there were no dull moments. Mrs. King was assisted by her husband, also Mr. and Mrs. Van Buskirk, Secretary and Mrs. Hoehn, Rev. E. N. Hardy, Mrs. Walter Burke and President Delcevare King of the Association. Games predominated and a great many different ones were played. These were interspersed with songs by Mr. Van Buskirk, and piano selections by Master Everett Hayden.

Shortly before adjournment ice cream and cake and sugared dates were served.

☞ The Boston Bargain store in the Music hall block is offering some of the best bargains ever given the citizens of Quincy. See their big new "ad" today.

Three 25-Footers.

The three 25-footers which C. C. Hanley & Co. are building at Quincy Point all very closely resemble one another, says the Herald, though they are by no means one-design boats.

As far as shape of hull is concerned, the Bache and Brown boats are almost the same, but the Bache boat will have a higher cabin trunk, thus giving more head room than is required by the cabin restrictions. Both these boats go to the full beam limit of the class, and thus get the largest possible sail area that can be given to a 25-footer under the rules. The sail plans have been carefully planned, and show that much of the driving power has been kept in the mainsail.

The Hayden and Parker boat is a little different from the others. She has some six inches less beam, and therefore, less sail. She is quite a little fuller forward, and has more beam at her mast. This gives her when listed a long side-line that is straighter than in the boats with more beam amidship. In this latter boat the sail plan is also different, for there is more jib and less mainsail than on the other craft.

Messrs. Hayden and Parker figured out that what they wanted was a boat that could reach, and, in attempting to get a fast reacher, these changes over the first model have been made. It will be interesting to see in the races whether the reaching or the windward work is the best for a designer to look to in trying to get a winner.

These new boats are all advances from the Genesee type, and, if they do not win from the older boats, it will be a great disappointment to their designer.

In the same way the 3 -footer which is being built is intended for an improvement on the Meemer, and it is expected, at the builders's shops at least, that the twice champion 30 is to have her colors lowered this season.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

General Manager John R. Graham is expected home from Kentucky on Saturday.

City Solicitor Sears rendered his first decision as such Monday evening, at the City Council meeting.

Valentines have made their appearance, and the store windows are showing them both of the comical and the more expensive kind.

Many stables in cities are a nuisance. A hearing relative to licensing stables is advertised today by the Committee on Cities of the Legislature.

There is good fishing in the old reservoir of the Quincy Water Department, and William Wilson of Centre street, Monday, hooked a three-pound pickerel.

A meeting under the auspices of the Socialist Labor party was held Monday evening at Farnum's hall, West Quincy. The meeting was addressed by Joseph F. Malloney, the State organizer.

Considering he had no previous experience as a presiding officer Councilman Packard did remarkably well Monday night at the City Council meeting. A little more experience and he would make a model president.

☞ Furniture moved. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

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To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free)

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

—A runaway horse of Mrs. Calvin Gardner dashed onto the railroad track at South street, Hingham, Saturday evening, regardless of the gates which were down. A passing train broke two of his legs and otherwise injured him, and he was shot on the spot. It was a valuable animal.

WEYMOUTH.

A surprise party was given to Miss Gladys Poole at her home on Washington street, Friday evening, Feb. 2. A very pleasant evening was spent in playing games and other enjoyments.

Mrs. John French is confined at her home on Washington street by illness.

A bean supper will be given by the Ladies' Aid in the vestry of the Porter M. E. church, Wednesday evening, Feb. 7.

Mrs. William Tirrell entertained a number of her friends Thursday, Feb. 1, at her home on Pleasant street. The afternoon was spent in playing whist.

John Inkley, who has been spending several months in England, has returned to his home on Pleasant street.

Curfew Ordinance With a String Attached.

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 6.—The curfew ordinance, which had previously passed the board of aldermen, was concurred in by the common council last night, by a narrow majority, after the clause imposing a penalty had been eliminated. This makes the ordinance practically inoperative. The measure was strongly opposed, an amendment to establish a municipal spanking plant being voted down, 9 to 7, as was another amendment to refer it to the government of 1901.

Another Strike at Lowell.

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 6.—About 30 of the shavers employed in the local branch of the American Hide and Leather company went on strike yesterday. They, with 560 other men employed in the various departments of the concern, had just returned from a strike which lasted 11 days. The trouble arose from the temporary discharge of five or six of the shavers because of a scarcity of work.

Sewall's Change of Heart.

Bath, Me., Feb. 6.—Much surprise is manifested by Democratic friends of Arthur Sewall at the statement regarding the next presidential campaign attributed to him in an interview. Mr. Sewall, his friends say, has heretofore expressed strong hopes of Democratic success in the next election.

Chief of Police Ripley met the permanent members of his department, for the first time officially at roll call Monday night. No changes were announced.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 6.—One of the petitions received by the house yesterday was that of Mayor Hart of Boston, that the law relative to the limit of municipal debt and the rate of taxation in cities shall apply also to the city of Boston. Long before he was seriously a candidate for the mayoralty Mr. Hart took occasion to state his opinion that had Boston done business under the $12 rather than the $9 limit the past 10 years, and paid her bills as she went along, she would not now have found herself in so serious a financial scrape; and the present petition indicates the mayor's belief that there is yet a moderate method of easing the city of her troubles. The mayor's idea includes more than this, it is said, for he feels that if the legislature permits this general extension of the city's power to raise money, all the bills now before the legislature providing for special loans for one purpose or another will be rendered useless and ineffective.

"Everyone has read about me that's over 25 years old," was the complacent comment of John S. Parsons, Gloucester's ex-mayor and ex-city marshal, before the committee on probate and insolvency yesterday. Mr. Parsons had come to Boston with scores of other residents and officials of Gloucester to testify against Judge Taft of the local police court, whom the Gloucester lawyers are trying to oust from office, and he punctuated his remarks with characteristic witticisms. The line of testimony was the same as that of Friday.

The usual crowd gathered to hear the continuation of the gypsy moth investigation, in which only the testimony of friends of the work has been heard so far.

The list of bills and petitions published yesterday is the last of the grist which accumulated in the clerk's office prior to Feb. 1, and none others will be admitted to house or senate except under suspension of the rules.

Bequest of Over a Million.

Boston, Feb. 6.—The estate of the late Daniel B. Ford, publisher of The Youth's Companion, has been left by the will in trust for the religious, moral and intellectual improvement of the working men of Boston. That $1,075,000 of the trust fund may reach the purpose of Mr. Ford, the trust is left to the Baptist Social union of Boston, and this announcement was made last night at the union's memorial meeting. The trust is made available on the demise of Mr. Ford's daughter. The union formally voted to accept the trust. The name will be the Boston Baptist Social union.

—Souvenir Patriots for sale at Ledger office.

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WANTED—An Experienced Girl for general housework. Reference required. MRS. EBEN SHEPPARD, 16 Greenleaf street. Feb. 2-tf

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Quincy, April 25. tf

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Leg of Mutton, 10 cts. lb.
Rump Roast of Beef, 13 to 15 cts. lb.
Good Roast of Beef, 8 to 10 cts. lb.
Rump Steak, 15 to 20 cts. lb.
Round Steak, 16 cts. lb.
Good Steak, 2 lbs. for 25 cts.
Beef Liver, 8 cts. lb.
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FRESH PORK,	9 cts. lb.	HAMBURG STEAK,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEGS OF MUTTON,	10 cts. lb.	PIGS FEET,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
FORES OF MUTTON,	5 cts. lb.	HONEY COMB TRIPE,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEG and LOIN LAMB,	10 cts. lb.	PLAIN TRIPE,	5 cts. lb.
FORES OF LAMB,	6 cts. lb.	FRANKFORTS,	10 cts. lb.
ROAST BEEF,	6 to 12 1-2 cts. lb.	FRESH SHOULDERS of PORK,	8 cts. lb
SIRLOIN STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.	SMOKED SHOULDERS,	8 cts. lb.
RUMP STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.		
MUTTON and LAMB CHOPS,	12 1-2 to 20 cts. lb.		

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DON'T WANT ISLANDS.

Strong Speeches In the House In Opposition to Philippine Policy.

Sibley Has Swung Over to the Republican Side.

Caffery Thinks the Sooner We Are Rid of Filipinos the Better.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Yesterday was suspension day in the house, and Representative Bartholdt of Missouri asked for an appropriation of $40,000 to investigate pollution of rivers which threatens the water supply in several states, evidently aimed at the Chicago drainage canal. The measure was, however, defeated.

The Democrats continued their assault upon the Philippine policy of the administration during the general debate upon the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill.

Speeches were made by Democratic members of the foreign affairs committee—Mr. Dinsmore of Arkansas and Champ Clark of Missouri—opposing the retention of the islands. The speech of Mr. Clark, which lasted almost two hours, was a notable effort, replete with unique epigrams, and attracted much attention. No Republican spoke in defense of the administration's policy.

Commenting upon General Otis' reasons for changing the language of the president's proclamation to the Filipinos, Mr. Dinsmore said: "The biting, blistering sarcasm of General Otis constitutes insubordination at the very least."

Mr. Dinsmore said he was not given to adulation, but he respected Aguinaldo as one who had the courage to fight for his liberty and independence of his own people. In conclusion, Mr. Dinsmore said, speaking of the alleged purpose of the administration to hold the Philippines:

"I believe as fully as I believe anything, that the moment the obligation is imposed upon us, as it will be unless the people at the polls prevent it, that minute will mark the beginning of the decadence and fall of the American republic."

Mr. Clark, in his characteristic way, laid down the following propositions:

"A man does not have to be an idiot in order to be a patriot.

"A man is not a traitor because he is opposed to doing those things which jeopardize the life of the republic.

"An American is not a pessimist because he is unwilling to see his country adopt as a settled policy the political principles of Alexander, Caesar and Napoleon.

"In the hands of political jobbers, the American flag, like the mantle of charity, will be made to cover a multitude of sins.

"Believing firmly that the annexation of the Philippines, either by force or with their own consent, in the end will prove dangerous, perhaps ruinous to our 'government of the people, by the people and for the people,' I am dead against it now, and for all time."

Mr. Clark recalled President McKinley's speech at Boston, Feb. 16, 1899, 10 days after the peace treaty was ratified, in which the president said the Philippine question was now with congress; that congress was the conscience and judgment of the country. Yet, he said, the executive, and not the legislative department of the government, was determining the question. Congress had fallen so low that it was now a simple register of the will of the executive department.

"If we took the Filipinos into partnership, the knell of the American republic was sounded. As a private citizen," said he, "I wish the president long life and prosperity. As a politician, I hope his death is set for high noon, March 4, 1901." He would sacrifice as much for his country as any man, but William McKinley was not the country.

Mr. Clark raised a laugh by his reference to the treaty made by General Bates upon behalf of the United States with the Sultan of Sulu. Democrats and Republicans, he said, had joined in putting B. H. Roberts out of the house because he had three wives. He asked the Republicans to join with them in keeping out of the country a sultan with 300 wives. "This distinguished Republican official," he said, "gets $150 a month, and the keeper of his harem $75 per month. If this keeps on, the time will come when no Republican official will be properly equipped without a harem and a keeper of a harem."

Mr. Clark said he was not opposed to expansion. He was today in favor of taking every foot of the British possessions in North America. The utterance evoked Democratic applause. He predicted that Great Britain, spreading herself over the globe in her attempt to throttle the republic of South Africa, was to take the first step upon that dismal path that all nations had trod before. "I believe it the beginning of the end of Great Britain," said he, "and I say, God grant it."

After Mr. Clark had concluded, Mr. Sibley (Pa.) called down upon himself the wrath of the Missouri Democrats by reading a letter from a "former Democratic member of the house from Missouri who had supported the Chicago platform," endorsing the speech he made a few days ago. He drew a round of applause from the Republicans by telling the Democrats that hereafter they could consider his seat constructively on the Republican side.

Senator Caffery of Louisiana, in a discussion of the Philippine question in the senate, broke new ground in developing his position as an anti-expansionist. In response to an inquiry as to what, in the present circumstances, he would do with the Filipinos, he said, with characteristic courage of conviction: "Turn them loose as soon as we can get rid of them. That would be better for them and infinitely better for us." Mr. Caffery's argument was mainly a discussion of the constitutional questions involved in the Philippine problem. He maintained that the constitution extended absolutely over the Filipinos, and that they were entitled to all the rights and privileges of citizens of the United States guaranteed by the constitution.

The new treaty with Great Britain relative to the building of the Nicaraguan canal was received by the senate, and was read in executive session. Senator Davis, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, moved to make the treaty public, as it was a subject in which all were greatly interested, but after some discussion it was decided to refer the matter to the committee on foreign relations before taking that step. The comments of senators upon the treaty, after hearing it read, were favorable. It was said to allow the United States all the authority that was needed, and the neutrality of the canal was guaranteed, as was the neutrality

The senate in executive session ratified The Hague treaty, also the extradition treaty with Argentine Republic. Both were adopted without objection or division.

Will Be a Republican.

Oil City, Pa., Feb. 6.—The Derrick today publishes a letter from Congressman J. C. Sibley, written in response to a call from friends in the various counties of the Twenty-seventh district, asking him to be a candidate for congress on the Republican ticket. In his letter, Mr. Sibley announces himself a supporter of the administration and accepts the call to become a candidate for congress.

Big Strike In Prospect.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—At a meeting of the Building Trades' council held here last night, labor difficulties reached what is thought to be a crisis. The business agent of the Hod Carriers' and Building Laborers' union was ordered to call off the men at work on every building in Chicago where the new rules of the Building Contractors' council were posted. This means that 6000 men will be ordered to strike. In addition to this number, 8000 carpenters, it is asserted, will walk out next Saturday.

Tieup at Santiago.

Santiago, Feb. 6.—The strike of the stevedores employed by the Ward line and the government, which began last Thursday, was considered trivial until yesterday, when all the day laborers in the city refused to go to work. The stevedores demand payment for a full day even if they work only an hour, and they wish an increase from $1.50 to $2 a day. The laborers are almost all Spaniards.

All Kinds of Weather.

Boston, Feb. 6.—The heavy storm of Sunday night and yesterday morning proved quite serious in northern New England, where the rain changed into damp snow, plastering trees and wires until they were burdened to the danger point. Then the temperature fell and the slush was turned into ice, causing damage of considerable extent.

Captain and Wife Drowned.

New York, Feb. 6.—The barges Wilson and Mary Tryon broke loose from a tow and were sunk in Huntington bay, near Huntington, L. I., yesterday, in a heavy gale. The captain of the Wilson, John Finley, and his wife, were drowned. Captain Cromwell, his wife and two children, on the Mary Tryon, were rescued with difficulty.

Dr. Ashmead's Statement Denied.

New York, Feb. 6.—A story over the signature of Dr. A. S. Ashmead to the effect that there were over 100 lepers at large in New York city was given wide circulation recently. President Murphy of the board of health has sent a letter to Dr. Ashmead denying the statement, and averring that there are no lepers at large in this city.

Didn't See Secretary of State.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Mr. Macrum called at the state department yesterday and spent about half an hour in consultation with Mr. Hill, assistant secretary of state, Secretary Hay having left his office for the day. He still refused to make any statement explaining his reasons for leaving Pretoria.

Five Men Lost.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 6.—The schooner Mary C. Ward was capsized four miles from Washington, N. C., and Henry Credle, white, and four negroes were drowned. Captain Cox and the two remaining members of the crew were exhausted when rescued by the Beaufort ship captains.

Will Soon Leave Sanitarium.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 6.—A letter received by the friends of Congressman Boutelle conveys the information that the physicians say his improvement has been so marked that he will be able to leave the sanitarium now in a few weeks entirely recovered.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Bavarian state railway managers recently ordered two freight locomotives from the Baldwin works at Philadelphia. These proved so satisfactory that an order was given for passenger locomotives, which, in turn, have been found vastly more efficient than those of German construction.

At a meeting of the board of aldermen of Waltham, Mass., resolutions were passed protesting against the lease of the Fitchburg railroad to the Boston and Maine railroad.

By way of preparation for the great struggle now in progress, the Boers in the year 1895 bought from France alone guns, swords, carbines, pistols, cartridges, lead, zinc, powder, caps, fuses, etc., to the invoiced value of $386,000, according to a report to the state department from United States Consul Covert at Lyons.

After an illness of less than a week, Harry H. Diddlebock, aged 46, well known in sporting and newspaper circles, died at Philadelphia. Death was due to a heavy cold, which developed into erysipelas, which attacked the heart.

AGREEMENT REACHED.

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and to two leading Democrats is to be left the suggesting of changes in the Goebel law.

Chaos is the only word that will describe the political situation yesterday in Frankfort. This condition arose not so much from anything done by either side, as from the countless stories and rumors spread broadcast during the day.

Early in the morning it was asserted by the Democrats, and confirmed by a few Republicans, that the legislative session in London was about to be called off. The Democrats claimed to have the highest possible assurances that Governor Taylor would take such action, and that the next session of the legislature would be held in Frankfort in the capitol building today.

Governor Taylor, later in the morning, however, declared that no order had been issued revoking the meeting at London, and that it would proceed as originally intended by him. He denied that there had been any intention on the part of the Republican party to abandon the London session.

This was a bombshell to many Democratic members of the legislature, who, acting on the advice of their attorneys, had left the city Saturday night and Sunday morning in order to be away from the capital in case Governor Taylor decided to convey them to London for the purpose of helping out a quorum. Yesterday morning a large number of them were told to return, as an agreement had been reached which would allow the legislature to occupy the chambers in the capitol building.

They came in from all directions, and by noon 30 of them had arrived. They were confronted on their arrival here by the statement of Governor Taylor. They immediately began preparations to leave the city, and at nightfall Democratic members were as scarce as they were in the morning before the first train arrived. Late in the evening word came that an adjustment favorable to the Democrats might be made at the Louisville conference, which was expected, however, to last through the greater portion of the night. By that time the Democratic members were beyond the reach of reassuring telegrams.

Yesterday in Frankfort was court day, which comes on the first Monday of every month, and brings to the city from 2000 to 5000 outsiders. The number yesterday was smaller than usual, for many assurances had gone forth that there was a strong possibility of trouble and nobody without special business should take it upon himself to come to town. The crowd, however, was sufficiently large to throng the streets and this, coupled with the fact that during the morning political excitement ran high, induced Adjutant General Collier to make more ample preparations for suppression of possible trouble. A three-inch rifled cannon was brought from the armory and placed in the capitol grounds, pointing directly down Saint Claire street. Ammunition was placed beside it, and beside the Gatling guns, which were on both sides of it, commanding the approaches to the capitol building from the southwest and southeast.

Molineux Trial Is on Again.

New York, Feb. 6.—The state rested its case yesterday in the trial of Roland B. Molineux. This was something of a surprise, as it was generally thought that Assistant District Attorney Osborne had enough witnesses ready to occupy more than a day after the return of Juror Brown, who had been suffering with rheumatism and who reappeared in court yesterday. The case for the state closed in a tame fashion and without any of the pyrotechnics which have distinguished this trial.

It is rather trying for a young woman to be asked by a young man to select an engagement ring that will fit her, and when she has made the selection to be informed it is for another girl. Such was the experience of a White River Junction, Vt. damsel a short while ago.



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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Nicholas J. Halpine to Joseph B. Parsons, dated Jan. 30, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 839, Fol. 384, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on FRIDAY, February ninth, at 9.30 A. M., all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, viz:

A parcel of land in Quincy, Massachusetts, known as lot No. 798 on a plan of Norfolk Downs, recorded with Norfolk Deeds Book of Plans 14, plan 640, and bounded as follows: Northwesterly by Channing street fifty feet; northeasterly by lot 799 on said plan, eighty feet; southeasterly by lot 772 on said plan, fifty feet; southwesterly by lot 797 on said plan, eighty feet; containing according to said plan four thousand square feet; being the same premises conveyed to said Halpine by deed of Henry H. Savage and others, trustees, recorded in said Deeds Lib. 839, Page 383.

The premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, assessments and tax titles, if any.

JOSEPH B. PARSONS, - Mortgagee.

Boston, Jan 15, 1900. 4t-16-23-30-6

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

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r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32			

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

STILL IN THE DARK.

British Public Has No Trustworthy Information From the Tugela.

MacDonald Said to Hold the Banks of Modder River.

Roberts' Invitation to Free Staters and Transvaalers in Border Towns of Natal.

London, Feb. 7.—The embargo on news from the firing line in South Africa has not been raised, except for the tantalizing dispatch announcing that a large British force has been started for Norval's Pont. As previously pointed out, this position, on the Orange river, is at once a strategic point which makes perilous the Boer positions south of the Orange at Colesberg and Stormberg, and a gateway through which Field Marshal Roberts, when ready, may pour his invading battalions into the Free State. If this British column gains its objective, the situation in that quarter should become decidedly more hopeful for the British.

From the Tugela there is not one word, and from the mass of conflicting rumors with which London is inundated not one trustworthy piece of information is to be gleaned.

Not a word has been received from the correspondents with General Buller for three days. It is as though Natal had been wiped off the map, excepting the hellogram from Ladysmith saying that the Boers are cannonading, and that "fighting" is going on.

General MacDonald, with 4000 infantry, cavalry and artillery, threatens the Boer right at Magersfontein. This is the first sign of activity on the part of Lord Methuen for some weeks, and, doubtless, has relation to the movements of the British further east.

Troops are no longer detained at Cape Town. They proceed immediately to some point at the front. Three thousand disembarked Monday and were quickly sent elsewhere. No public reception was given to the arriving volunteers at Cape Town, because they had to leave immediately. As Lord Roberts, since the battle of Spion kop, has had 20,000 fresh troops to dispose, it is probable that some have gone to General Buller.

Messages from Ladysmith dated Feb. 5, say that continuous cannonading has been proceeding since 5 o'clock in the morning, with the occasional roar of a "long tom." The firing, it is added, continues.

The Standard has received the following dispatch, dated Feb. 5, from Koppies Dam: General MacDonald, with a brigade of infantry, a regiment of lancers and one battery, has reached here from Modder River camp in what is regarded as an important movement to the right of the Boer position at Magersfontein. Koppies Dam commands the roads from Kimberley to Hopetown and Douglas. The Boer laagers at Kamul Hoek and Griquatown are within striking distance.

The arrival of General MacDonald's column was opportune, as it just prevented two large commandoes effecting a junction. He now holds both banks of the river.

Our lancers had two brushes with the Boer patrols. There is great activity among the enemy, and strong forces are concentrating to oppose our further advance. The troops suffered from heat and scarcity of water during the march.

The house of commons last night rejected Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice's amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne, by 352 against the amendment to 139 in its favor.

The amendment was a resolution of censure on the government for its policy in South Africa. The result was a victory for Chamberlain.

Lord Roberts has caused to be distributed in the towns bordering upon the invaded colonial territory an invitation to "Free Staters and Transvaalers to go into the desert, offering them good treatment and a restoration to their farms on the British occupation of republican territory." The manifesto guarantees that those bringing horses can sell them. Foreigners will have their passage paid to Europe. Colonial rebels are advised to surrender in preference to being taken prisoners.

Diaz Will Be Re-Elected.

City of Mexico, Feb. 7.—The committee appointed to count the votes cast in the recent national plebiscite has reported to the national Liberal convention that 1,548,654 votes were polled, and that 1,456,482 were for General Diaz as the candidate for the presidency in the coming summer. Enthusiastic ratifications of the candidacy are reported from the interior towns.

Will Be a Lengthy Procession.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Vice Consul Morrison at Dawson City reports that many people are making preparations to get to Cape Nome, from Skagway, via Dawson, over the ice, a journey of 3600 miles. He says if all who contemplate it make the trip this winter, there will be one continuous line of people from Bennett to St. Michaels.

Trains Held Up by Snow.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 7.—The first train to arrive here over the Bangor and Aroostook railroad for two days came in last night at 7:45. Freight trains will be got in motion as soon as the condition of the tracks permits. The Piscataquis division to Greenville and to Katahdin Iron Works are still impassable on account of snow.

Prosperity in Cuba.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Mr. Quesada, the Cuban commissioner, called upon Secretary Root yesterday, and informed him that there was every indication of prosperity among the people of Cuba, and that the tobacco and sugar crops would be unusually large.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

During today and tonight a cold wave will cover the states lying between the Mississippi river and the Rocky mountains, and during tomorrow will probably reach the Atlantic coast, its advance being preceded by rain, changing to snow. Along the Atlantic coast variable winds will shift to fresh easterly.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 7.—When the house took up the order of Mr. Thurston of Swansea yesterday for an investigation of the highway commission the order was adopted almost unanimously.

Without debate the house concurred with the senate amendments to the house order for an investigation of the doings of the metropolitan water board in connection with the Wachusett reservoir, the senate amendment being that the special committee shall investigate also the cases of settlements in which the state was required to reimburse the city of Boston for land damages paid in connection with the construction of the reservoir. This amendment has reference to certain settlements made in the town of Southboro.

Without debate the new rule to exclude lobbyists from the members' corridor was adopted.

"Ought not to pass" was reported unanimously by the judiciary committee on the bill to give persons sentenced for contempt of court a right to trial by jury.

The house concurred with the senate amendment to the house order for an investigation into the gas situation in Boston. This makes both branches in accord on the matter.

Ambushed by Insurgents.

Manila, Feb. 7.—The insurgents on Monday captured a supply train of nine bull carts between Crani and Dinalupijan, killing a corporal and five privates of company G, Thirty-second infantry. The escort consisted of a sergeant and 11 mounted men. The insurgents weakened the supports of a bridge over a creek, and the first cart went into the stream. While the escort was bunched, trying to haul the cart out of the water, the insurgents fired a volley from the bushes, killing the six Americans, and also two native drivers.

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IS THINKING IT OVER.

Taylor's Mind Not Yet Made Up as to the Louisville Proposition.

An Honest Election Law Is All That He Desires.

Opinion Is That He Will Accept Agreement and Avoid Chance of Trouble.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7.—Governor Taylor yesterday received the results of the Louisville conference. He declined to discuss the matter, saying it would not be courteous in him to do so until he had been officially informed of the text of the agreement. He said, however, that the passage of an honest election law for Kentucky was all that he asked, and no personal ambition of his should stand in the way of securing it.

Governor Taylor said that he would make no public statement at present regarding his attitude toward the resolution of the Louisville conference. "A legal proposition has been submitted to me," he said, "and I wish time to consider it. I wish to consult with my lawyers at some length before saying anything or taking any action." More than this regarding his intentions, the governor would not say.

The consultation of the attorneys was held last night in Governor Taylor's office, and adjourned at a late hour.

Senator Blackburn expressed himself as being confident that the whole trouble would be settled peacefully. "It is entirely natural," he said, "that the other side should wish to take time to consider the agreement, and to prepare its statement to be issued at the same time the signature is affixed. I firmly believe that the agreement will be accepted substantially as adopted by the Louisville conference, and that all chance of trouble will be avoided."

When asked for his opinion of the consequences should Governor Taylor decline to accept the agreement, Senator Blackburn said: "If no settlement is made now, it will lead to endless complications before the end is reached."

One of the attorneys who has been prominent on the Republican side in the contest says:

"It is, in my opinion, the duty of Governor Taylor to sign the agreement. If he does not he will lose greatly in standing in his own party. I know that he will do what he believes to be right and for the best welfare of the state. It seems to me that, under the circumstances, there can hardly be two opinions as to what his course may be."

Frankfort yesterday enjoyed the first day of quiet it has experienced since the Gobel-Taylor contest began, three weeks ago. The town was bare of politicians, there was no excitement in the streets, no crowds around the corners, and no throngs in the lobbies of the Capitol hotel.

There is not in the city of Frankfort a single member of the legislature. The Republicans are all at London, and the Democrats in places along the border of the state from where it will be easy to escape should any attempt be made by the military to arrest and convey them to London.

A meeting of Frankfort citizens was held at the courthouse last night, and arrangements were made for public observance of the funeral of Governor Goebel. All business people of the city were asked to close, and drape their buildings in black. All bells of public institutions were ordered tolled during the funeral services.

Orders for additional militia are said to have been countermanded. The action is construed by the Democrats to indicate a disposition on the part of Governor Taylor to acquiesce in the agreement of the attorneys in Louisville.

Hall Packed With Flowers.

Covington, Ky., Feb. 7.—Great crowds continued all day and last night around Odd Fellows' hall, where the body of Mr. Goebel is lying. During the afternoon several women fainted. The schools were closed, and procession after procession of pupils passed through the hall. Most of them carried flowers to strew around the catafalque. The hall is a vast bed of flowers. Two preachers offered prayers. Mrs. Caldwell, who sang at the funeral of Horace Greely, and another lady furnished the music.

Proved Claims Being Settled.

Boston, Feb. 7.—Today the depositors of the Broadway National bank are receiving the full amount of their deposits, with interest up to yesterday. Depositors are being paid in checks drawn on the sub-treasury at Boston, and they can cash them as soon as they wish. Only those who presented claims and proved them before Receiver Wing receive checks, and their are a number who have not proved their claims. The proved claims amount to $2,231,382, and these will be settled today.

Cambon and Castellane.

Washington, Feb. 7.—An authorized statement is made that all has been published in the press concerning an alleged banquet offered by Ambassador Cambon of France to Count Castellane is inaccurate. It appears that the French ambassador was present at an informal luncheon at one of the fashionable restaurants of New York, to which Count and Countess Castellane were also invited. The affair was purely social.

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His Office at No. 24 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Will be Kept Open Some Time.

Prof. Coffey has been kindly received and welcomed to Quincy. Many witnessed his public demonstrations in Faxon hall last week, and will be pleased to learn that he will remain in Quincy for some time. He has offices at No. 24 Chestnut street, Quincy, where he can be consulted daily (except Sundays) free of charge, from 9.30 A. M., to 7 P. M.



Prof. Coffey does not travel, as his reputation is made. He only makes an annual visit to cities within an hour's ride to Boston.

This fact remains undisputed. The gift of healing is a power which but few men possess, and like the gift of oratory and music, it must remain in the possession of but few. This wonderful healer numbers hundreds of the brightest minds as well as the most gifted ladies of the land as his patients, simply because of the newer methods invented and adopted by him in the treatment of cases that have failed to recover under any other system.

A man came to Professor Coffey hobbling along with great difficulty upon two crutches. In less time than it takes to write it, the man issued from the office with both crutches over his shoulder, saying, "I'm cured, thank God!" A Mrs. Henderson had a large goitre removed from her neck, while Frank Henshaw, who had used a crutch and cane for two years, went away without even a sign of pain. These cures are facts, which can easily be verified.

Rev. Arthur Stoughton who had given up the ministry on account of losing his voice, received three treatments from Professor Coffey three weeks ago. Yesterday he called to tell the professor that he had preached last Sunday and no one detected anything the matter with his voice.

Mrs. Packard had been a cripple for over twenty years, owing to contraction of the muscles of her right leg. She returned home, however, after getting her second treatment, walking squarely on both feet. The entire family was surprised and the husband kissed her and said she was a remarkably smart woman. Mrs. Dean called for treatment last Monday, accompanied by her daughter, who carried her arm in a sling, suffering from inflammatory rheumatism. She could not raise her arm for the world. After the mother received her treatment she asked the professor to treat her daughter. In less than five minutes the young lady had the use of her arm restored to her by Professor Coffey.

The next subject was a lady suffering from paralysis of her lower limbs. When she entered the office, the professor invited her to walk across the room to him. The lady replied she could not without breaking her neck. In fact, she had not walked that distance for six years. She received her treatment standing in the door. In a few moments of time a number of ladies and gentlemen who were in the large waiting room (across the hall) were astonished to see this helpless cripple walk out of the office, down the steps and across the street to where her carriage was waiting.

A lady told Dr. McConnell, one of Boston's best physicians, that she had suffered torture from a complication of kidney and bladder trouble for two years. Everything she tried made her worse. Professor Coffey gave her three treatments (almost one year ago.) She has enjoyed good health ever since.

A few weeks ago Professor Coffey was called in to relieve Mr. George Clark of Allston from extreme pain. Heroic doses of morphine had no results except to sicken him. The sufferer had been told (by three good physicians) it would require months to get him out of bed. The professor gave him one treatment. Mr. Clark's pains all ceased, and he is now able to go to work daily.

Mr. Ambrose Howell, who had been deaf for seven years, had his hearing restored perfectly in ten days. He says the cure is worth $1000 to him.

Mr. George Dudley was brought to Professor Coffey apparently a hopeless paralytic; could not move a limb or speak a word. After the professor had given him a few treatments he walked to the depot and took the train for home unassisted.

No one can believe one-half of what this man can do unless they go and see. Even after seeing with your own eyes, you can scarcely realize that it is not a beautiful dream you have awakened from.

Miss Minnie Hanzell, only twenty years of age, and deaf—that is, she was deaf a few weeks ago, when she first applied to Professor Coffey, but she finished her course of treatment and came all the way to tell the professor that on Sunday she had taken purposely her seat well toward the back of the church and had been able to hear every word of the sermon. You should hear her tell about Professor Coffey and see the look of happiness in her eye.

So run the cases, cure after cure, success after success, people by the score made happy every day, and all through the blessed medium Vital Magnetism as practiced by Professor Coffey.

There is no mistake but what Professor Coffey has done a great amount of good for the suffering people of this city.

There is scarcely a disease that will not succumb to the magic hands of Professor Coffey. Along the whole category of human ills, such as catarrh, pulmonary-complaints, liver and kidney troubles, paralysis and all diseases of the nervous system, tumors and goitres removed without the knife or the loss of a drop of blood, all stomach disturbances, spinal and cerebral disorders, female weaknesses of all descriptions, rheumatism in all its forms, such as rheumatic gout, inflammatory rheumatism, swelling and inflammation of the joints, deafness and all diseases of the ear and eye, no matter what the trouble may be, there is hope as long as Professor Coffey is around.

We know that such remarkable cures as are being made in this city seem almost incredible and these performances seem more like miracles than solid facts, yet they have been witnessed by hundreds of people as they daily took place in Faxon Hall, Quincy, in the most public manner. Feb. 7-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 5th, 1900.

THE Committee on Railroads will give a hearing to parties interested in the following: Petition with bill (House No. 197) for legislation to compel railroad companies to issue season tickets beginning at any day of the month at the same price at which like tickets beginning on the first day of a month are issued, at 10 o'clock A. M.; to parties interested in resolve (House No. 208) for submitting to popular vote the question of State ownership of the Boston and Albany railroad at 10.30 o'clock A. M.; and to parties interested in petition with bill (House No. 389) for a board of railroad administration which shall devise a standard system of railroad operations and enforce the same, at 11 o'clock A. M., at room No. 446, State House, on FRIDAY, Feb. 9th.

RUFUS A. SOULE, Chairman.
C. H. BLOOD, Clerk of the Committee.
Feb. 7. 2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 3d, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 469, (introduced on leave by Mr. Dalton of Salem) relative to licensing stables in certain cities, at room No. 444, State House, on THURSDAY, Feb. 8th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
FRANK E. WETHERELL,
Feb. 6-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 5, 1900.

THE Special Committee on Gypsy Moth will give a hearing to parties interested in the extermination of the moths, at room No. 426, State House, on THURSDAY, Feb. 8, at 10 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
TEMPLE A. WINSLOE,
Feb. 6-2t Clerk of the Committee.

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Quincy, Feb. 2. 5t

Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,
A READER

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	48	41	40	22	32
Monday,	39	41	24	43	33
Tuesday,	33	30	34	40	41
Wednesday,	37	39	32	36	45
Thursday,	—	20	30	43	50
Friday,	—	20	15	42	41
Saturday,	—	21	10	50	32

New Advertisements Today.

Hearing—State House.
Prof. Coffey—Magnetic Healer.

Drift of Opinion.

☞What has become of the law against assisted immigrants when such fellows as the Count de Castellane are permitted to land? If he has not already become a charge upon one of the great American families, what is he?—Haverhill Gazette.

☞The San Francisco Chronicle has been investigating laboriously "The age that is most dangerous for a bachelor." The investigation has been laborious rather than philosophical. There is no time in the life of a bachelor when he is secure. Woman, the stronger sex, spares neither the cradle nor the grave.—Milford Journal.

☞The courage of the Boer women during these trying times, and the active part they are playing in the too real war drama are not new. Women have always been the "power behind the throne" which has urged many a man to face death rather than the contempt of a fair woman because he lacked courage and patriotism.—Beverly Times.

☞The announcement that Topeka is to indulge in the expensive luxury of a strictly religious newspaper recalls to mind the experience of this kind of journalism of John Dougall and his New York paper the Daily Witness. He dropped a couple of fortunes in the effort to make a daily religious paper pay that even church people wouldn't take time to read, and then gave up the scheme as impractical. That was years ago, but it's just as impracticable now.—Stamford Republican.

Endorsed by Rhode Island Statesmen.

Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 7.—Senator Aldrich and Congressman Capron of Rhode Island have replied to the request that they support a bill to be introduced in congress by Mr. Lovering of Massachusetts seeking amendment of the constitution of the United States, so that national law may govern hours of labor, indicating they will give that measure, when presented, their hearty support.

Might Have Been Worse.

Boston, Feb. 7.—While travel through Pemberton square was at its height yesterday a huge derrick used in the erection of a large building suddenly crashed to the ground, owing to the snapping of a guy rope. Two men were thrown to the ground, receiving bad bruises. Many others narrowly escaped injury, and the accident created great excitement for a time.

—The native of the Philippines manufacture a very gauzy, transparent fabric for ladies' dresses from the fibers of the pineapple leaf. It is called pina cloth.

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THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

IS open every evening except Wednesday and Thursday until 9 o'clock.
Faxon Block, 186 Hancock street.

Grocers' Annual Banquet.

THE Quincy Grocers' Association hold their Ninth Annual Banquet, WEDNESDAY Evening, February 14th. Any of the Quincy Business Men wishing to attend can procure tickets of the Committee.

GEORGE H. WILSON,
JOHN W. NASH,
JOSEPH W. JOHNSON.
Quincy, Feb. 5. tf

THREE ASSESSORS.

Will the Change Be a Benefit to City?

Full Text of the Proposed New Act.

Provision Made for Appointment of Assistants.

At a meeting of the City Council of 1899, an order was introduced and passed the same evening without consideration, requesting the Mayor to petition the Legislature for an amendment to the City Charter, relative to the make-up of the Board of Assessors. In obedience to this action Mayor Hall has forwarded the following petition and bill to the Legislature:

Mayor's Office, Feb. 5, 1900.

C. M. Bryant, Esq., President of the City Council.

Sir:—Agreeable to the request of the Council of last year I have prepared the accompanying petition and bill, which has been placed in the hands of the clerk of the House of Representatives, Massachusetts Legislature, for amendment to the Charter in reference to the change of appointment in the Board of Assessors.

Respectfully,
John O. Hall, Mayor.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives, of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in General Court assembled:

The undersigned petitioner, The Mayor of the City of Quincy, respectfully represents that it is expedient to amend the charter of said city of Quincy in relation to the appointment of assessors and assistant assessors, and therefore prays for the passage of the accompanying bill, entitled "An Act relative to the appointment of Assessors and Assistant Assessors in the City of Quincy.

John O. Hall,
Mayor of the City of Quincy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Section 1. Clause IX Section 34 of Chapter 347 of the Acts of the year 1888, is hereby amended, by striking out the whole of said clause and substituting therefore the following:

Clause IX—A board of Assessors consisting of three persons, who shall hold their offices respectively until the expiration of one, two and three years from the first Monday in February, 1901, and annually in January thereafter the Mayor shall appoint one assessor who shall hold his office for the term of three years. The Mayor may annually appoint one of said assessors as chairman of the board, and if a chairman is not so appointed by the Mayor, the provisions as to the election of a chairman of other boards of the city shall apply. The City Council may by the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all its members, authorize the appointment by the Mayor of assistant Assessors, they shall be appointed equally among the wards of the city, shall be assigned to the wards in which they are respectively residents and shall assist in assessing only the persons and property therein.

Section 2. This act shall take effect the first Monday in January, 1901.

The necessity or wisdom of the change is not apparent to many, and have yet to be explained. The Ledger will endeavor to get interviews with taxpayers and Assessors past and present within a few days.

Nothing Missing.

Mr. Charles H. Bingham, the owner of the ottage at Adams shore which the Ledger reported Tuesday as having been entered, visited the cottage this morning. The break is somewhat of a mystery. Things about the house were ransacked thoroughly, but as far as he could see nothing was taken, and but little damage done. The parties whoever they were acted in a gentlemanly manner, using the cuspidors instead of the floor, as might have been expected, and found the hat rack a convenient place to hang their clothing.

Wollaston Yacht Club.

The members of the Wollaston Yacht club held their annual meeting at the club house Tuesday evening, to which about fifty of the members were present. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year. Commodore, J. A. Fenno; V. Commodore, E. J. Merrill; Secretary W. M. Chase, Treasurer, H. A. Smith; House Committee, Dr. Merrill, for three years. After the officers were elected it was unanimously voted that they have speeches from the new commodore and treasurer. With cheers and congratulations for the new officers the meeting was adjourned until March 3.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Soft walking today.

Rain or snow tomorrow.

The Assessors have an ideal room now at City Hall.

The Assessors of 1900 will meet for organization tomorrow.

E. H. Doble & Co. have their houses filled with handsome ice.

The City Council Committee on Ordinances met Tuesday evening.

The Quincy Grocers generally have a pretty good time at their annual banquet.

George Wentworth of West Quincy has gone to Plymouth for a few weeks.

Rev. A. F. Roche moved into his new residence on the Davis estate on Tuesday.

The Committee on Railroads of the Legislature advertise several hearings for Friday.

The trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library will meet this evening to organize.

Permanent sidewalks are being built in front of some of the estates on Arthur street.

Ex-Councilman John J. Dugan is representing the Metropolitan Life Insurance company in Tennessee.

An order to enlarge and remodel City Hall will probably be introduced in the City Council at an early date.

M. Walter Bailey of South street returned to his home on Tuesday, having been in the City Hospital for three weeks.

Ex-Tax Collector Dixon will return to his old business, and may be found at the store of R. E. Foy & Co. on Water street, next week.

Remember Diamond Brothers' big street parade tomorrow at noon. And in the evening the concert before Music hall and the great show that follows.

Prof. Coffey, the healer, continues to attract new cases at Faxon hall daily, and has given private treatment to many at his rooms on Chestnut street.

The first banquet of the Saco club will be held at the United States hotel, Boston, tonight. Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Jose of West Quincy will attend.

Mayor Hall has given directions to flood Parkers field at Atlantic, so as to make a skating park for the young people. The field was flooded this morning.

The Quincy Granite Manufacturers' Association met Tuesday evening and elected delegates to the annual meeting of the New England Granite Manufacturers' Association.

William H. Sampson, Jr., outside clerk at the Water Department shop, completes his labors in that capacity Thursday night. His position will be filled by James W. Young.

The County Commissioners will give another hearing on the petition for a bridge over the railroad at Warren avenue at their office in Dedham, on Tuesday, March 13, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Hose 4 at Quincy Point has organized as follows: Captain, Isaac P. Bent; First Assistant, Charles Hayden; Clerk, Treasurer and Driver, A. L. Meade; Hydrant Man, William Mulligan.

The new stamp cancelling machine recently purchased by Postmaster Hammond for the Quincy office has arrived and is in working order. The machine is operated by a hand wheel and cancels letters very rapidly; over one hundred letters per minute being easily cancelled.

R. Thomas & Co., of Adams building, have sold out their entire stock of drygoods and ladies furnishings for spot cash to the Boston stores of Whitman and Marlboro, Mass. The gentlemen composing the above firms will place the goods on sale in a few days, giving the public unusual bargains in first class merchandise.

Miss Hastings, one of the clerks in the Water office, severs her connection with that department Saturday night. A requisition has been made to the civil service commission for a clerk, and they have certified the only name on the list, that of James F. Merrill, who will probably be appointed to Miss Hastings position.

Diamond Brothers big double minstrels, which come to Music hall, Thursday, Feb. 8th, is bigger than ever before and now ranks among the leading minstrel troupes of the country. In the cast are half a hundred people, among them some of the best burnt cork comedians in the business. The troupe carries two full brass bands and a car load of scenery besides an excellent dressed first part. There is a fine olio of artistic novelties. Watch for the big noon-day street parade the day of the show.

☞Furniture reupholstered and repaired. Mattresses made over. Carpets cleaned. Window Shades to order. Henry L. Kincaide & Co

Grand Concert.

GIVEN by the Combined Boy Choirs of Christ Church, Quincy, and St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, for the Choir Boys' Camp Fund.

Sir John Stainer's Famous Cantata,
"THE DAUGHTER OF JAIRUS"

And a Miscellaneous Programme will be rendered.

Soloists: MR. SILAS R. MILLS, Basso, of Smith College, Northampton, Mass., and MR. EUGENE HAMILTON STORER, Tenor, of St. Mary's Church, Dorchester, Mass.

MUSIC HALL, QUINCY, MASS.,
TUESDAY EVENING,
February 27, 1900, at 8 o'clock.
TICKETS. 35 CENTS.

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Tickets may be obtained of the matrons or Miss Corlew.

Jan. 29. tf

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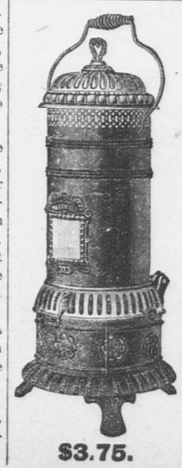
Our Store will be closed at 6 o'clock on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Evenings until further notice.

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PICKLES vs. DRUGS.

Pickles are all right in their place but a man may understand selling pickles thoroughly and still make a very poor showing in his knowledge of drugs and medicines. I do not find time to extend my business outside of the limits of the legitimate drug business. I would make a very poor artist in the sale of pickles, but with my 20 years experience as a druggist, 11 of which I have spent in Quincy, I point with pardonable pride to the fact that I have today the largest, best appointed and most complete drug store in this city. It has been my constant endeavor to please every customer entering my store, and my success in my chosen profession can not but convince me that my efforts are appreciated by the people of Quincy.

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Commencing Monday, Feb. 5th.

We shall hold the greatest sale ever attempted by any store this side of Boston. It will be the grand windup of our winter's business and we have cut prices with a lavish hand. Every day next week will be Red Letter Day in our store. Remember these are not old, shopworn goods that we quote these prices on, but new, clean, seasonable merchandise.

DRESS GOODS. One lot of Heavy Crepon effect Novelty Goods 44 inches wide and always sold for 89c. We do not wish to carry these over to next season, so they all go at less than cost. Red Letter Week. . . . **59c**

OUTING FLANNEL. 1,200 yards of White Domet Flannel, the same as we sell for 6c., only this is subject to slight imperfections. Red Letter Price. **3½c**

PETTICOATS. 100 Fancy Percaline Petticoats made with wide ruffle and dust ruffle. A regular $1.00 skirt. Red Letter Price. **79c**

BLACK SATIN. This is one of the few things that a merchant never cuts the price on, but we will break the rule for once and sell a heavy 24-inch Satin Duchess $1.25 quality. Red Letter Week for **79c**

OUTING FLANNELS. 1,000 yds. of Dark Outings in Greys, Brown, Blacks, etc. Our price on these has always been 7, 8 and 9c. Red Letter Price. **5c**

PRINTS. 5,000 yards of best Shirting Prints just the same as you always pay 5c. yard for Red Letter Price. **2½c**

HAMBURGS. 1,500 yards of Fine Hamburg Edgings, two, two and a half and three inches wide, worth 8c., 10c. and 15c. Red Letter Price. **5c**

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A City Without Soap.

Miss Kate V. Johnson, of Madison, Ind., who has lived in Japan for thirteen years, talks in an interesting way of the little people of that country, who live without chairs, bedsteads, knives, forks, spoons or soap, of the women who paint their teeth black and shave their eyebrows to indicate loyalty to their husbands, of the carpenters who make long beautiful shavings by drawing their planes towards them and who place the back door at the front of the house, and of their books in which the preface is placed at the end of the book and foot notes at the head of the page.

Miss Johnson first went to Akita, a city of 60,000 persons, and found it a city without soap. Naoye Saito, a young Japanese girl who came to live in her house, had never had a soap bath in her life. She kicked and screamed when her first bath was given her and said they were trying to kill her. A cake of Ivory Soap was sent Naoye Saito's father with instructions to use it on his person. He came back the next day and asked for another cake, saying he had used it all up.

Before Miss Johnson left Japan last summer she took Naoye Saito, who had been with her for ten years, back to her native proivnce and left her to earn her own living. While still in Tokio, a few days before sailing for America, Miss Johnson received a letter from Naoye in which she said, "I forgot one thing very necessary to our comfort in this place. Will you please go to the grocery store and buy me a dozen cakes of Ivory Soap and send them to me at once?" She sent a money order to pay for it, and the soap was sent.

TODAY'S COURT.

Frank Kelley was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy and was given until next Wednesday to raise his fine of $5.

The case of Henry D. L. McIntyre was called and he was given another week.

The continued case of Eben Moulton, Jr., was called and again continued for a month.

The case of Abel D. Brown for receiving stolen property was called and he was given until Feb. 19, to raise a fine of $10.

A woman will be drafted for service in the French army next year for the reason that at her birth she was erroneously registered as a male child. Though the officials are cognizant of the blunder, red tape makes it essential for her to present herself for military duty.

INCENDIARY FIRES.

One In City Square and One at Houghs Neck.

About 8 o'lock last night, while hitching his horse in the rear of the Adams building, John Q. A. Field detected a strong odor of smoke. Upon investigation he found a fire in progress in a small building in the rear of Johnson Bros.' market on Hancock street. Volunteers with the assistance of a sill cock stream extinguished the blaze without an alarm. As kerosene had evidently been used, it is believed that the fire was the work of an incendiary.

AT HOUGHS NECK.

What was probably an incendiary fire, was discovered about 10.30 o'clock Saturday night in the summer cottage of Dr. Dearing on the shore front off Sea street, at Houghs Neck. The cottage is unoccupied during the winter months which leads the officials to believe the fire was the work of an incendiary. When discovered the fire was burning briskly in the kitchen but was extinguished without an alarm by the winter residents of the beach. The loss will not exceed $25.

MYSTERIOUS BREAK.

The Cigar Store of H.P. Kittredge Entered and Robbed.

The cigar and lunch room of Henry P. Kittredge, at the corner of Hancock and Saville streets was entered by burglars sometime during last night. Over $40 in money and a quantity of cigars were taken. When the lady clerk opened the store this morning she first noticed that things had been moved about, and going behind the counter and into the back store, she found the floor strewn with cigars. The cigar case was also open and the door of a closet which was left closed was also open. Money is not usually left in the store at night, but as the clerk had a bill to pay today he did not bank his money Tuesday, but put it in a bag which was left in the closet. Just how much money there was he can not tell as the slip is gone, but it was over $40. Investigation showed that entrance to the store had been made by a window in the rear of the store. The indications are that this window was not locked Tuesday night and it would appear that all that was necessary was to push the window up. The window screen on the inside was then cut. There are several theories as to how the break was made. One is that someone managed to get into the back room during the day and unfastened the window. Another, is that one of the gang who was in the store during the evening knew that the money was kept in the closet, and managed to secret himself in the back store, and was left there when the clerk locked up. It was reported to Officer Murray at 11 o'clock Tuesday night that there were sounds of breaking glass in that vicinity, and he made an investigation, but discovered nothing. As no window was broken in the store it was probably something else. The money drawer in the store was not molested.

BRYAN IN BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

Talks to the People Who Recently Turned Out to Greet President McKinley.

North Adams, Mass., Feb. 6.—William J. Bryan was the guest of Berkshire Democrats yesterday. Not many months ago the county bubbled over with enthusiasm for President McKinley, when he came here as a guest of William B. Plunkett. Yesterday Mr. Bryan was the guest of John H. Mack, and he made several very interesting addresses, topping them off with an impromptu response at an evening banquet. Today will be his last day in New England for a while.

Mr. Bryan in his addresses referred to the great number who attended the meetings as an evidence that there were some Republicans who were interested in Dmocratic doctrine. He said he assumed that they came with a willingness to be converted. He therefore started out with the fundamental principle of all Republican government, which proposition is found in the Declaration of Independence—that all men are created equal. He said that the Republican party does not believe in the doctrine of equality; that they do not apply the principle to the policy because they put the dollar before the man. Mr. Bryan made the assertion that in all the history of the human race, the capitalist class never carried out a reform to the benefit of the people. Thomas Jefferson was born an aristocrat, and was called a demagogue; but his heart was so broad and big that he made himself the greatest constructive statesman the world has ever seen.

Leading up to his discussion of the money question, Mr. Bryan said that some papers and some leaders have said that the Chicago platform is dead, especially the 16 to 1 part of it. He said you cannot kill a thing by opposition or ridicule if there is an element in it that is worth fighting for; and in the case of the Chicago platform the demand for bimetallism is so strong that you cannot destroy it by refusing to discuss it. Mr. Bryan gave his attention to some of the claims of his gold standard advocates and detailed the various efforts of the Republicans to get rid of the silver issue. Then he spoke about trusts and Imperialism upon the same lines as his addresses in other cities.

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PROVIDED LEADING NATIONS CONSENT.

An Amendment to the Finance Bill In Relation to International Bimetallism.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Mr. Caffery concluded his speech on the Philippines in the senate yesterday. He proposed that we encircle with roses the brow of the goddess of liberty and not with a bloody wreath. He referred to Senator Hoar as a worthy successor to Webster and Sumner.

Mr. Butler (N. C.) discussed at length the proposed amendment to the constitution of North Carolina, in answer to speeches delivered by Senators Morgan, McEnery and Money.

Until the financial bill now pending before the senate shall have been disposed of finally it will be considered by the senate every legislative day to the exclusion of all except purely routine business. This agreement will have the effect of cutting off all debate on the Philippine question or other matters, except by unanimous consent of the senate, unless senators choose to discuss other questions in the time they devote to the financial bill.

The senate finance committee yesterday reported a new section to the financial bill, which provides that the act is not intended to place any obstacle in the way of international bimetallism, if it be received by concurrent action of the leading commercial nations of the world at a ratio insuring permanence of relative value between gold and silver. The amendment, which was formed by Mr. Aldrich, was agreed to by a strict party vote. It is considered in strict accord with the party platforms.

The Philippine question again occupied the attention of the house, with a slight digression concerning the war in South Africa. The feature of the debate was the speech of Mr. Williams (Miss.), who presented an argument against the annexation of the Philippines. It was devoted almost entirely to the commercial aspect of the acquisition, holding that the absorption of the islands would be ultimately ruinous to the American producers of cotton, rice, tobacco, hemp and sugar. Mr. Morris (Minn.) made an exhaustive legal argument in support of the right to hold and govern the islands.

Dewey Arch Fund Fattened.

New York, Feb. 7.—The Dewey arch concert, the entire proceeds of which go towards the Dewey arch fund, was a success in every way. The auditorium of Carnegie hall last night was a glitter with gems and brilliant with magnificent gowns. The hall was beautifully decorated. The concert was a sort of welcome to Admiral Dewey and Governor Roosevelt, both of whom were present. When Admiral Dewey pushed aside the curtains of his box he was immediately recognized and some one cried: "Three cheers for Dewey." They were given with a will. The 175 women in the chorus rose and shook their handkerchiefs. The audience did the same. Just then Governor Roosevelt pushed aside the curtains of his box. He was given three cheers.

Goodbye to New England.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 7.—William J. Bryan last night finished the work for which his New England trip was undertaken, and with yesterday's speeches in Connecticut the Nebraskan abandoned New England, probably not to return during the campaign of 1900. At Hartford he took occasion to rap the knuckles of the insurance and manufacturing capitalists of the capitol city, "the splendidly wealthy city of Hartford," as he put it. At Bridgeport he eliminated New England from the category of "the enemy's country" and also paid his respects to the supreme court.

Want the Office Abolished.

Boston, Feb. 7.—The opposition to Colonel Joseph B. Parsons, state pension agent, which has existed for some time among certain members of the G. A. R. in Massachusetts, has taken definite shape in a bill introduced in the house by Representative Newton, having for its object the abolishing of the office held by Colonel Parsons. The basis of the fight against the colonel is revealed in a petition accompanying the bill. Its arraignment of Colonel Parsons as an individual, his moral character, his efficiency in office and conduct in general is severe.

Viewed by Forty Thousand.

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—The body of General Lawton, which arrived here from Fort Wayne, was transferred to the state capitol at 11:30 yesterday and lay in state there in the afternoon. From the time the coffin was placed on the catalfaque in the great rotunda until the doors were closed the stream of people was unbroken. Over 40,000 people viewed the dead general. The funeral party started for Washington this morning.

Has Astonished All Europe.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The engineering world of Enrope has not recovered from the surprise over the remarkable performance at Antwerp of a big dredge boat constructed in Belgium for the Russian government on plans prepared by an American engineer, Mr. Bates of Chicago. Under the contract, the boat was to have a capacity of 1600 cubic yards of dredging per hour. She recorded a capacity of 7800 yards on trial.

No Love For Addicks.

Wilmington, Del., Feb. 7.—The regular Republican state committee yesterday rejected a proposition for harmony submitted by the union Republican (Addicks) state committee. The reply framed by the regulars states that there will be no further consideration of propositions to harmonize the party until J. Edward Addicks is repudiated by the union Republican faction.

India to Coin More Silver.

London, Feb. 7.—The Calcutta correspondent of The Times says: The Indian government has arranged to recoin half a crore ($2,500,000) of rupees, and has also bought enough silver to coin a crore ($5,000,000) of new rupees. These operations are expected to meet all present requirements. The silver was purchased quietly, without disturbing the market.



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Granite Cutters Have Been Fortunate Through Hard Times.

The Monumental News in its leading editorial for February, says:

"It is worthy of note in regard to the question of the eight-hour day and the minimum wage scale, that of all the trades during the last ten years the granite cutters are among the very few whose wages have not been reduced to meet the hard times which continued during a large portion of the decade. The rise of wages which during last year seemed to sweep over the country like a wave, affecting each class of trade as prosperity reached it, was pratically a return to the rates which prevailed before the reaction set in. The increase in wages now demanded by the Granite Cutters' Union is an addition to the comparative prosperity that trade has enjoyed, and in the dis-cussion of the matter should not be related to the rise in wages which has taken place in other branches of industry. Another point deserving of emphasis is this, that the contention now in agitation is not in paying a granite cutter $3.00 per day, but in the compulsory feature of paying an incompetent man that rate of wages. As we have before averred there are reasons on both sides which admit of a compromising attitude, and we believe that a satisfactory adjustment of the great question could be amicably reached were the local branches permitted to exercise their own judgment, a matter which is now being agitated.

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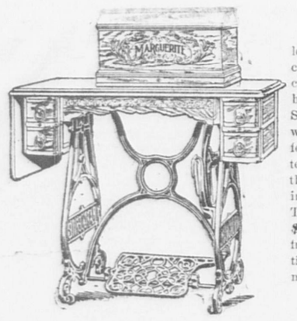
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LEG and LOIN LAMB, 10 cts. lb.	PLAIN TRIPE, 5 cts. lb.
FORES OF LAMB, 6 cts. lb.	FRANKFORTS, 10 cts. lb.
ROAST BEEF, 6 to 12 1-2 cts. lb.	FRESH SHOULDERS of PORK, 8 cts. lb
SIRLOIN STEAK, 15 and 20 cts. lb.	SMOKED SHOULDERS, 8 cts. lb.
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PROSECUTION'S CASE.

Defense In the Molineux Trial Satisfied to Rest Upon It.

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Are Scored In No Uncertain Terms by Counsel For the Accused Man.

New York, Feb. 7.—"May it please the court, after a careful consideration of the case, we believe that the prosecution has utterly failed to make a case against this defendant, and that he has not been proved guilty, and the jury should not find him so. Believing this, as we do, we rest upon the case made by the prosecution." This was the surprising announcement made yesterday by Mr. Weeks, the chief counsel for the defendant in the trial of Roland B. Molineux.

The announcement by Mr. Weeks that no additional evidence would be introduced disappointed the large crowd that had gathered at the courtroom, hoping that both Molineux and his wife would be called for the purpose of making clear certain obscurities and discrepancies between the testimony of Molineux at the time of the coroner's inquest and the evidence introduced by the prosecution during the past two months.

The father, mother and wife of the defendant were all in the court room and listened intently to the arguments advanced by Mr. Weeks. The defendant appeared the same cool, calm and collected individual that he has seemed from the very beginning of the trial.

After a number of motions, in which Mr. Weeks asked the court to strike out certain testimony introduced by the state, most of which motions were denied by Recorder Goff, the attorney for the defense proceeded with an analysis of the evidence already introduced and now before the court. Perhaps the most important, the most sensational and the most telling thrusts were made when Mr. Weeks referred to Harry Cornish. The attorney for the defendant appeared willing to take up the challenge thrown down by the assistant district attorney in his inferential inquiries of "If Molineux didn't do it, who did?"

Mr. Weeks pointed out that it had been proved that Cornish passed the general postoffice on the Broadway side at 8:30 p. m. on the day when the poison package is alleged to have been [illegible] the Knickerbocker Athletic Club called attention to the silver bottle holder exactly matched the silver toilet articles on the dressing table in the room of Mrs. Rodgers, the daughter of the dead woman, the room where Cornish resided. He also brought out the point that there had been no medical attendant for Cornish, though he claimed to have swallowed portions of the poison which killed Mrs. Adams.

Captain McClusky's statement to Cornish, after hearing his story, "Well, you have got to find the man who sent that poison package to you," was taken as the text for another attack upon that individual. During the afternoon, Mr. Weeks called attention to the fact that Cornish, in making a copy of the Harpster letter in court, had misspelled Harpster in the identical way in which it was mis-spelled in the original Harpster letter. He also attacked in the severest terms the handwriting experts, and the proprietors of the private letter boxes.

Coming to the Barnet case, Mr. Weeks said that it was one phase of the case upon which he scarcely knew how to touch. "It is a case you gentlemen are not here to try. I shall not touch upon it to any extent at all. It has not been proven, though evidence has been put in here, that one Barnet died of cyanide of mercury poisoning, nor that any Kutnow powder was sent to Barnet. The box taken out of the Broadway letter box was mailed Dec. 23, and Barnet died on Nov. 10."

Referring to the Forty-second street letter box he spoke of Nicholas Heckman, who kept it, as "the great and convenient identifier and swearer of the district attorney."

Mr. Weeks took up the testimony offered by Joseph Koch, who kept the letter box at 1620 Broadway. This witness' testimony was vigorously attacked by the defense when he was on the stand, and Mr. Weeks yesterday fairly riddled it in his efforts to bring out its incredibility.

"What that man was after," shouted Mr. Weeks, pounding the table before him, "was the money, money, money. And when he told me his story he told it to get money, and when he didn't get it, because I knew his story was not true, he went next, not to the police, but to a newspaper. The newspaper, even, would not print his story until he agreed to go on the stand and give the same testimony before a court."

At 4:45 Mr. Weeks interrupted his speech to say that his voice was giving out, and he asked for an adjournment. It was allowed. Mr. Weeks said that he would probably take all of today to finish his summing up.

Believed to Be Dying.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 7.—Colonel Richard W. Thompson, the veteran Indiana statesman, is alarmingly ill at his residence here and his death may occur at any moment. He is now in his 91st year. His physician reports that he is suffering from nervous prostration, which indicates a general collapse. Colonel Thompson was secretary of the navy under the Hayes administration.

Powers Won't Succeed Boutelle.

Boston, Feb. 7.—United States Senator Eugene Hale, in an interview last night, spoke confidently of the condition of Congressman. Boutelle, and pronounced as ridiculous the talk that Governor Powers will succeed Mr. Boutelle because of the latter's illness.

PHILADELPHIA END FIXED UP.

American Association Will Now Turn Its Attention to the Providence Club.

Philadelphia, Feb. 7.—The Philadelphia end of the circuit of the new American Association of Baseball clubs was fixed up yesterday, representatives of the new organization and of the local capitalists having signed the necessary agreement.

There are four or five men backing the local club, but the names of only two of them have been made public, William J. Gilmore and George H. Reger. The location of the grounds is still a secret, but will be announced within the next few days.

John McGraw of Baltimore, one of the members of the committee to which was left the task of fixing up the Quaker end of the association, left last night for Providence. McGraw anticipates no trouble in getting the Providence club officials to sign the agreement which will give them a franchise in the new association. He said that Providence was only holding out because the trouble here had not been settled, and that he had been assured that the Providence people would fall into line as soon as matters were straightened out here.

Treasurer Roberts In a Law Suit.

New York, Feb. 7.—Ellis H. Roberts, treasurer of the United States, has been sued by Receiver Shaw of the Franklin National bank to recover on two protested notes, aggregating more than $10,000. The suit is an outcome of private business transactions and has nothing to do with the funds of the government. It is alleged that after it had been decided to place the Franklin National bank in liquidation, Charles F. James, acting as president, extended for Mr. Roberts for six months the time of payment of two notes, in violation of the rules of the bank; that on the maturity of the notes they were protested for nonpayment, and that they are still unpaid.

Constitution Not Violated.

Albany, Feb. 7.—The court of appeals yesterday decided against Mrs. Cisco, a colored woman, who contended that her child should be allowed to attend a school for white children when a school board had established a special school for colored children. The court holds that the constitution only requires that free schools with equal facilities shall be furnished to all children, white and black alike, and as it is admitted that facilities equal to those of other schools are provided in the special school the relator's contention of exclusion from the benefits of the common school education fails.

Three Candidates For Councillor.

Boston, Feb. 7.—A meeting of the members of the legislature for the third councillor district was held yesterday afternoon at the state house to discuss the situation respecting a successor to the late Councillor Oliver H. Durrell of Cambridge. Three candidates were prominently named for the position—Henry D. Yerxa of Cambridge, George W. Perkins of Somerville and Joseph B. Maccabe of East Boston. No vote was taken, however, and the meeting adjourned until next week, when an informal ballot may be taken.

To Hold Another Conference.

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 7.—The 32 shavers who went out on strike because of the temporary discharge of five of their number on account of the scarcity of work returned today to the tannery controlled by the American Hide and Leather company. This is the result of a conference held yesterday. Another conference will be held at which it is hoped all differences will be settled.

Endorsement Was Forged.

New York, Feb. 7.—Thomas A. Corbett, 18 years old, living at Everett, Mass., was locked up here last evening. He is accused of stealing a letter which contained a check on the Ninth National bank for $40. The bank was notified of the theft, and when Corbett presented the check for payment he was arrested. The endorsement had been forged.

Died While Having Teeth Pulled.

Webster, Mass., Feb. 7.—Ernest L. Partridge of Charlton, aged 21, dropped dead yesterday in a dentist's chair. He told Dr. Hitchcock he wanted 13 teeth pulled. As the operation was to be so extensive he was placed partially under the influence of ether. As the seventh tooth was extracted he fell back dead.

Policeman Acted Promptly.

Paris, Feb. 7.—Considerable excitement was caused here by the announcement that a bomb had been found in the window ledge of the residence of Paul de Cassagnac, with the fuse lighted. The latter was extinguished by a policeman. The bomb would have done much damage if it had exploded.

To Give Advice to Cubans.

Havana, Feb. 7.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was given a reception yesterday by the Havana workmen. Mr. Gompers, it is said, intends to explain to the Cuban workingmen the methods employed by the workingmen of the United States.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The federal grand jury in Brooklyn handed up to United States Judge Thomas 48 indictments based on fraudulent naturalization charges advanced by Superintendent of Elections McCullagh.

Fire at Little Rock destroyed business property and stock valued at $265,000. The blaze started in the building occupied by the P. Quinn Dry Goods Co.

James McCartney, commissioner of street cleaning, who succeeded the late Colonel Waring, died at New York from a complication of diseases. He was 46 years old.

Rev. John Kennedy, former chairman of the Congregational union of England and Wales, and professor of apologetics at New college, London, died at London in his 87th year.

The Boer government, according to reliable information, has a representative in Chicago, who is busy recruiting men for the war in South Africa. It is said he has two offices.

REDMOND MADE LEADER.

Reuniting of the Irish Party In Commons Upon the Parliamentary Situation.

London, Feb. 7.—At the meeting of the united Irish Nationalist party yesterday John Redmond was elected sessional chairman of the new party. Mr. Redmond returned his thanks for the honor conferred on him and expressed the opinion that all nationalists in Ireland, America and elsewhere would be rejoiced at the day's work, which, he declared, bound all sections of the party for Ireland's good and which, he hoped, would reunite Irishmen everywhere in the fight for Ireland's rights.



JOHN E. REDMOND.

In consequence of the war, the doings of the Irish party attracted smaller attention than would otherwise be the case. Messrs. Michael Davitt and W. O'Brien approve the election of Mr. Redmond, and the reuniting of the party is regarded as a sign of its entire severance from the Liberal party, Mr. Redmond's leaning having always been strongly toward the Conservatives.

The Times doubts whether Mr. Redmond will ever exercise the authority and domination which Parnell exercised.

The Daily News says: Mr. Healy may fondly boast that he drove Mr. Dillon out of his place. The Irish are powerless to effect the balance of the party. It is impossible, however, to forecast the future, and should British parties again be evenly divided the power of the united Irish may become formidable.

The Morning Post thinks that the result of the reuniting of the Irish party upon the parliamentary situation will become very interesting after the war.

Prefers Love to Money.

Chicago, Feb. 7.—Guy C. McDonald, the 19-year-old son of Michael C. McDonald, millionaire gambler and politician, has been disinherited for marrying the girl of his choice. She was Mary E. Flowers, 18 years of age. Young McDonald gave his father notice early in January that he intended to marry Miss Flowers. Mr. McDonald attempted to dissuade his son, but to no avail.

$100 Reward, $100.

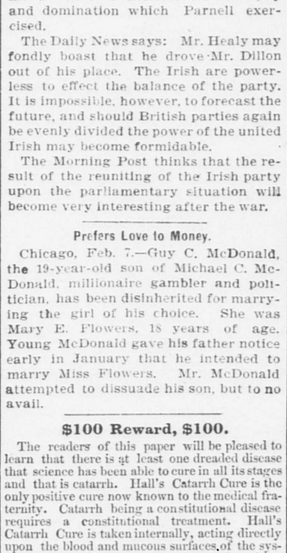
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Chairman of Philippine Commission.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The president has appointed Circuit Judge Taft of Cincinnati chairman of the Philippine commission. He will sail from San Francisco some time after March 15. Two of the present commissioners, Worcester and Denby, will go back to the islands, and probably two others will be appointed. President Schurman will not return.



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Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts. lb.
Rump Steak;	15 to 20 cts. lb.
Round Steak,	16 cts. lb.
Good Steak,	2 lbs. for 25 cts.
Beef Liver,	8 cts. lb.
Pigs Feet and Tripe,	8 cts. lb.
5 lb. Box Good Butter for	$1.35.

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Aug. 25. ly

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

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Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *6 12	abc	6 32	*5 53	ihgfedcba	6 22 r
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r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and inuicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

CROSSED THE TUGELA.

Buller Is Now Headed In the Direction of Ladysmith.

Had Two Days of Severe Fighting With Boers.

Methuen and MacDonald Pressing Forward on Western Border.

British Confident That They Cannot Be Dislodged From Positions Gained.

London, Feb. 8.—When a dispatch announcing the fighting on the Upper Tugela was published there was the usual scene of excitement on the streets. The big placards attracted newspaper buyers, and the news was eagerly discussed in all quarters. There was notable excitement in the house of commons, where, in addition to the war office announcement that General Buller had crossed the Tugela Monday, and was advancing upon Ladysmith, a news agency telegram was posted saying that 100 additional ambulance stretchers had been sent to the front from Durban.

The war office message, as given out, furnishes no clue as to where the Tugela was crossed, nor the numbers supporting General Buller's movement. But, it is presumed, this third attempt will be a supreme effort on the part of the general to cut his way through, another that he will employ every available man. The expression in the official dispatch, "Is now advancing upon Ladysmith," it is pointed out, must not be taken to mean that General Buller has cut down all opposition, but merely that he is headed in the direction of the besieged town, and the public are therefore naturally on tenter-hooks in regard to the next news.

The British columns are putting themselves in motion in all parts of the South African war field. A combined attack upon the Boers appears to be in progress. General Buller has gained a footing on the plateau north of the Tugela, after two days' fighting.

On the far western border Lord Methuen has begun a turning movement against the Boer right, while General MacDonald threatens the Boer flank, thus relieving the pressure on Lord Methuen's front.

Lord Roberts, who, according to an informant in close touch with the war office, is in the middle of the theater of war, has begun the march to Bloemfontein.

The Boers have taken the initiative against General Gatacre, attacking two of his positions at Sterkstroom.

It really looks as though the general forward movement, so long talked of, were in progress. General Buller's third attempt at relieving Ladysmith absorbs attention. Telegrams of from 100 to 200 words, from a dozen correspondents, have been passed by the censor, who has apparently redated messages written Monday or Tuesday to Wednesday at 6 p. m. From these it is clear that General Buller, up to Tuesday evening, had taken one hill, had repulsed a Boer counter-attack, and was holding the position against an enfilading fire from Spion kop and Boorm Kloof. His losses, as mentioned by one correspondent, are 250.

Light on General Buller's operations ceases here, the war office not contributing any information.

The Standard has the following from Spearman's Camp, dated Feb. 8: The force under General Buller is again advancing to the relief of Ladysmith, and, after two days of severe fighting, it may fairly be said to have made a good first step on the road to the besieged town.

The movement was begun at an early hour on Monday morning by way of Potgieter's Drift. The Eleventh brigade, forming a part of the Fifth division, under General Warren, made a feint attack upon the kopjes immediately on our front. The assault was delivered at the outset under cover of naval guns on Mount Alice, and subsequently under that of field batteries.

The infantry advanced steadily toward the Boer entrenched position at Brakfontein, and kept the enemy busily employed. While this diversion was being made, the remainder of the infantry told off for the attack, who had bivouacked Sunday night under Mount Alice, moved along at the foot of Zwarts' kop, in the direction of our right.

A pontoon bridge was thrown across the Tugela river by the engineers, under the fire of the enemy. The first battalion to move across in the forenoon was the Durham light infantry, of General Lyttleton's brigade. They advanced against Vaal Krantz, which lies on the most direct road to Ladysmith, and, after two hours' splendid work, they got within charging distance of the Boers.

The first of the kopjes was carried by them at the point of the bayonet, with the utmost gallantry. Almost simultaneously, the first battalion rifle brigade cleared the second kopje, and, after moving across the long ridge, they bivouacked on the spot.

The work accomplished so far has been magnificently done. The shell and Maxim fire poured in by the Boers has been extremely severe, but our losses are, comparatively speaking, small. The Durham light infantry took a few prisoners in the course of their charge.

The enemy, as usual, fought with the utmost stubbornness. The British maneuvering and the accurate aim on the part of the British artillery during the fighting Monday, were beyond praise. There is not the slightest likelihood that the Boers will succeed in dislodging us from the positions we have gained, and the prospects of the relief of Ladysmith are decidedly hopeful.

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USED MAILS TO DEFRAUD.

Charge Against a Woman Who Is Said to Have Reaped a Harvest by Advertising.

Nashua, N. H., Feb. 8.—Miss Helena F. Jones, claiming her residence at Brooklyn, was arrested at Antrim yesterday under the direction of United States District Attorney Hamblett of this city on the charge of defrauding through the mails. She was taken before United States Commissioner Parker in this city and pleaded not guilty through her counsel and was ordered to furnish $1500 bonds for her future appearance.

It is claimed that advertisements were placed in various publications that the Brookside Supply company would furnish musical charts and other articles for a small sum of money, and also the North Branch Silk company would furnish silk and other useful articles cheaply. A large number of answers are claimed to have been received on account of the advertisement, the replies ranging from 500 to 1000 a day. It is further claimed that the letters were taken from the postoffice by Mrs. Melvin S. French of Antrim and shipped to Brooklyn to a brother named Swett, who is alleged to be the manager of Miss Jones' so-called companies, which the authorities claim never existed.

It is said that as many as 2700 letters have been taken from the postoffice at Antrim and North Branch for the Brookside Supply company and the North Branch Silk company, each letter containing money. The business has been running for several months, and it is estimated by the authorities that $50,000 has been made. Miss Jones is a prepossessing woman of 35 years, well dressed and claims to be innocent of the charge of defrauding through the mails.

Guns May Be Unfit For Use.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Through somebody's carelessness, two of the big 12-inch rifle cannon which were to form an important part of the defenses of Puget sound, and to be located at Fort Flagler, Wash., have been injured to an extent that may impair their usefulness. The injuries were sustained in the emplacements of the guns.

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HE STILL HESITATES.

Taylor Not Ready to Sign the Agreement Drawn Up at Louisville.

Language as to Repeal of the Goebel Law Is Too Vague.

Dead Leader's Body Brought to Louisville and Viewed by Thousands.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 8.—Governor Taylor has not yet signed the Louisville agreement, although the general opinion is that he will ultimately do so. Governor Taylor refuses absolutely to make any statement in regard to his probable action in the matter, and during most of yesterday declined to receive any callers except his legal advisers.

Governor Taylor sent telegrams to ex-Governor Bradley, Augustus E. Wilson, Judge Barr and Attorney Fairleigh asking them to come to Frankfort for a conference. Mr. Wilson was the only one to arrive and shortly after 8 o'clock last night he, with Judge Yost and General Lindsay, called on the governor and went into a conference with him. Every section of the Louisville agreement was gone over carefully, but it is understood that the principal thing discussed was that section bearing on the passage of a new election law.

The repeal of the Goebel law is the one thing most strongly desired by Governor Taylor and, as the language of the Louisville agreement is considered by him too vague as regards this matter, it is considered possible that the clause will be made more specific before he signs the agreement. This would involve further delay, as it would necessitate a further conference between the Republican and Democratic leaders.

Another cause for Governor Taylor's delay in regard to the agreement is said to be the cry of "victory" and "surrender" sent up by the Democrats. The agreement as presented to Governor Taylor is understood to be somewhat different from the published abstracts, in that the clause regarding the election law and one or two other matters is much more specific than it is generally understood to be, though still not strong enough to suit him.

The rank and file of the Republican party apparently believe there is some foundation for the claims set up by the Democrats. Scores of telegrams have poured in on Governor Taylor, urging him not to sign the agreement, but to maintain his present position and await developments.

The conference in the office of Governor Taylor ended at midnight without any action being taken on the agreement. It is not likely that anything will be done today. The agreement was discussed fully. Those who signed the agreement at Louisville spoke favorably concerning it, all of them declaring that it in no way implied a surrender on the part of the Republicans. Governor Taylor exhibited many telegrams from all parts of the state, urging him not to give up. It does not now seem probable that final action will be taken on the agreement before the end of the week.

The train bearing the remains of William Goebel arrived here from Covington at 12:15 p. m. The day was exceedingly disagreeable. The casket was carried into the ladies' reception room of the Capitol hotel. Every head was bared as the remains of the dead Democratic leader were carried into the hotel. The casket, heaped with flowers, was laid on the bier in the center of the big room, the lid was unscrewed and the face of the dead man exposed to view.

The steady drizzle of the morning turned into a pouring rain in the afternoon which kept up without cessation until long after nightfall, and probably not over 3000 or 4000 persons took the opportunity to get a last look at the dead man. Many of these were country people. Probably half of those who filed past the casket were women. Many pathetic scenes were witnessed as the crowds slowly filed past by the bier. Many of the women were weeping.

National Club the Highest Bidder.

New York, Feb. 8.—San Francisco will be the scene of the Corbett-Jeffries fight. W. A. Brady and George Considine met again yesterday and the question was settled, provided the National Athletic club would immediately deposit $5000 as a guarantee of good faith, and advance $500 to defray expenses to the Pacific coast. Charley White was named by Brady as referee, but Considine demurred, asking for Tim Hurst. This question will be decided later.

To Furnish Fuel of $6.000.000.

New York, Feb. 8.—Contractor McDonald's bond in connection with the construction of the underground railroad has practically been agreed upon. It will consist of $3,000,000 in cash, to be furnished by a company to be organized with $6,000,000 capital stock. The balance of the $6,000,000 bond required by the court will consist of bonds of this company.

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

☞ Glenwood Ranges make cooking easy, and cut down the coal bills. From $22.00 up. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Boston Bargain Department Store

SECOND WEEK

CUT PRICE SALE BEFORE STOCK TAKING.

MUSIC HALL BUILDING, - QUINCY, MASS.

Domestic Goods.

36-in. Brown Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale, **3c** per yd
40-in. Brown Sheeting, 8c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
42-in Bleached Pillow Cotton, 8c. goods, This Sale, **6c** per yd
36-in. Bleached Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale **3c** per yd
1,000 yds. Fancy Outing Flannel, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5** and **7c** per yd
5c. Merrimac and American Prints, This Sale, **3c** per yd
7c. Simpson Dark Prints, This Sale, **4c** per yd
36-in. 10 and 8c. Percale, This Sale, **5c** per yd
2 1-2 yds. x 2 1-4--50c. Hemmed Sheets, This Sale, **30c**
10c. Pillow Cases, Best Cotton, This Sale, **5c**
1,000 yds. Colored Dress Lawns, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
12 1-2c. Plaid Dress Goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
58 in. Bleached Table Damask, 30c. goods. This Sale, **15c** Per yd
25c. Turkey Red Table Damask, This Sale, 15c. per yd
5-8 Bleached Napkins, $1.00 goods, This Sale, 75c
98c. Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 98c
98c. Blankets, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Blankets, This Sale, 98c

Children's Shirts and Drawers.

GRAY, WHITE and RIBBED.

16 in 10c. Goods, This Sale, **5c**
18 in 15c. Goods, This Sale, **8c**
20 in 18c. Goods, This Sale, **10c**
22 in 20c. Goods, This Sale, **13c**
24 in 23c. Goods, This Sale, **15c**
26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 " **18c**

Ladies' Cotton Underwear.

"CHIC" BRAND.

25 doz. NIGHT ROBES, 75c. Goods, This Sale, **39c**
15 doz. Three Tuck Yoke Band Drawers, regular 25c. goods, This Sale, **15c**

Bargains in Gent's Underwear.

25 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 25c. Goods. This Sale, **15c** each
40 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 50c. goods. This Sale, **25c** each
25 doz. Men's Wool Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 75c. goods. This Sale, **39c** each

Men's White Laundered Shirts.

$1.50 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **98c**
$1.00 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **75c**
75c. Dress Shirts, This Sale, **45c**
59c. Fancy Shirts, 2 Collars, Pair Cuffs, This Sale. **39c**

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers for Men, Women and Children for this Sale
CUT WAY DOWN.
Ladies' Storm Rubbers, 50c. Low Rubbers, 40c. Children's Storm, 40c.

Ladies' Print Wrappers.

25 doz. Best Goods, always sold for 89c., 79c. and 69c. FOR THIS SALE, **50c.**
$1.00 Wrappers, This Sale, **75c**
$1.25 Wrappers, This Sale, **$1.00**

Corsets! Corsets!

We will sell the **R. & G.** No. 101 Royal Worcester and the Ferris Waists all Nos. for **$1.00** per pair each. We will give with each pair of the above Corsets a **25c.** Gingham Kitchen Apron.

39c. Summer Corsets, This Sale, 25c
50c. Globe Corsets, This Sale, 35c
89c. Globe Corsets, This Sale, 60c

HOSIERY.

19c, Fast Black Double Sole, This Sale, **10c**
37c. and 25c. Fancy Plaids, This Sale, **15c**
25c. Children's Rib Double Knee. This Sale, **10c**
19c. Men's Fast Black, This Sale, **10c**

SMALLWARES AND NOTIONS.

10c Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 3c
15c. Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 5c
10c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 5c. doz
15c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 10c. doz
10c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 5c
19c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 10c
M & K Knitting Cotton, This Sale, 5c
19c. all Colors of Veiling, This Sale, 10c
Bargains in Laces and Hamburgs, cut way down.

KITCHEN FURNISHINGS of every description in our basement at prices for this sale cut way down.

Everything in our entire stock is marked way down; cost is lost sight of. We are bound to show to the people of Quincy and vicinity that this sale is a genuine CUT PRICE SALE. Shop anywhere, then compare our prices. We ask you to come in and see for yourself what we are doing for you, we can sell you more for $1.00, than you can carry home. This Cut sale will continue until Feb. 15. New Idea Patterns this sale, 8c.

Boston Bargain Department Store,

MUSIC HALL BUILDING, QUINCY, MASS.

Cars from Braintree and Weymouth stop in front of the Store.

Our Store will be closed at 6 o'clock on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Evenings until further notice.

Healer Coffey

A MARVEL.

THE MIRACLE WORKER, THE CONQUERER OF PAIN, THE BANISHER OF DISEASE.

His Lectures and Public Healing in Faxon Hall, Quincy, last week Stamped Him as the Greatest Healer Now Living.

HAVE YOU TESTED HIS MYSTIFYING POWER?

His Office at No. 24 Chestnut Street, Quincy, Will be Kept Open Some Time.

Prof. Coffey has been kindly received and welcomed to Quincy. Many witnessed his public demonstrations in Faxon hall last week, and will be pleased to learn that he will remain in Quincy for some time. He has offices at No. 24 Chestnut street, Quincy, where he can be consulted daily (except Sundays) free of charge, from 9.30 A. M., to 7 P. M.



Prof. Coffey does not travel, as his reputation is made. He only makes an annual visit to cities within an hour's ride to Boston.

This fact remains undisputed. The gift of healing is a power which but few men possess, and like the gift of oratory and music, it must remain in the possession of but few. This wonderful healer numbers hundreds of the brightest minds as well as the most gifted ladies of the land as his patients, simply because of the newer methods invented and adopted by him in the treatment of cases that have failed to recover under any other system.

A man came to Professor Coffey hobbling along with great difficulty upon two crutches. In less time than it takes to write it, the man issued from the office with both crutches over his shoulder, saying, "I'm cured, thank God!" A Mrs. Henderson had a large goitre removed from her neck, while Frank Henshaw, who had used a crutch and cane for two years, went away without even a sign of pain. These cures are facts, which can easily be verified.

Rev. Arthur Stoughton who had given up the ministry on account of losing his voice, received three treatments from Professor Coffey three weeks ago. Yesterday he called to tell the professor that he had preached last Sunday and no one detected anything the matter with his voice.

Mrs. Packard had been a cripple for over twenty years, owing to contraction of the muscles of her right leg. She returned home, however, after getting her second treatment, walking squarely on both feet. The entire family was surprised and the husband kissed her and said she was a remarkably smart woman. Mrs. Dean called for treatment last Monday, accompanied by her daughter, who carried her arm in a sling, suffering from inflammatory rheumatism. She could not raise her arm for the world. After the mother received her treatment she asked the professor to treat her daughter. In less than five minutes the young lady had the use of her arm restored to her by Professor Coffey.

The next subject was a lady suffering from paralysis of her lower limbs. When she entered the office, the professor invited her to walk across the room to him. The lady replied she could not without breaking her neck. In fact, she had not walked that distance for six years. She received her treatment standing in the door. In a few moments of time a number of ladies and gentlemen who were in the large waiting room (across the hall) were astonished to see this helpless cripple walk out of the office, down the steps and across the street to where her carriage was waiting.

A lady told Dr. McConnell, one of Boston's best physicians, that she had suffered torture from a complication of kidney and bladder trouble for two years. Everything she tried made her worse. Professor Coffey gave her three treatments (almost one year ago.) She has enjoyed good health ever since.

A few weeks ago Professor Coffey was called in to relieve Mr. George Clark of Allston from extreme pain. Heroic doses of morphine had no results except to sicken him. The sufferer had been told (by three good physicians) it would require months to get him out of bed. The professor gave him one treatment. Mr. Clark's pains all ceased, and he is now able to go to work daily.

Mr. Ambrose Howell, who had been deaf for seven years, had his hearing restored perfectly in ten days. He says the cure is worth $1000 to him.

Mr. George Dudley was brought to Professor Coffey apparently a hopeless paralytic; could not move a limb or speak a word. After the professor had given him a few treatments he walked to the depot and took the train for home unassisted.

No one can believe one-half of what this man can do unless they go and see. Even after seeing with your own eyes, you can scarcely realize that it is not a beautiful dream you have awakened from.

Miss Minnie Hanzell, only twenty years of age, and deaf—that is, she was deaf a few weeks ago, when she first applied to Professor Coffey, but she finished her course of treatment and came all the way to tell the professor that on Sunday she had taken purposely her seat well toward the back of the church and had been able to hear every word of the sermon. You should hear her tell about Professor Coffey and see the look of happiness in her eye.

So run the cases, cure after cure, success after success, people by the score made happy every day, and all through the blessed medium Vital Magnetism as practiced by Professor Coffey.

There is no mistake but what Professor Coffey has done a great amount of good for the suffering people of this city.

There is scarcely a disease that will not succumb to the magic hands of Professor Coffey. Along the whole category of human ills, such as catarrh, pulmonary-complaints, liver and kidney troubles, paralysis and all diseases of the nervous system, tumors and goitres removed without the knife or the loss of a drop of blood, all stomach disturbances, spinal and cerebral disorders, female weaknesses of all descriptions, rheumatism in all its forms, such as rheumatic gout, inflammatory rheumatism, swelling and inflammation of the joints, deafness and all diseases of the ear and eye, no matter what the trouble may be, there is hope as long as Professor Coffey is around.

We know that such remarkable cures as are being made in this city seem almost incredible and these performances seem more like miracles than solid facts, yet they have been witnessed by hundreds of people as they daily took place in Faxon Hall, Quincy, in the most public manner. Feb. 7-2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 5th, 1900.

THE Committee on Railroads will give a hearing to parties interested in the following: Petition with bill (House No. 197) for legislation to compel railroad companies to issue season tickets beginning at any day of the month at the same price at which like tickets beginning on the first day of a month are issued, at 10 o'clock A. M.; to parties interested in resolve (House No. 208) for submitting to popular vote the question of State ownership of the Boston and Albany railroad at 10.30 o'clock A. M.; and to parties interested in petition with bill (House No. 389) for a board of railroad administration which shall devise a standard system of railroad operations and enforce the same, at 11 o'clock A. M., at room No. 446, State House, on FRIDAY, Feb. 9th.

RUFUS A. SOULE, Chairman.
C. H. BLOOD, Clerk of the Committee.
Feb. 7. 2t

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MISS CORLEW,

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ON FEBRUARY 22,

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

Dancing from 2.30 until 5.30.
TICKETS 25 CENTS.
MULLALY'S ORCHESTRA.

Tickets may be obtained of the matrons or Miss Corlew.

Jan. 29. tf

Quincy Music Hall.
A. G. DURGIN, Manager.

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BIG DOUBLE
WHITE MINSTRELS.

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☞ Watch for the Big Noon Day Parade.

Popular Prices, 25, 35 and 50c.

Seats on sale at Durgin's.

Feb. 5. 4t

DRESSMAKING.

DRESS and Garment Making. Furs made into Collarettes. At 22 Chestnut street.
MRS. G. C. JONES.
Quincy, Feb. 6-6t o-1w

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

IS open every evening except Wednesday and Thursday until 9 o'clock.
Faxon Block, 186 Hancock street.

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	48	41	40	22	32
Monday,	39	41	24	43	33
Tuesday,	33	30	34	40	41
Wednesday,	37	39	32	36	45
Thursday,	45	20	30	43	50
Friday,	—	20	15	42	41
Saturday,	—	21	10	50	32

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—Experienced Salesmen.
Hours at City Hall.
Wanted—A place by girl to do housework.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ It is suggested that a proper way for the American people to show their magnanimity would be to switch off on the gift sword business, and all hands put shoulder to the wheel in a grand effort to help Admiral Cervera in getting his watch out of pawn.—New Haven Palladium.

☞ The question whether the president of the senate or the speaker of the house shall be given the post of honor at state dinners is causing President McKinley more trouble just at present than most of the other state problems he is called upon to consider. The president has, however, declined to take upon himself the responsibility of making a decision. Let congress pass a bill on the subject.—Brockton Times.

☞ The majority of the Boston school teachers seem to favor a teachers' retirement fund, but that fund would be raised by forced contributions by many teachers who would have no benefit from it whatever. It seems as if the logic of the teachers were sadly at fault and badly out of joint with the principles of fair play which ought to prevail between fellow members of the profession. The teachers are as well able as other people to provide for a rainy day, and they ought not to demand that the young members of their company be taxed for the benefit of the older ones.—Fitchburg Sentinel.

High School Debates.

Both the Seniors and Juniors of the Quincy High school held debates on Wednesday. The subject to engage the attention of the former was:

Resolved—That England was wrong in her treatment of the colonies. The affirmative was taken by Miss Rose Brown, and the negative by Brooks Keyes and Miss Ruby Andrews.

The merits of the debate was decided in favor of the negative the merits of the question in the affirmative.

The critic was Luther Hanson, and the chairman Kenneth Lewis.

The subject of the Junior debate was:

Resolved — That Quincy should be annexed to Boston.

The affirmative was taken by Miss Howley, Miss Elcock and Miss Cain. The negative by Miss Hunt and Mr. Newcomb.

A committee decided that the negative won the day on the merits of the debate. The class decided on the merits of the question in the affirmative.

Q. Y. C. in the Public Eye.

The Quincy Yacht club according to the Boston papers seems to be in the public eye just at present. Praise and censure are dealt out to the club with liberal impartiality for its action in withdrawing from the Y. R. A. of Massachusetts. It is said that up to Wednesday morning the yachting editor of the Globe had received five lengthy communications from various yachtsmen reviewing the action of the club which the authors hope to have appear in the Sunday edition. One of the officers of the Quincy club received requests from two of the largest clubs in the harbor for a mutual agreement of racing dates on Monday.

—W. H. Brasee of the Boston Bargain store in the Music hall block, is convinced that Ledger advertising pays well. My big "ad" has brought unexpected results, he says, and business has been very good. The people have but to learn the prices that we are selling goods, if they want bargains.

IN TENTH DISTRICT.

Ex-Governor Wolcott Suggested for Congress.

Reported That Atwood Would Step Aside.

Not a Voter of District But a Summer Resident.

The Transcript of Wednesday had the following political news of interest to Quincy and Milton which are included in the tenth or Boston South Congressional district.

"Though ex-Governor Wolcott is registered in Ward 11, Boston, part of the Cambridge district (eighth) his summer home in Milton identifies him



ROGER WOLCOTT

with the Boston South district there is no legal obstacle to his representing the district even though he is not legally a resident there. Dr. William Everett represented the Mystic district (seventh) while residing in Quincy. It is possible that the ex-governor would prefer to succeed Congressman McCall in the Cambridge district, but he can hardly expect to have Mr. McCall step aside for him. Yet there is some talk of opposition to Congressman McCall this year irrespective of any consideration for ex-Governor Wolcott. The congressman's opposition in favor of seating Roberts, the Mormon, and on the question of imperialism, is said to have aroused some hostility to him.

"Ex-Governor Wolcott was asked this morning what he had to say regarding the talk about making him a candidate for Congress in the Boston South district. He said he had always followed the plan of declining to confirm or deny rumors of that sort, and that he could do no better than that in this case. He said that he had not had the matter brought to his attention in anyway before, and that it was absolutely new to him. He would wait until the nominations were offered him before stating his position. He emphasized the fact that he was not a resident of the district, and when asked if that would make a difference to his acceptance or rejection of a proffered nomination, he replied that it might possibly make a difference to him, though it was no legal obstacle.

"Ex-Governor Roger Wolcott to run for Congress in the Boston South Congressional District (tenth), against Congressman Henry F. Naphen, or whoever the Democrats put up, is the talk now being quietly made by Dorchester Republicans. The ex-governor is regarded as being a vote-getting candidate, even in a district where a union of all Democrats gives a Democratic majority, but more than that he is regarded as just the man to prevent ex-Congressman H. H. Atwood from carrying out the design of again securing the Republican nomination. While it is currently believed that Mr. Atwood is doing his best to make sure of the nomination this year, it is said that if ex-Governor Wolcott allows his name to be used Mr. Atwood will step aside.

"The point of the Atwood interest in the matter is that if he secures the nomination it will be regarded as a practical admission within the party that his past record is forgiven and forgotten, while if should get the election it would mean the same thing for the voters of the district. The people who remember the reasons why Mr. Atwood was denied a reelection to Congress before, regard it as a matter of public necessity that he should be prevented from receiving the nomination now."

The young ladies of Mrs. Lewis Shay's Sunday School class will give an entertainment at the Park and Downs Congregational church next Tuesday evening, Feb. 13, for the benefit of the Children's Floating Hospital of Boston. A most pleasing programme is assured. Refreshments served free at the close of the entertainment. Let as many as possible come and help this good cause.

Ex-Mayor Josiah Quincy of Boston sailed from New York Thursday. Mr. H. W. Bates did not accompany him.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

The Managers of Public Burial Places meet tonight.

Mr. Alphonso Williams has returned from Mt. Desert, Me.

Another whist party will be held at Odd Fellows' hall tonight.

The Sewer Commissioners meet next Monday night for organization.

A temperance conference is being held this afternoon at Faxon hall.

Public baths have been opened in Grossman's block on Water street.

The annual report of the School Committee of Quincy for 1899 was put into type in nine working days.

New planking is being placed over Town brook in Talbot & Emerson's carriage manufactory yard.

The residence of Chief of Police Ripley has been connected by telephone. His number is 14-4.

A private bal masque will be given by C. T. Winkelman and C. D. Sargent tomorrow evening in Brasee's hall, Wollaston.

Postmaster Burns of Wollaston, who has been confined to his house since Friday, was out for the first time on Wednesday.

Commissioner Knowlton has a gang of men at work on Quincy avenue today, leveling the sharp edges of the ledges that are in the street.

George O. Langley is doing the carpenter work at City Hall, made necessary by the changing of the Water department and Assessors' offices.

Mayor Hall announces new hours for City Hall on and after next Monday, and the people who have business with the city will appreciate the noon openings.

The Board of Assessors met this morning and elected Miss Abbie B. Brackett as clerk and secretary. The regular meetings of the board will be held every Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

Peter Moran, for many years the obliging baggage master at the Quincy depot, will on Monday enter the employ of the water department of the city taking the place of Alexander Stewart.

A ten nights' whist tournament was commenced Wednesday evening at the Granite City club. George W. Prescott and J. Warren Nightingale were high men, the former's score being 72 and the latters 71 1-2.

Ex-Representative Thompson who now fills the important position of Principal Assessor of Quincy was at the State House Tuesday looking up documents connected with his new office and making himself familiar with the points which are likely to come up in his official duties.

Mrs. Simpson of Willard street is seriously ill at the residence of Mrs. Charles Leavitt. She had a shock last Saturday and has been unconscious since that time. As she is 88 years of age but slight hopes are entertained for her recovery. She is the mother of Selectman Simpson of Milton.

The Whatsoever Ten King's Daughters of Wollaston held its annual meeting at the residence of Miss Marion Taylor on Tuesday evening. After the election of officers a lunch was served. These officers were elected: President Mrs. W. F. Whittam; Vice President Mrs. A. E. Rhodes; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. George R. Badger.

Two of the new eight-wheel cars for the Quincy & Boston arrived at South Braintree this morning, and will probably reach Quincy Adams tonight. The cars are modern in every way, and following the new idea, have no lettering other than the destination signs on the top. The seats in the interior are upholstered in plush, and are so arraigned that some are like seats on steam railroad cars, and the others are like ordinary street railway cars.

☞ Ladies and gentlemen of Quincy and surrounding towns, wishing to enter a gold watch contest for Easter Monday concert and ball given in Quincy Music hall, will please send names to C. T. Winkelman, Wollaston, for particulars.

HOURS AT CITY HALL.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Mayor's Office, Feb. 7, 1900.

ON and after MONDAY, February 12, the City Hall will be open for business from 8 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. continuously, except on Saturdays when it will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M.

City Hall will also be open on Monday and Thursday evenings of each week, excepting when holidays occur on these days, from 7.30 to 8.30 P. M.

The Mayor and some of the officials will be at City Hall every evening.

JOHN O. HALL, Mayor.

Feb. 8-6t 10-2w

CARPETS CLEANED

Better than you have ever known them to be cleaned before.

We take your carpets one day and return to you the next day. Our electric beater makes your carpets look as good as new, and does not injure them a particle.

Carpets taken up and relaid in the the shortest time possible.

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Reliable Low-Priced House Furnishers,

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ANNUAL SALE OF REMNANTS.

LADIES' WHITE APRONS,

FINE LAWN, FINE EMBROIDERY,

AT MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.

Store closed at 6 o'clock on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Evenings until further notice.

MISS C. S. HUBBARD, 158 Hancock St., Quincy.

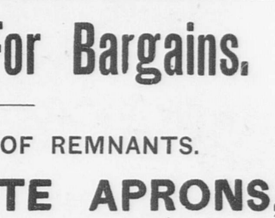
PICKLES vs. DRUGS.

Pickles are all right in their place but a man may understand selling pickles thoroughly and still make a very poor showing in his knowledge of drugs and medicines. I do not find time to extend my business outside of the limits of the legitimate drug business. I would make a very poor artist in the sale of pickles, but with my 20 years experience as a druggist, 11 of which I have spent in Quincy, I point with pardonable pride to the fact that I have today the largest, best appointed and most complete drug store in this city. It has been my constant endeavor to please every customer entering my store, and my success in my chosen profession can not but convince me that my efforts are appreciated by the people of Quincy.

CHAS. C. HEARN, Pharmacist,

176 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.

EVERY LUMP OF COAL COUNTS.



There is no waste in a ton of our

Good Clean Coal.

Every Lump Counts and gives forth its share of good honest warmth. If you don't care to pay for dust, dirt and other impurities, let your next order be a ton of

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Quincy, Jan. 31. tf

Grocers' Annual Banquet.

THE Quincy Grocers' Association hold their Ninth Annual Banquet, WEDNESDAY Evening, February 14th. Any of the Quincy Business Men wishing to attend can procure tickets of the Committee.

GEORGE H. WILSON,
JOHN W. NASH,
JOSEPH W. JOHNSON.
Quincy, Feb. 5. tf

H. A. HAYDEN,

Piano Tuner.

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FRESH PORK,	9 cts
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FORES OF MUTTON,	5 cts
LEG and LOIN LAMB,	10 cts
FORES OF LAMB,	6 cts
ROAST BEEF,	6 to 12 1-2 cts
SIRLOIN STEAK,	15 and 20 cts
RUMP STEAK,	15 and 20 cts
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Red Letter Sale

AT THE BIG STORE FOR ONE WEEK

Commencing Monday, Feb. 5th.

We shall hold the greatest sale ever attempted by any store this side of Boston. It will be the grand windup of our winter's business and we have cut prices with a lavish hand. Every day next week will be Red Letter Day in our store. Remember these are not old, shopworn goods that we quote these prices on, but new, clean, seasonable merchandise.

DRESS GOODS. One lot of Heavy Crepon effect Novelty Goods 44 inches wide and always sold for 89c. We do not wish to carry these over to next season, so they all go at less than cost. Red Letter Week. . . . **59c**

OUTING FLANNEL. 1,200 yards of White Domet Flannel, the same as we sell for 6c., only this is subject to slight imperfections. Red Letter Price. **3½c**

PETTICOATS. 100 Fancy Percaline Petticoats made with wide ruffle and dust ruffle. A regular $1.00 skirt. Red Letter Price. **79c**

BLACK SATIN. This is one of the few things that a merchant never cuts the price on, but we will break the rule for once and sell a heavy 24-inch Satin Duchess $1.25 quality. Red Letter Week for **79c**

OUTING FLANNELS. 1,000 yds. of Dark Outings in Greys, Brown, Blacks, etc. Our price on these has always been 7, 8 and 9c. Red Letter Price. **5c**

PRINTS. 5,000 yards of best Shirting Prints just the same as you always pay 5c. yard for Red Letter Price. **2½c**

HAMBURGS. 1,500 yards of Fine Hamburg Edgings, two, two and a half and three inches wide, worth 8c., 10c. and 15c. Red Letter Price. **5c**

LADIES' HOSE. A fine Fast Black, Fleeced Lined, Fifteen-cent Hose made from an extra quality elastic yarn. Red Letter Week. . . . **10c**

COTTON. 2,500 yards of standard 6c. bleached cotton. Not over 10 yards to a customer. Red Letter Week. **4½c**

DRESS GOODS. Extra Heavy 40-inch Storm Serge in Black and Navy Blue, all wool and worth 69c. yard. Red Letter Price. **39c**

MEN'S HOSE. One lot of a fine woolen mixture. Our regular price 2 pair for 25c. We are badly overstocked on these so Red Letter Week. . **4 pairs for 25c**

WRAPPERS. One lot of beautiful Chinchilla Cloth Wrappers were cheap at $1.49. Next week Red Letter Week. **98c**

CORSETS. 200 pairs of the famous "Globe" brand, the standard price of the beautiful Corsets is 50c., but for business reasons we are closing out this line. You can have them Red Letter Week for . . **39c**

TORCHON LACE. Hundreds of yards different widths, but much of it 4 1-2 inches wide. Worth from 8c. to 19c. per yard. Red Letter Price. **5c**

LACE CURTAINS. You can save about 33 per cent. by buying your Lace Curtains at this sale. We have marked $10 00 Irish Points to . . **$6.48**

$5.00 ONES TO $3.48.

Scotch Laces from $3.98 to $2.50 and Nottinghams from $2.50 to $1.98.

Two Lots of Muslin Curtains at 79c. and 89c.

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PEAS, CORN AND TOMATOES.

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139 Hancock Street, Quincy.

IF YOU WISH TO

SAVE 25 CENTS ON A DOLLAR

On your provisions, walk a few steps out of your way and come to the old stand. We have been tried a good many years and we stand on our past record. Below we quote a few of our prices :

CHOICE TURKEYS, 12 1-2 to 15c. lb.
FOWL and CHICKENS, 10 to 15c. lb.
GEESE and DUCKS, 12 1-2 to 15c. lb.

FRESH PORK,	9 cts. lb.	HAMBURG STEAK,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEGS OF MUTTON,	10 cts. lb.	PIGS FEET,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
FORES OF MUTTON,	5 cts. lb.	HONEY COMB TRIPE,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEG and LOIN LAMB,	10 cts. lb.	PLAIN TRIPE,	5 cts. lb.
FORES OF LAMB,	6 cts. lb.	FRANKFORTS,	10 cts. lb.
ROAST BEEF,	6 to 12 1-2 cts. lb.	FRESH SHOULDERS of PORK,	8 cts. lb
SIRLOIN STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.	SMOKED SHOULDERS,	8 cts. lb.
RUMP STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.		
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SOUVENIR PATRIOTS FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

Complaint Against Officer.

Officer Daveron was given a hearing before Mayor Hall and Chief Ripley Wednesday evening upon charges preferred against him by the parents of a Wollaston boy named Tabb who claims to have been assaulted by the officer last December. The boy claims that the officer came up behind him and struck him a blow in the face causing a swelling the size varying from a half dollar to an egg.

Officer Daveron story is that he was remonstrating with another boy at the depot when the Tabb boy came up and began to mix in the conversation. He then turned to the boy and told him to clear out. At this the boy raised his hand and the officer thinking the boy, who is about 17 years of age, intended to strike him put out his hand and pushed him away. The officer says he had on a thick woolen glove at the time and denies striking the boy.

After the hearing the matter was taken under advisement.

Tonight is Diamond Brothers great show with an open air concert in front of Music hall.

Swansdown FLOUR.

When you are willing to pay a little more than the average price of all Kinds of Flour and obtain a barrel of Swansdown that will make enough more bread to offset the little more you have paid. Then you will get the best bread, the whitest bread, the lightest bread, the sweetest tasting bread and on account of its yielding qualities it has not cost you any more than the cheapest.

L. M. PRATT & CO.,

AGENTS FOR QUINCY, MASS.

THE SPANISH GIRLS.

They Are "All Right" Says Philippine Soldier.

Service in Army Isn't All Sunshine,

Henry Rhines Formerly of Quincy Writes from Manila.

Mr. John J. Crowne of Neponset has received the following interesting letter from Henry Rhines formerly of Quincy who is a soldier in the Philippines. We hope to hear from him often.

Manila, January 1, 1900.

I received your letter and was very glad to hear from you, I felt homesick until I heard from you, they forwarded it to the boat the day we landed, which was December 17.

Since we landed I have seen considerable of the country and like it very much.

We spent a very lonesome Christmas. On Christmas day we started down to a place called San Meto, a distance of thirty-five miles from our barracks which is called Mulatto. When we got there we were all tired out, because it was quite a long walk, and we were lugging between fifty and sixty pounds on our back.

San Meto is a very mountainous country, and in these mountains the insurgents had taken refuge.

They had some very fine trenches built on the sides of these mountains, which we had to take, and it was a very difficult task. We started to advance on them Dec. 26, at 8 o'clock, and at 12.15 we had 173 prisoners and the trenches, 65 mauser rifles and four 10 1-2 inch guns, and we were unable to tell the exact number of dead and wounded, because they hid them. However we found 35 dead and ever so many wounded, that they didn't have time to hide.

Our company lost eight men and fifteen wounded. I don't know the exact number in the battalion as the companies are not all in yet.

We were gone six days, and it was a week of starvation. All we had to eat was what we ravaged such as pigs, hens and rice, and they ran out in two days. The hardest part of it was getting water fit to drink. We had to walk a mile and a half down into the valley for it, and all we had to carry it in was our canteens, which hold about a quart, and that wouldn't cook our rice, let alone having enough to drink; so we had to drink the rain water from the holes in the mountain-sides and this made a number of the boys sick.

am feeling pretty well, all but my feet, which are very sore.

We are to get paid today and then start for "Wheeler Valley," ten miles north of Cavite, where Dewey fought his great battle. The insurgents have a good stronghold there, and we are to drive them out.

I have had my pictures taken in my army rig and will send you one in my next letter, as they are not ready yet.

I hope to get home all right. Its a great deal hotter here than I expected.

The Philippinos are a treacherous class, and Aguinaldo has them under his thumb. There is a bounty on his head for any one that captures him, dead or alive, but he fools the whole lot of them. Just wait until I get a crack at him.

I tell you it isn't all sunshine in the army, doing outpost duty two or three days and nights without any sleep and only relieved long enough to cook a bite to eat. After dark the bullets more than whistle about your head, and all you can do is to hug the ground and wait for a shot which is pretty difficult to accomplish in the dark. The natives can tell where you are from instinct, and therefore make it pretty warm for us.

Well I guess that will do for warfare until the next battle, which will be inside of ten days as we have only ten days' rations in the cook house.

The city of Manila is a fine place. All the civilians there are soldiers or discharged soldiers. Some of the natives are all right and will give you anything.

Our money is worth twice as much as the Spanish. You can hire a horse and driver all day for seventy-five cents or $1.50 per week.

American girls out here are very scarce, but the Spanish girls are all right.

Instead of having performances like they have at home, they have bull fights, which are very cruel, but it pleases them very much.

I hope you will write soon telling me all the news around home. I could write a great deal more, but I haven't got the time. I hope I'll get back home all right to see the fellows, give them all my kind and best regards.

Good bye.

Henry Rhines.

Co. I. 46th U. S. Volunteers.
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PROFESSOR SCHURMAN REPLIES

To the Charge That He Attempted to Br be the Filipino Insurgents and Failed.

Washington, Feb. 8.—At the conclusion of routine business in the senate yesterday a discussion of the Philippine question was unexpectedly precipitated by Mr. Depew of New York, who called attention to some remarks made a few days ago by Mr. Pettigrew. In his remarks Mr. Pettigrew said Mr. Schurman tried to bribe the insurgents and failed.

Mr. Depew said he had received a letter from President Schurman with regard to the charges of the South Dakota senator, which he desired to lay before the senate.

The letter from Professor Schurman is as follows: "I see from page 1362 of the Congressional Record that Senator Pettigrew, speaking of myself, says: 'The fact of the matter is that he tried to bribe the insurgents, as near as we can escertain, and failed; but they would not take gold for peace.' Had this preposterous statement been made anywhere else I should not have paid any attention to it; but as it has been made in the senate of the United States, I desire to say to you that it is absolutely without foundation."

Mr. Pettigrew replied sharply, repeating much that he has said heretofore, but distinctly reiterating the statements which had called forth the denials of both President Schurman and Admiral Dewey.

Discussion of the financial measure was then resumed, speeches being made by Mr. Turner (Dem., Wash.), Mr. Bate (Dem., Tenn.) and Mr. Allen (Pop., Neb.), all in opposition to the pending bill.

The house finished the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, passing it substantially as it came from the committee. There was some desultory discussion of the Philippine question and the war in South Africa, the principal feature being the speech of Mr. Shafroth in favor of mediation in the British-Boer war under the provisions of The Hague treaty. The diplomatic bill, as passed, carries $1,743,008.

May Know Who Killed Goebel.

Peoria, Ills., Feb. 8.—The police think they are on the track of the assassin of Governor Goebel of Kentucky. A mysterious, well-dressed stranger is cooperating with the local force here and sensational developments are expected. A young man arrived here last fall whose name was George F. Ahlers. He claimed Kentucky as his home, and said repeatedly that his evidence acquitted Goebel of the charge of murder. He was very bitter in his denunciation of Goebel, and said that Goebel would be assassinated before he reached the gubernatorial chair. He said a near relative of Goebel's victim was pledged to kill him, but in case he failed to keep his word others would not fail. He left Peoria some time before the Kentucky tragedy.

Famous Baseball Player Dead.

New York, Feb. 8.—John B. Taylor, for the last eight years a prominent baseball pitcher in the National league, died yesterday in an infirmary on Staten Island, from a complication of diseases. His last game was with the Cincinnatis at Washington, last September. He was pitching and had just entered the box, when his right arm fell powerless to his side. It was found that he had strained his right side. He returned to his home on Staten Island, his general health improved for a time, and up to the day of his death he was expecting his new contract from the Cincinnati team.

Has a Bad Record.

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 8.—Thomas Rochileau, arrested in Lawrence for alleged attempted robbery of an insurance agent there, is wanted in Lowell for the larceny of jewelry and money from a house where he obtained lodging. In 1890 he was sentenced to Lowell jail on several counts of larceny and escaped after serving two months.

Alleged Theft From Employers.

Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 8.—George A. Harriman, clerk for Homans & Martin, provision dealers, was arrested last night on the charge of embezzlement, covering a period of three years. The firm claim that he was discovered in his wrong-doing a few months ago, and made a confession.

Unwilling to Make a Change.

Providence, Feb. 8.—Providence has abandoned all consideration of joining in the American Baseball association movement, because it failed to show the strength required to warrant abandoning a certainty in the Eastern league.

Misfortune Overtakes Steinitz.

New York, Feb. 8.—Dr. William Steinitz, one of the greatest of chess players, was taken insane from his home to Harlem hospital last night and later to the insane pavillion at Bellevue hospital. Dr. Steinitz is 62 years of age.

Little Fellow's Life Lost.

Chelsea, Mass., Feb. 8.—Andrew Hefferman, 4 years old, was the victim of a trolley car accident here yesterday. The child ran in front of the car, which ran over him. Amputation of a limb failed to save the little one.

California's New Senator.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 8.—The senate and assembly met in joint session yesterday to ratify the election of Thomas R. Bard to the United States senate. After the usual preliminaries, Mr. Bard was declared elected.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mother Elizabeth Strange, founder of the order of Sisters of Mercy in this country and the last survivor of the seven sisters brought to this country in 1843, died at St. Xavier's convent, near Latrobe, Pa., of the infirmities of old age.

The transport Prairie has sailed from Baltimore for Havre with American exhibits for the Paris exposition.

The coal famine in Germany, due to the strikes, is assuming a threatening aspect. The strike has spreal to the Zwickau and Zeitz districts, and the Machen district is affected.

Anthony Winegar, aged 32 years, was fatally injured on the Consolidated railroad at Pittsfield, Mass.

WHO WANTS CHANGE?

Those Interviewed by Ledger Are All Against It.

See No Benefits In the New Assessors Bill.

Only an Additional Expense in Salaries.

Ex-Councilman John Curtis, who has been a member of the Board of Assessors for several years does not believe in the proposed change in the City Charter, relative to the Assessors.

He says "As I understand it, the plan proposes to pay the three members the salary now paid the seven members about $900 each. In addition to that there may be six assistant assessors who must be paid a salary, so that salary list would be increased. I am also of the opinion that citizens could not get as good satisfaction in the way of rebates from a board of three as now, for the reason that a citizen could approach and talk with the assessors from his own ward better than he could a board of three.

Ex-Principal Assessor E. A. Perkins when seen about the proposed change in the Board of Assessors said he could see no sense or benefit to be derived from the change. It only added expense and made more offices to fight over.

If assistant assessors were appointed he could not see how the three assessors would have anything to do and it would mean a salary of $900 for practically nothing. He did not see any necessity of three assessors being in the office all the time although it would be well to have one man in the office every day and with the board meeting once a week it was all that was necessary.

MILTON.

The regular meeting of the Unquity club will be held Monday evening, at which important amendments to the by-laws will come up for action. The first is to amend the article relative to fees and dues, so as to read that the entrance fee for out-of-town members shall be $2, and the annual dues $5. The second amendment provides that application for membership shall be entered upon application blanks, and that the names of applicants shall be posted on the club bulletin five days before action is taken. The charter list has now reached seventy-five and the list closed.

The Board of Health have posted notices forbidding spitting in public places under penalty of $100 fine.

A meeting of the Belcher branch of the Milton Women's club will be held with Mrs. Baxter on Friday. The subject will be "What the nineteenth century has done for women."

A pleasing musical entertainment will be given tonight at the meeting of the Thursday Evening club.

Citizens caucus to nominate town officers will be held Friday, Feb. 16, at the Town Hall.

The selectmen gave a public hearing Wednesday night on petitions for the acceptance of several streets on Milton Hillside.

Miss Simonds addressed the teachers of the kindergarten schools and the mothers of the pupils, Wednesday afternoon at the Lower Mills.

The Unions of East Milton defeated the Enterprise club of Milton last Saturday at a game of ice polo. The victors were awarded a silver cup.

Politics on the surface are a little quiet, although it is said considerable work is being done on the quiet.

WEYMOUTH.

The Republican town committee of Weymouth organized Wednesday night with William C. Earle as chairman and Bradford Hawes as secretary. The Ward caucuses will be held Feb. 16 and the general caucus Feb. 17.

TODAY'S COURT.

Daniel F. Connell was fined $5 for drunkenness at Randolph.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

☞ Furniture reupholstered and repaired. Mattresses made over. Carpets cleaned. Window Shades to order. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Worms?

If a child is ailing don't neglect to test for worms. Give several doses of

TRUE'S PIN WORM ELIXIR

If worms are present they will be expelled. A harmless vegetable tonic, making rich, pure blood. At your druggists, 35c. Dr. J. F. True & Co. Auburn, Me.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

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" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—A place by a strong competent girl to do general housework. Apply at No. 9 Station street, West Quincy.
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WANTED—Experienced Salesmen to sell Lubricating Oils from samples on commission. Salary assured as soon as ability is proved. References. The Howard Oil & Grease Co., Cleveland, O. Feb. 8-1t

WANTED—Man Competent to take charge of and manage large granite quarry, located near Little Rock, Arkansas. An opportunity will be given manager to invest a few thousand dollars in quarry if he so desires. Address, GEORGE H. MEADE CO., Little Rock, Arkansas. Jan. 26-30t

WANTED—A partner in the Granite Business in Quincy. Must be fast Stone-cutter, not over 40 years old. Address Ledger Office. Jan. 24-tf

TO LET.

TO LET—A Half-house of five rooms on Grove street. Rent $8 per month. Apply to JOHN A. McALOON, 302 Hancock street.
Feb. 2. 6t

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.

CLARENCE BURGIN,
Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

TO LET.

Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.

Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Nortolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314.
Dec. 28. ft

Sheriff's Sale.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. QUINCY, Jan. 3, 1900.

TAKEN on Execution and will be sold at public auction on SATURDAY, the 17th day of February, A. D., 1900, at 9 o'clock A. M., at my residence, No. 53 Franklin street, in Quincy, in said County, all the right, title and interest which Bridget McDonough of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the 5th day of October, 1899, at eight o'clock A. M. (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following property, with the building thereon, situated in the westerly part of said Quincy and bounded as follows, viz:

Northerly on land formerly of J. W. Robertson, about 130 feet; easterly by Willard street, about 64 feet; southerly on land now or late, of one, McDavitt, about 125 feet, and westerly on land, now or formerly, of said Robertson, 64.19 feet; containing in all about 8,160 feet. Said premises being lot numbered 37 on a plan of land on Willard street, in said Quincy, made by Whitman & Breck, Surveyors, dated August, 1874.

Also all her right, title and interest in and to the following described lots of land situated in said Quincy, being lots numbered 71, 72, 73 and 87, as shown on a plan marked "B" attached to a certain petition for partition of land in said Quincy, held in common by John Swithin, Thomas Swithin and the heirs of John Jones, said partition being confirmed by decree of the Probate Court for said County of Nortolk, July 25, 1894. Said lot numbered 71 is bounded northerly on lot numbered 70, as shown on said plan, 153.25 feet; easterly on Forest avenue, 36 feet; southerly on a private way, 183.2 feet, and westerly on lot numbered 69, fifty (50) feet; containing 7,741 square feet, more or less. Said lots 72, 73 and 87, are bounded northerly on a private way, 100 feet; easterly on Forest avenue, 174.75 feet; southerly on lot numbered 88, one hundred twenty-three and 5-10ths (123.5) feet; on lot 86, thirty-five (35) feet; on lot numbered 85, fourteen and 5-10ths (14.5) feet, and westerly on lot numbered 86, fifty-two and 5-10ths (52.5) feet, and on lot 74, one hundred (100) feet; containing 18,413 square feet.

GEORGE H. FIELD, Deputy Sheriff.
Feb. 1-3t 1-8-15

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Harold W. Orcutt of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Jane Kerr of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth, dated Nov. 4, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk deeds in Book 831, Page 232, for breach of condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on MONDAY, the 19th day of February, in the year 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described substantially, namely:

A certain parcel of land, situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts called Wollaston Park, being lots numbered twenty-four (24) and twenty-five (25) on plan of land of Josiah P. Quincy, at Wollaston Park, by H. T. Whitman, dated March, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds as Plan No. 769, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Northwesterly by the rear lines of lots numbered ten (10) and eleven (11) on said plan, one hundred and five (105) feet; northeasterly by the rear line of lot numbered fourteen (14) on said plan, forty-five (45) feet, and a portion of the rear line of lot numbered fifteen (15) on said plan, thirty-seven (37) feet; southeasterly by a portion of lot numbered twenty-three (23) on said plan, twenty-two (22) feet; again northeasterly by a portion of said lot numbered twenty-three (23), thirteen (13) feet; again southeasterly by a portion of said lot numbered twenty-three (23), eighty-three (83) feet; and southwesterly by Muirhead street on said plan, seventy-three and 62-100 (73.62) feet, and by the side line of lot numbered nine (9) on said plan, twenty-one and 38-100 (21.38) feet.

Said premises are sold subject to the restrictions set forth in the deed given by Josiah P. Quincy to Katie W. Orcutt, dated May 31, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds and are the same premises conveyed to said Harold W. Orcutt by the Abington Savings Bank by deed dated Nov. 4, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, volume 831, page 230.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments; three hundred dollars will be required to be paid at time and place of sale.

For further information, apply to Robert K. Dickerman, 89 State street, Boston.

JANE KERR, Mortgagee.
Jan. 25-3t 25-1-8

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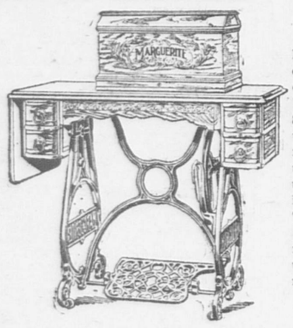
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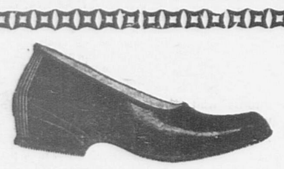
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SEVERELY HANDLED.

Witnesses For the Prosecution Denounced by Counsel For Molineux.

Says Attempt to Show Motive Has Utterly Failed.

Dsborne Begins His Reply, Which, He Expects, Will Be Finished Today.

New York, Feb. 8.—Recorder Goff heard that one of the jurors in the Molineux case made a remark to a business friend in the course of a conversation a few days ago, in which the juror said: "On the testimony thus far presented I would not hang a yellow dog."

The rumor achieved such widespread publicity that Emil B. Meyrowitz, an optician, and the person to whom the remark is alleged to have been made, was summoned before Recorder Goff. Under oath he denied the truth of the report. He admitted that he had talked with a juror recently, but claimed that the juror had never made any statements, directly or indirectly, bearing on the Molineux case.

Bartow S. Weeks, the attorney for the defense, yesterday concluded his argument in behalf of Molineux. In the severest terms he condemned the proprietors of the letter boxes who had testified against Molineux, the police for the manner in which they had handled the case, and the handwriting experts for their willingness to convict a man of murder upon the evidence submitted to them. When he referred to the statements regarding the relations of the defendant and his wife before their marriage, he inquired: "Was not the grief of his old father enough, was not the burden borne by this defendant's mother and young wife enough, without having the testimony of a colored waiting maid from a boarding house introduced to help the prosecution blot the home of this family? Why did the assistant district attorney send to Washington to get this girl? Why did he not call the landlady herself?"

Then Molineux's wife broke down for the first time during the trial and cried bitterly. The prisoner leaned gently towards her and placed his arm around her in a vain attempt to comfort her.

This ringing denunciation of the methods of the assistant district attorney was broken only by a significant query from Mr. Osborne: "Why didn't you deny that Molineux lived there as Mr. Chesebrough?" "

"Because it was not necessary," retorted Mr. Weeks, angrily. "Even the court ordered it stricken from the records and told the jury to disregard Rachel Green's testimony. It had no bearing on the case. How did you dare introduce it? It was an infamous thing to do. It was not only false, it was vile as well."

Mr. Osborne again blamed Mr. Weeks for his failure to call any witnesses while Mr. Weeks was referring to the character of the handwriting expert for the defense, David N. Carvalho. The recorder angrily stopped Mr. Weeks when he referred to the Dreyfus case, saying he had forbidden him to mention the testimony of handwriting experts in this case, and that he expected his instructions to be obeyed.

After claiming that the prosecution had utterly failed to show a motive and telling the jury that the defense wanted no compromise verdict, Mr. Weeks closed a magnificent peroration with the words: "Gentlemen, the fate of the prisoner is in your hands. What shall it be? Guilty or innocent? Life or death?"

Though the wife and the mother of the prisoner were in tears the father of the prisoner, General Molineux, and the prisoner himself, sat apparently unmoved.

Assistant District Attorney Osborne, in commencing his reply, was full of pathos and dignity. He said that he felt at times the keenest anguish when he thought of the bitter things he had been compelled to say in conducting the case. He had the profoundest pity for the prisoner, he felt for his wife, the mother, the gray-haired father, an emotion so strong as to almost bias his sense of right and justice. Nevertheless it was necessary for him to do his duty, and he proceeded with an elaborate analysis of the facts in the case. Mr. Osborne had not finished when court adjourned for the day, but he announced that he would in all probability close his arguments today.

Shot Wife, Daughter and Himself.

Blackhawk, Colo., Feb. 8.—W. M. Allen shot and killed his daughter, Lula, aged 16 years, in her bed yesterday, then shot his wife twice and finally shot himself in the breast. The father and mother are both dying. The cause assigned for the shooting is dissatisfaction expressed by Mrs. Allen because she was compelled to live in Blackhawk.

With $20,000,000 Capital.

Wabash, Ind., Feb. 8.—A combination of all the manufacturers of whips in the country, it is stated, will be consummated within the next 60 days. The American Whip company has been negotiating to this end for months. The American has 35 large whip factories in Westfield, Mass., alone. The capital will be $20,000,000.

The Herman Winter Libelled.

New York, Feb. 8.—The steamship Herman Winter was libelled yesterday in the United States district court for having on Jan. 23 last run down and sunk in Vineyard Sound the British fruiter Ardandhu. The amount of the libel is $184,105, which covers the value of the Ardandhu and her cargo.

For Repeal of Horton Law.

Albany, Feb. 8.—The assembly committee on codes yesterday decided to report favorably the bill which provides for the entire repeal of the Horton law, which permits prize fighting in the state in regularly incorporated athletic clubs.

CHEERS FOR DEWEY AND MOLINEUX.

Hero of Shenandoah Valley Shares Honors With the Hero of Manila.

New York, Feb. 8.—Admiral Dewey was the guest of honor last night at the dinner given by the Loyal Legion at Delmonico's. In introducing Admiral Dewey, General Burnett, who presided, said that Admiral Dewey's fame was fixed imperishably. His comrades of the Loyal Legion could only express their love and affection for him. Nothing they might do would add a single spark to the luster of the great admiral's fame.

General King spoke of the work done in the Shenandoah valley by General Molineux's brigade, and paid a stirring tribute to the general, who was wounded in batle there. He said General Molineux had done some of the most brilliant and daring work of the war. The reference to the old veteran, who for weeks has been present at his son's trial for murder, brought the 250 guests to their feet. They cheered tremendously. The score or more of women in the balconies added to the plaudits, and General King, by request, repeated the paragraph in his paper just read. A second demonstration ensued. It was concluded only when the guests as one man rose and drank "Health and long life and hapiness to General Molineux."

Admiral Dewey entered the ball room escorted by Rear Admiral Stanton, retired. He received a splendid ovation. He had not intended to speak, but he consented to say just a few words in acknowledgement. He said: "What can one say to such an audience as this. We have been companions in the past, and we are companions now. I could hardly say more. I will not try to say more, for God knows what I would say."

Admiral Dewey also attended the annual ball of the Emerald society in Brooklyn, and received a great ovation. He occupied a box decorated with American flags, and with an admiral's flag on the main pillar. The admiral watched the proceedings with interest, and rose time and again and bowed in response to the cheers of the crowd.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 8.—The Boston and Albany case came up again for discussion in the house yesterday, and both sides indulged in a heated debate, in which politics and charges of lobbying played a part. The debate started on the order introduced by Mr. McNary (Dem.) requesting the railroad commission to furnish certain information to the house. Mr. McNary saw no reason why the order should not be adopted, although he knew that the lobbyists of the road had been working against it. Mr. Turtle claimed that the McNary order required a judicial answer and could not be answered by the railroad commission. He wished an order adopted which the commission could answer, so that the Democrats could not appeal to the people next fall on the ground that as a state commission had refused to answer the state was in the grasp of commissioners. Mr. McNary replied with considerable warmth, while Mr. Mellen and Mr. Bennett also spoke in favor of the original order. The order was laid over until today.

Verbal Contract Not Binding.

Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 8.—During the strike in the shoe factory of Chesley & Rugg, a year ago, Charles W. Amoss remained at work, the non-union men being assured by Chesley that he would stand by them all, and would forfeit $1000 to any of them if they lost their jobs. Later the firm discharged the non-union men. Amoss claimed that Mr. Chesley's statement was an oral contract, and sought to recover the $1000 forfeit. Judge Hardy yesterday decided that the contract was not binding.

Judge Tafts' Plans.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Judge William H. Taft, who was appointed president of the new Philippine commission, in an interview yesterday said that he realized the fact that the mission of the commission was a most difficult one, but he had strong hopes of being partly instrumental in giving to the Filipinos a civil government and a code which would secure to them the fullest possible measure of liberty and security to life and property. He had no ulterior motive, he said, in accepting the presidency of the commission.

Small but Enthusiastic Crowd.

New York, Feb. 8.—Mr. Bryan spoke last night at Carnegie Music hall on "Pending Problems" under the auspices of Winfield Scott Hancock post, 239, G. A. R., of the department of New York, for the relief of soldiers and widows and orphans. Less than 1000 men and women paid the price of admission. There was some enthusiasm, however, notwithstanding the smallness of the audience. He set forth at length his well-known views on taxation, money and trusts.

Holcomb's Heavy Liabilities.

Boston, Feb. 8.—Henry A. Holcomb of New Bedford, a manufacturer, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday. Liabilities, $1,351,438; assets, none. The introduction of Holcomb's petition gives New Bedford the distinction of having produced two of the heaviest bankruptcy cases filed at the bankruptcy court since its establishment. Some months ago Dr. William E. Brownell of New Bedford filed a petition showing $927,313 liabilities and no assets.

Jenkins Gets Championship.

Cleveland, Feb. 8.—Tom Jenkins and Karra Ossman were to have wrestled catch-as-catch-can style here last night. The Turk worked around the mat for an hour and a quarter and after innumerable attempts to foul Jenkins threw up his hands and gave the match to his opponent. The event was to have been for the championship of the world.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

A cold wave will extend over the lake region, the Ohio and Mississippi valleys and the middle and west gulf states today. By tomorrow it will overspread the New England states. Rain will be followed by snow. Along the Atlantic coast the winds will shift to easterly and increase in force.

Miss Anthony Not a Candidate.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The National Woman's Suffrage association begun its annual meeting here today to last for a week. Susan B. Anthony, president of the association, who is now in her 80th year, announced that she would not be



SUSAN B. ANTHONY.

a candidate for re-election, but hereafter will devote herself to office and campaign work in behalf of the movement. She has held office ever since 1852.

End of Shirley-Stetson Case.

Boston, Feb. 8.—The bottom has dropped out of the four writs of entry brought by Mrs. Katherine Shirley of Kansas City to recover various parcels of real estate in this city of the value of about $1,000,000 left by the late John Stetson. Mrs. Shirley failed to appear yesterday to try her actions when they were called. She was accordingly ordered by the court to be non-suited. Much has been published concerning her claims of being a daughter of the late Mrs. John Stetson, who was devised all her husband's property, and who died shortly afterward without a will.

About Everybody Has Influenza.

Berlin, Feb. 8.—The influenza, which has spread throughout Germany, now numbers 40,000 victims in Munich. In Berlin every bed in every hospital is occupied, and the hospital physicians, hundreds of whom have been stricken with the malady, are scarcely able to care for their patients. Among those believed to be dying is Dr. Lieber, leader of the Centralists, or Clericals, in the reichstag.

Died After Wrestling.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 8.—An autopsy was held yesterday in the case of Luke Jennings, 25 years old. On Monday he engaged in a wrestling match in a Salem clubroom, and became so weak immediately after that he was taken to his home, where he died about 11 p. m. Medical Examiner Carleton states that the autopsy revealed facts that require an inquest.

May Be 45,000 Men on Strike.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—It is estimated that 3000 members of the Building Trades Council, in protest against the new rules of the Building Contractors Council, are now out and labor leaders declare that by Monday the entire membership of the Building Trades Council, numbering 45,000, will be out and building operations in Chicago controlled by contractors tied up.

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Alleged Embezzler of $40,000.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 8.—William H. Stiles, aged 70, was arrested here yesterday charged with embezzling $40,000 from the estate of the late Samuel Halstead of New York city. Stiles has been living here for the past two years under the name of William Hathaway. He was a partner of Halstead, and became the executor of his estate.

Pimples

Are more than a disfigurement of the skin; they are a handicap to a young man, alike in love and business. The pimply face looks dissipated and both merchant and maiden look askance at the unfortunate fellow whose face is his misfortune. An almost certain cure for pimples and similar disfiguring eruptions is found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It purifies the blood of the corrupting cause of ordinary eruptive diseases, cleanses the skin and builds up the body with sound wholesome flesh. "Discovery" contains neither alcohol nor narcotics.



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Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts. lb.
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts. lb.
Round Steak,	16 cts. lb.
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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M. 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

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Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner on City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
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r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36
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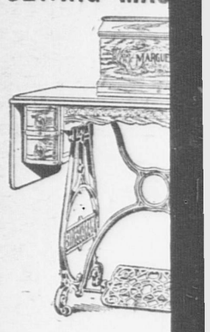
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SIRLOIN STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb
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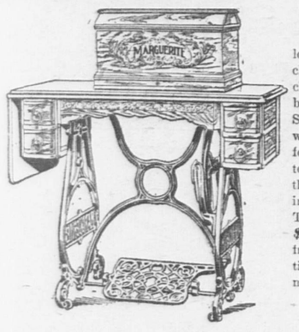
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LEG and LOIN LAMB,	10 cts. lb.	HONEY COMB TRIPE,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
FORES OF LAMB,	6 cts. lb.		
ROAST BEEF,	6 to 12 1-2 cts. lb.	PLAIN TRIPE,	5 cts. lb.
SIRLOIN STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.	FRANKFORTS,	10 cts. lb.
RUMP STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.	FRESH SHOULDERS of PORK,	8 cts. lb
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NOT LEGALLY SEATED.

Taylor Says Goebel Had No Claim to Governorship of Kentucky.

Democrats May Organize a Government at Louisville.

The Goebel Funeral Arrangements Carried Out Without Exhibition of Feeling.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 9.—Unless some action regarding the Louisville agreement is taken by Governor Taylor today or tomorrow, or some word is sent to them concerning his intentions, the Democrats will conclude that he does not intended to take any action and will organize their state government at Louisville.

A conference was held here last evening, at which Governor Beckham, Senator Blackburn, S. J. Shackelford and John K. Hendrick were present. The delay of Governor Taylor in declaring himself regarding the Louisville agreement was discussed at length, and it was agreed by all present that the Democrats had waited long enough. One day more will be allowed for some intimation from Governor Taylor.

Governor Taylor announced last night that he had taken no action regarding the agreement. He would not say whether he would take any action today or not. It is practically decided that the agreement will not be accepted by Governor Taylor as it stands. He desires more specific promises regarding the repeal of the Goebel law and a decision in the gubernatorial contest by a separate vote of the two legislative houses. To this latter the Democrats say they will not agree. They claim that no mention was made of a repeal of the law in the Louisville conference.

The talk was entirely regarding the enactment of a new election law to be framed by selected men of both parties. This law would, in the nature of things, repeal the Goebel law. Governor Taylor holds that Goebel was never legally seated and will demand a new vote on the matter before he will consent to abandon his seat under any circumstances.

Rain came down in sheets yesterday while the funeral services were being held over the body of Kentucky's dead Democratic leader.

The crowd in the cemetery was much smaller than it would have been had the weather been pleasant, but the exercises there were carried out to the letter, and the body of William Goebel lies in the chapel of the Frankfort cemetery, after one of the greatest funeral demonstrations ever seen in this state. When the weather clears sufficiently the casket will be consigned to the grave.

It had been feared trouble might arise between the soldiers in the capitol grounds and the Democratic partisans in the line of march, when the parade passed the capitol square, but nothing of the kind occurred. For 24 hours all of the saloons had been closed. The day passed without any exhibition of feeling on either side.

As the casket was placed on the supports on the porch of the chapel at the cemetemy a quartet sang "It Is Well With My Soul," everyone standing with uncovered head as the words of the song were heard through the storm.

Rev. William Stanley of Virginia then offered prayer. Rev. T. N. Arnold spoke briefly of the early life of the dead leader, and eulogized him as one of Kentucky's greatest sons. Rev. Gilbert Schmitt delivered an address in German. He was followed by Rev. E. C. Mann in a short address. Elder William Stanley then paid an eloquent tribute to Governor Goebel. He referred bitterly to the assassination, speaking of the "chagrin and mortification in the hearts of all that the leader of a people whose proud boast it was that they never feared to face a foe, or failed to defend a friend should he fall at the hands of an assassin."

Senator Joe Blackburn was then introduced. He was compelled to stand on a table so that the throng might see him. As the voice of Senator Blackburn rang out in his denunciation of the shooting of Governor Goebel, and as he stated that "it was not the work of a crank or a crazed assassin," murmurs of "No" and "That's right" came from the crowd, while tears stood in the eyes of many grim-faced men.

Governor Beckhan was next introduced to make the closing address. He, too, stood on the table placed at the side of the casket. He said that Goebel's death had lost Kentucky her greatest son, and her people had lost their most faithful friend. By reason of his loyalty to the cause of the common people and his advocacy of those principles that were for their interest, and by reason of his conspicuous ability in advancing those principles, he lies the victim of corporate greed. He ably espoused the cause of the people, and stood like a young lion in the pathway of the aggression of wealth.

Governor Beckham was listened to with the closest attention, and, as with his face flushed and his voice trembling with emotion, he concluded with an appeal to the people of the state to support him in his announced intention to carry out the policy of Governor Goebel, applause was heard for the first time.

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SCHOOL COMMISSION ADVOCATED.

Sound Argument For Departure From Elective System In Vogue at Boston.

Boston, Feb. 9.—In a speech by President Eliot of Harvard, before the Public School association, last night, the appointment of a commission to supersede the elective school committee of Boston was advocated, and the reasons were explained at length by reference to the grand results accomplished by the park board, the trustees of the public library, and the trustees of the city hospital, in their respective departments.



PRESIDENT ELIOT OF HARVARD.

President Eliot declared that the Boston schools are governed at present much after the fashion in vogue half a century ago, that the problems of today are too complexed to be dealt with by inexperienced and oftentimes ill-educated men. Administration of schools demands a knowledge of science in all its appliances, and foresight to grasp contingencies. The lack of unanimity of the work in the present school system President Eliot ascribed to the shifting character of the governing body.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 9.—The senate took from the table the house order authorizing an investigation of the workings of the state highway commission by the committee on roads and bridges, which was rejected without debate.

The committee on election laws reported adversely on a bill providing that after nomination papers have once been filed for certification before the election commissioners of Boston, they shall not be withdrawn.

The public charitable institutions committee reported against a bill to provide that $7 per week, instead of $5, be allowed by the state for the support of a person in a city or town hospital.

In the house these committee reports were received: Ought not to pass, on the bill for a change in the management of almshouses; to the next general court, the bill for a codification of the pauper laws; leave to withdraw, on petition to authorize the pensioning of Boston firemen who are veterans; leave to withdraw, on the petition for legislation changing the law regarding marriage after divorce.

Steamer Gate City Ashore.

New York, Feb. 9.—Steamship Gate City of the Ocean Steamship company went on the outer bar three miles east of the Moriches life saving station, Long Island, last night. There was a dense fog at the time. The Gate City had on board 49 persons, three of whom were women. The life saving station at once launched a surf boat. The vessel was in no great danger, but the captain of the life savers volunteered to take off the passengers. The women decided to go ashore. The Gate City is lying in the sand in a sea that is steadily rising, but there is danger from the dense fog that prevails there and she would be in a dangerous position in case of a storm.

Struck the Wrong Town.

Winnipeg, Feb. 9.—Louis Gabrielle, who had announced a lecture on the South African war from the pro-Boer standpoint, was met at the hall last evening by an angry assemblage of citizens, who pelted him with spoiled eggs and various other missiles. The orator was forced to find shelter from the attack in a livery barn. The assemblage then paraded the streets in an atmosphere of 20 below zero, cheering and singing patriotic songs.

Frick Will Resort to Law.

Pittsburg, Feb. 9.—A story to the effect that H. C. Frick, former president of the Carnegie Steel company, has decided to go into court to ascertain the value of his holdings in that company is apparently confirmed. One of the principal counsel for Mr. Frick admits that such action will be taken. This is a result of the late dispute between Mr. Frick and Mr. Carnegie.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Rain has fallen generally east of the Mississippi. It will be followed by snow and decidedly colder weather in New England, with high easterly winds. Saturday will be fair and cold.

Northwest In Blizzard's Grasp.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Reports from various cities in the northwest state that blizzards are greatly interfering with traffic. Minneapolis and St. Paul are among the towns affected. Throughout northern Iowa business is practically suspended and the stock interests suffer great loss. In northern Wisconsin the storm is general and severe, and many Michigan towns have suffered.

Robbers Get $5000 In Cash.

Danville, Que., Feb. 9.—At an early hour yesterday burglars blew open the vault and wrecked the safe of the Danville branch of the People's bank of Halifax. They secured $5000 in cash.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE's signature on every box. 25c.

AN ENTERING WEDGE.

Hardest Fighting Yet Ahead of Buller Before Reaching Ladysmith.

Nothing of an Encouraging Nature From the Front.

Englishmen Painfully Surprised to Learn of Serious Defects In the Navy.

London, Feb. 9.—A dispatch from Buller's headquarters says the British hold their own and "relief is certain," but in the absence of news of the progress of the actual operations this must not be accepted at more than its face value, which is that of an opinion, more or less well grounded. Accordingly, it can be said only that a beginning has been made, an entering wedge comparable to that at Spion kop, but more stable in that so far as the dispatches go, it has been held.

The hardest fighting was yet ahead of Buller when the dispatches at hand were written, for the lodgment which had been obtained in the Boer line of defense had yet to be turned to advantage and the Boer line actually broken through. His attempt must be quickly made to be successful, and decisive fighting must take place shortly.

All the messages from the observers with General Buller throw in a phrase or two about the "strength of the Boer positions" and the "difficulties of General Buller's work," but they do not carry events beyond Tuesday evening. Their last slender narratives leave the British advance on Vaal Krantz, in the center of a semi-circle, where the troops are exposed to the Boer artillery on both sides and in the center.

The fighting continued until 9 Tuesday evening, and, almost without doubt, continued Wednesday, as the Boers would certainly not leave this wedge into their lines unmolested. It is also inferred that General Buller must either continue his advance or retire.

The heaviest fighting appears to have been on Tuesday. General Buller's 233 casualties are mentioned as having occurred before Tuesday noon. Large lists are consequently expected for the rest of the day. The casualties already reported bring the total British losses to 10,244 killed, wounded and captured.

The disposition here is rather to minimize the importance of the fighting in Natal, and to suggest that this is only an incident, placing hope upon expected decisive engagements in northern Cape Colony and upon the invasion of the Free State by Lord Roberts. At all events this is the official view.

The public does not like these new waits, and there is sharp anxiety for further news.

In Cape Colony General MacDonald has had a skirmish with 1000 Boers at Koodooberg. This was on Monday. The Boers have been taking the offensive against General French near Rensberg, as well as against General Gatacre in the Stormberg hills.

A supplementary army estimate, to March 31, was laid pro forma before the house of commons yesterday, but was not made public. It is reported that it called for £20,000,000, which would make the cost of the war up to that date £30,000,000. The maintenance of 200,000 men at the front, it is estimated, costs between £8,000,000 and £10,000,000 per month.

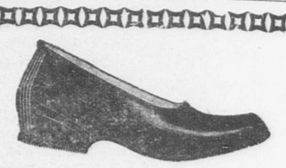
The Times, in an editorial dealing with General Buller's task, says: The problem before him is unquestionably most difficult. We cannot be surprised or disheartened should he be unable to solve it with success. His task is not merely to force a way through the Boer lines to Ladysmith. That operation would be formidable enough. But it would be easy compared with the feat he must perform if large strategical results are to follow his efforts. He must inflict a crushing defeat upon the Boer army. Unless he can drive into the Drakensberg or otherwise destroy that army, the relief of Ladysmith can hardly be accomplished with safety. We await the issue of the operation with great anxiety.

Since the war has strained the resources of the military system, Englishmen have been troubled by the possibility that sea fighting might show naval defects, which would weaken the first line of defense in which the country has placed such complete trust. This apprehension has suddenly found expression. During the last two or three days, in half the newspapers in England, the government's attention has been specially directed to the muzzle-loading guns. Even public men have been painfully surprised to learn that 16 battleships and eight armored cruisers depend upon muzzle-loaders. This means that smaller but faster ships, with modern guns, would be able to stay 1000 or 2000 yards out of range and to disable in leisurely fashion about one-third of the vessels which appear in the naval list as "first-class."

The admiralty is understood to be preparing to remedy this defect and to propose also considerable additions that will preserve the present ratio of Great Britain's naval strength to that of France and Germany.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	48	41	40	22	32
Monday,	39	41	24	43	33
Tuesday,	33	30	34	40	41
Wednesday,	37	39	32	36	45
Thursday,	45	20	30	43	50
Friday,	43	20	15	42	41
Saturday,	—	21	10	50	32

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—A young man to cut stone.
Home Made Brown Bread.
New Milch Cows for sale or exchange.

Good Afternoon.

It will be a good thing for Quincy and the suburban towns of Boston when Boston has the same tax rate limit as other cities. The extravagance of Boston, under permission of the Legislation to borrow outside the debt limit, has set a bad example for many cities.

State highways are not what they are cracked up to be, and are being overdone. Hence it is not surprising that an order offered in the Legislature this week by Mr. Thurston of Swansea directing that the committee on Roads and Bridges be directed to investigate the workings of the State highway laws, was adopted.

Commenting on the Ledger's editorial relative to taxing college property the Brockton Times says, "While it may be deemed advisable to exempt such buildings as constitute the college proper, and even this is a question, in view of the almost continual help they receive in donations, certainly the buildings containing the living quarters wherein the corporation secures a steady revenue, ought to pay a tax." We heartily endorse the views of our contemporary relative to living quarters. Like a church parsonage they should be taxed.

There is nothing to prevent ex-Governor Wolcott becoming a voter of the Tenth Congressional district before the fall election. By moving to his summer residence in Milton before May 1, and notifying the Assessors of the town that he desired to be assessed a poll tax. While it is not essential that a candidate should be a resident of the district, it is desirable that he should be a resident. The suggestion of the ex-Governor as a candidate is favorably received in the district, and he could probably be elected. We understand President McKinley has offered to appoint Mr. Wolcott on the new Philippine commission. While he would be an excellent man for the place, or any official position, Massachusetts would like to see him in Congress and later President.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ A book can be bought for a nickel. There is no harm in that. But is there not considerable harm in advertising nickel-plated writing as standard silver?—Henry VanDyke.

☞ If anti-expansion should win out at the next general election, wouldn't it be embarrassing for that party to know just what to do with American territory acquired without the consent of the governed? The Louisiana country, Florida, and the Pacific coast might object to being returned to their former political conditions.—Haverhill Gazette.

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☞ The pleas that are advanced for large expenditure of money, on the ground that they will be the means of [illegible] day Evening [illegible] the appropriations have [illegible]ndation in fact outside of [illegible]

D. E. [illegible] The art of whittling down [illegible] quite generally be-come a lost one. There are fewer sunbeams to be extracted from such facts than from fancy.—Lynn Item.

☞ It is perhaps hardly necessary, in the near approach of spring, to warn the people of the ravages of pneumonia. Still, in view of the fact that the mortality list in this section of the country has increased to an alarming extent of late, every precaution should be exercised to prevent a spread of the disease. Pneumonia was the cause of more deaths in Boston last year than any other disease. Hitherto, consumption has held the first place, but now it has yielded to pneumonia.—Milford Journal.

☞ When cowardice is described as a leading feminine attribute somebody makes a huge mistake. Women do the most daring things on record—take chances which would appall a man. They may jump at the sight or mere mention of a harmless mouse, but they court death several times a year. It is one of the traits which makes feminine nature so puzzling. I have known women who were timid to a degree, under ordinary circumstances, come forth as heroines under the pressure of occasion. A woman who shudders at the sight of small cut from which blood oozes will often exhibit a marvellous courage in a shocking accident. It is beautiful to think that dependence can be placed upon the sex in times of need, but I wish that a curb could also be placed upon that species of recklessness which leads us into unnecessary trouble.—Philadelphia Times.

No Granite Contracts.

A dispatch of Thursday from New London, says: At the annual meeting of the Connecticut Granite Manufacturers' Association yesterday officers were elected as follows: C. S. Davis, president; William S. Booth, E. S. Grant, Thomas Casey, Thomas Robinson, Frank Beatty and Frank Rose, vice presidents; Charles F. Stolle, secretary; Henry Gardner, treasurer; William Booth, S. S. Davis and Henry Gardner were chosen as representatives to the convention of the New England Association in Boston.

All inquiries as to the probabilities of the employers granting the demands of the stone cutters on the first day of March were practically ignored, and the greatest secrecy was observed on the subject.

For several days past stone cutters have been discharged at the quarries in the vicinity of New London, particularly at Millstone, in Groton, as employers do not care to accept new contracts in the face of the impending labor troubles.

—Four new monuments will shortly be erected on the Antietum battlefield. The Ninth Pennsylvania Regiment will erect a monument on the ledge of rock on Cornfield avenue. The Fifteenth Massachusetts Regiment will erect one surmounted by a lion and a bronze figure of General Kimball, and the Nineteenth and Twentieth Massachusetts will each erect a monument. The site for the Fifteenth's monument was paid for a few days ago by General E. A. Carman of Washington.

☞ Furniture reupholstered and repaired Mattresses made over. Carpets cleaned. Window Shades to order. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

—The affairs of the John P. Lovell Companies are to be wound up by the assignees and recourse will not be made to the bankruptcy court. This decision was rendered yesterday by Judge Lowell of the United States District Court in passing on a proceeding entered by Receiver Daniel G. Wing of the Globe Natonal Bank. By the finding Receiver Wing is made a party to the assignments of these companies.

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GEORGE H. WILSON,
JOHN W. NASH,
JOSEPH W. JOHNSON.

Quincy, Feb. 5. tf

HOURS AT CITY HALL.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Mayor's Office, Feb. 7, 1900.

ON and after MONDAY, February 12, the City Hall will be open for business from 8 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. continuously, except on Saturdays when it will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M.

City Hall will also be open on Monday and Thursday evenings of each week, excepting when holidays occur on these days, from 7.30 to 8.30 P. M.

The Mayor and some of the officials will be at City Hall every evening.

JOHN O. HALL, Mayor.

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No Salary for Barrows.

Ex-Congressman Barrows of this district does not seem to travel a very smooth road of late years. He was thought to have a better salaried office than congressmen, but now there is a hitch over the payment. Wednesday a strong plea for reasonable compensation for his services as United States prison commissioner was made in the House by Representative Gillett, who offered an amendment to the diplomatic appropriation bill, proposing a salary of $3,600 a year, in addition to the expenses which are now allowed Dr. Barrows. The amendment had already been offered in the Committee on Foreign Affairs, but was rejected on the ground that it was new legislation and contrary to the rules of the House upon an appropriation bill. The same obstacle defeated the amendment. Mr. Gillett explained what valuable services Dr. Barrows had rendered in gathering informaton regarding the prison system in the various States, and his dignified representation of the United States abroad. A member opposed to the amendment raised the point of order that it was not germane to an appropriation bill, and Representative Sherman of New York, who was in the chair, felt compelled to rule it out.

Minors in Business.

The proposed bill of Representative Sprague relative to minors engaged in business reads as follows:

Section 1. Whoever being a minor and engaged in business on his sole account or as a co-partner, purchases or contracts for the purchase of any goods, wares or merchandise in connection with such business with any person or persons, without notifying such person or persons previous to making such purchase or contract that he is not of the age of twenty-one years or more, shall, if the price for which such goods, wares or merchandise so sold is not paid or satisfied according to the terms of such purchase or contract, be liable to a fine of not less than ten dollars or more than five hundred dollars to be imposed by the court according to the circumstances of the case. One-half of the fine so imposed shall be paid to the person from whom said goods, wares or merchandise shall have been obtained: provided, he shall be the complainant, and the other half, to the county in which the offence was committed; otherwise to the county in which the offence was committed.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Temperance Sentiment.

A meeting under the auspices of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society was held Thursday afternoon at Faxon hall. Considering the inclement weather there was a good attendance.

Charles H. Johnson presided and William F. Hoehn was secretary. Reports were received fom Weymouth, Braintree, Holbrook and Quincy. These showed a strong temperance sentiment and work and a vigorous enforcement of the laws.

Following the business there were addresses by Rev. C. R. Tenney of Dorchester and Miss Elizabeth C. Merrill, the latter speaking on the education of young people in temperance work."

A discussion followed in which Rev. E. N. Hardy and Henry H. Faxon took part.

Unity Club Programme.

The programme for the Wollaston Unity club this evening will be under the charge of Mr. W. G. Corthell, and the music in charge of Miss Thomas of Atlantic. The programme is as follows:

Confederations of Cantons Struggle for Liberty, Mrs. Henry G. Fay.

Arnold Von Winkelried, Mrs. Wilson Marsh.

Zurich, Rev. Mr. Pratt, Wollaston.

Industries of Switzerland, Mrs. John H. Litchfield.

TODAY'S COURT.

Michael H. Burns was arraigned for the larceny of a bag valued at $1, a book valued at $20, and $2.70 in money, from Josiah Dean at Milton. He was sentenced to four months in the house of correction.

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Jan. 29. tf

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

A meeting of the Board of Health will be held tonight.

Division 5, A. O. H., hold a whist party and dance tonight.

The City Council Committee on Streets will meet tonight.

The new cars of the Quincy & Boston street railway which arrived Thursday are painted a chocolate color.

A regular meeting of John A. Boyd Camp, Legion of Spanish War Veterans, was held Thursday evening.

There will be a concert service at Bethany Congregational church Sunday evening conducted by the Endeavorers.

F. C. Perry, the artist, who has a studio in the Adams building, is busy making sketches for the Boston Globe.

Among the many patents granted at Washington recently we notice one to our townsmen A. M. I. McLeod on rubber for surfacing stone, marble etc.

The Gleaners circle of King's Daughters will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Wellington Record, Newport avenue, on Monday next, at 2.30 P. M.

Mrs. Mosely of Atlantic street was knocked down by a bicycle while stepping aboard a car in Boston this week and was rendered unconscious. She is in a critical condition.

The Trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library met Wednesday evening and organized as follows: Chairman, Rev. Ellery C. Butler; Secretary, Harrison A. Keith; Treasurer, George W. Morton.

This weather must make the ice men feel bad, and if it continues the consumer will feel worse next summer when the price for ice goes up. Some one will probably say the trusts was the cause of it.

Walter Clare of Newbury avenue, while skating on the quarry Tuesday afternoon, fell through the ice and narrowly escaped being drowned. He was rescued by a fellow skater and felt no ill effects, except a severe fright.

The sanitary system at the Coddington school is not yet in use, reports to the contrary notwithstanding. The work was commenced before Christmas, and the teachers see no prospect of an early completion. There seems to have been an unnecessary delay.

The last lecture in the course at the West Quincy Methodist church was delivered Thursday evening by Rev. E. T. Curnick, D. D, and was a descriptive account of a trip by the lecturer "From the top of the Rockies to the orange groves of Florida."

The Board of Managers of Public Burial Places organized Thursday night with Joseph H. Vogel, as chairman and George T. Magee as clerk. James Nicol was elected as superintendent. The regular meetings of the board will be held the second Thursday of each month.

Rumor has it that a well known City Square business man jokingly made application for the position of flagman of the steam roller. Rumor further says, that he has been taken up and offered the position, if he complies with certain requirements placed upon it, said appointment to take effect Feb. 30, 1900.

A Boston paper reports that by an agreement with the various stockholders of the Union Wharf Company, the property has been sold to Hon. William B. Rice of Quincy. There are 218,000 square feet of land and stone and brick warehouses in the premises. The sale was negotiated on private terms.

The singing school at Quincy Point, conducted by Mr. Sidelinger of North Weymouth is in a flourishing condition. Every part is well represented, and if each one continues through the course, with as much zeal as they have began, the cantata to be started next Tuesday evening will surely be a success.

The rain Thursday evening proved no obstacle to the Unitarians, for they gathered in large numbers at the regular monthly supper. All the tables in the dining hall were filled and overflowed into the smaller room. A fine supper was served and the informal social which followed was much enjoyed.

Rev. A. F. Roche is reorganizing and enlarging the choir of St. Mary's church. There are many good singers in West Quincy whose voices have been heard in the church choir in past years many of whom have already joined the new choir. It will not be many weeks before St. Mary's church will have a choir worth hearing.

The funeral of Rev. W. J. Pomfret, pastor of the Woburn Methodist Episcopal church, was held from that church on Tuesday and was very largely attended. Many of the ministers of the conference were present. The burial was at Woodbrook cemetery, Woburn. Rev. Mr. Pomfret was at one time pastor of the West Quincy church.

DIDN'T KNOW HIS BRAND.

Result Was That the Maverick Got In the Wrong Corral.

It all happened in a church not over a mile from the city postoffice. There was a young people's reception afoot; and there was a programme upon which appeared the name of a tenor soloist who is given to scrambled hair, sombreros and neckties that are vociferous.

It was getting well along in the evening, and the soloist had failed to appear. It so happened that nobody there knew him, and the lady who had engaged him had also failed to appear.

Presently one of the men active in greeting the guests noticed a large, picturesque appearing man enter the church parlor and, after looking curiously around him, slide into a seat, beside which he deposited a big sombrero.

It then appeared that his hair quite answered the description; also his tie, which was a screaming scarlet. The young manager approached the stranger, sure of his prey, and, bending over him, said in his most dulcet manner:

"The audience has been expressing regret at your nonappearance. Will you now favor us with one of your songs?"

The stranger looked up at the young man with rather a startled air and then blurted out:

"Song! Mister, you've rounded up the wrong critter. I don't know G flat from gewhiz. I'm off the reservation, you see, and was wondering what kind of a game was on in here and came in sociablelike. I—I reckon, mister, these folks ain't got my brand," and he fled into the outer darkness.—Washington Star.

All His Own Way.

"I understand that Coshington intends to run for congress in this district again."

"Yes, and he'll have it all his own way too."

"What makes you think so?"

"Why, look at the record he has made. Been in two terms now without offering a resolution or making a speech. How can such a man's opponents find an issue to fight him on?"—Chicago Times-Herald.

They Are Gloomy Reading Now.

Mrs. Bellefield (reading from a magazine)—Queen Victoria is not allowed to read a newspaper. Just think of that!

Mr. Bellefield—That is very considerate of the British government.

"How do you make that out?"

"English papers are very hard to read."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Something For the End Men.

Eminent Handwriting Expert (on witness stand)—The writer of this note is a bunko steerer by instinct.

Eminent Attorney—Explain to the jury how you arrive at that conclusion.

Eminent Handwriting Expert—Because he invariably makes a dash after every "J."—Baltimore American.

Easily Done.

"I don't care how severe a cold is," said the man who was not suffering from one, "I can get rid of it in one day."

"So can I," replied the man who was carrying three pocket handkerchiefs, "but suicide is repugnant to me."—Chicago Post.

Maine Guides Should Note This.

First Guide—Hullo, Bill! Whatcher got them antlers stuck on yer head for?

Second Guide—Thought mebbe them tenderfeet wouldn't be so likely to take me for a deer!—Detroit Journal.

Result of His Observation.

"They make a thunderin sight of fuss about the Chinese open door," remarked Uncle Jerry Peebles. "As far as I've noticed 'em the Chinese open door always leads into a laundry or an opium j'int."—Chicago Tribune.

Social Arrears.

"You haven't been to see me since I came back."

"No; I'm not supposed to know you have been away until you come and tell me goodby."—Chicago Record.

Apparently Somewhat Nearsighted.

"But you are not blind."

"No, sor. I am deaf and dumb."

"But your sign says blind."

"Oh, begorra, it's the wrong board I've brought!"—Life.

Pokerine.

Edna—Why do you wear gloves while learning to play poker?

Edith—Because Jack told me never to show my hand.—Boston Traveler.

Newly Married Martyr.

Quoter—You can't eat your cake and have it.

Dyspeptic—The deuce you can't!—Life.

Delicate Little Attention.



Oom Paul was busy.

"What are you doing?" asked his principal adviser.

"I am doing up one of our Christmas menu cards to send to Buller, so that he will know what he missed," replied the man with the whiskers.

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Many housekeepers think there is nothing to learn about the care of lamps, but if the little details here mentioned are adhered to there will be a great difference in the light. First, a lamp must be cleaned and filled every morning; the burners should be cleaned once a week, and the best way is to boil them in water to which

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Es[tate]

WOLLASTON.

BY Virtue of the power of sale conta[ined] in a certain mortgage deed given by [Ma]ry Howe to Franklin A. Howe dated May 1[st] recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 51[9], page 507 and for breach of the condition of said mortgage, will be sold at public auction on the land hereinafter described, on MONDAY, the twenty-sixth day of February, 1900, at [11] o'clock in the afternoon, the premises co[n]veyed by said mortgage, viz:

A certain parcel of land with the bu[ild]ings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwe[alth] of Massachusetts which is called Wollaston, being lot numbered Four in block Twenty-[two] of Section Six of Lands of the Wollaston Land Associates as shown on a plan of said se[ction] drawn by D. Granger & Son and recorded in Norfolk Deeds at the end of Lib. 406; bo[und]ed as follows:

Northeasterly by Farrington street, one hundred feet; Southeasterly by Hobart street one hundred feet; Southwesterly by lot Three in said block one hundred feet; and Northwesterly by lot Five in said block fifty feet; containing five thousand square feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Jones Howe by M[ary] A. Mullaney by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 687, Fol. 509, and subject to the restrictions therein referred to. Also sold subject to two mortgages duly recorded, each for one hundred dollars, each covering one half of the above described premises and running to the Weymouth Savings Bank.

Three hundred dollars must be paid in cash at the time and place of sale and the balance in ten days, upon delivery of the deed, at the office of F. L. Hayes, No. 7 Water street, Bo[ston].

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PETTICOATS. 100 Fancy Percaline Petticoats made with wide ruffle and dust ruffle. A regular $1.00 skirt. Red Letter Price. **79c**

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Residence, No. 5 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point.

Oct. 6 tf

MILTON.

Prof. George C. Parington, A. M., principal of the Farmington, Me., State Normal school, will give an address at the Congregational church, Tuesday evening on, "One Man's Influence." In addition to the address there will be music by all the Mozart quartette.

Josiah Dean, a nursery man, boarded an electric car at Milton Thursday afternoon, setting his grip containing among other things a book valued at $20 and $2.70 in money, beside him. A little later Michael H. Burns entered the car, and after riding a short distance, grabbed Mr. Dean's bag and ran. The matter was reported to the police, who later arrested Burns and recovered part of the property. He was taken into court at Quincy.

Slight Fire.

The alarm from Box 76 at 3:35 this morning was for a slight fire in one of J. F. Sheppard & Sons' houses in the rear of Wharf street. The fire started from some unknown cause, in a closet near the sink, among a lot of clothing. The loss will not exceed $20. Chief Williams made a remarkably quick run to the fire. He got up and dressed and arrived at the fire and had the recall sounded in about ten minutes.

Real Estate Sales.

Francis Batchelder et al, trs. to Julius Johnson, $1.

Albert E. Costain et al to Edith A. Costain $1.

William J. Ross to William D. Ross, $1.

George F. Pinkham to City of Quincy, $5,500.

Geo. F. Pinkham to Leila M. Goodspeed, $1.

George W. Taylor to Rosa B. Nickerson, $1.

William E. Harmon tr. to Lewis Allen, $1.

Lewis Allen to Lewis A. Heyward, $1.

Maude D. Dewson to Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, $1.

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William E. Harmon tr. to George W. Hopkins et al, tr., $1.

Edwin Esterbrook et al to Elmer H. McIntosh, $1.

Herbert T. Whitman to Randolph Bainbridge $1.

Charles F. Adams to Old Colony & Fall River Corporation, $1.

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HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

Rainy today.

Fair tomorrow.

Much lower temperature tonight.

Miss Gertrude Hall of Newbury avenue is quite ill.

"The Devil," will be Rev. J. H. Whitaker's subject Sunday morning.

The no-school signal was sounded at 12.30 this noon on account of the rain.

Surveyors are along the beach at Norfolk Downs every day, it looks like a boulevard.

A heavy outward bound freight broke apart at the Atlantic station Thursday morning, but was delayed only a short time.

Quincy is large enough to have a good police station equipped with the police signal system and a patrol wagon, and a larger force.

Ex-Chief John W. Hall and E. J. Murphy of this city were among the invited guests at the annual ball of the Boston fire department Thursday night.

The Committee on Public Service of the Legislature has reported leave to withdraw, on the bill for the payment of pro tempore clerks of court by the county.

A horse attached to one of the Boston Quincy express teams was taken sick in front of the Ledger office this noon. The animal was taken to a stable for treatment.

Dr. A. H. Gilson entertained the members of the Bible school of Bethany church with a stereopticon lecture Thursday evening. A variety of views were shown.

The City Council Committee on Licenses intend to give applicants for junk dealers' licenses a thorough investigation this year, before recommending they be granted.

A number of the young ladies of Wollaston Park have been very much startled at the action of a man between the station and the beach, and do not dare to walk down after dark.

Rev. F. T. Knight, pastor of the Park and Downs Congregational church, is improving, after his long sickness since Christmas. Although Mr. Knight is not able to preach, he is able to be around, and if everything goes well he will begin his work the first Sunday in March. Mr. D. L. Griggs of Wollaston has kindly consented to fill the pulpit during the absence of Mr. Knight.

The sixth grand concert of the Union Choral society will be held in the Braintree Town Hall this evening. The cantata of "The Holy City will be presented by a large and well trained chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Martha Dana Shepard. The soloists will be Miss Marguerite Morse, soprano; Mrs. Helen Allen Hunt, contralto; Mr. H. W. Scanlan, tenor; and Dr. George B. Rice, bari tone.

Large Whist Party.

That whist is very popular in Quincy was manifest Thursday evening, when over 160 ladies and gentlemen braved the rain, and attended the whist party by members of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge at I. O. O. F. There were 41 tables in play and the ladies' prizes were awarded as follows:

First, a rose jar, to Mrs. H. F. Brieley; second, a jardinere stand, to Mrs. M. A. Saunders; third, a silver ladle, to Miss M. H. Purdy; fourth, a cut glass tooth pick holder, to Mrs. E. F. Mitchell.

The fortunate gentlemen were: First, a picture, to J. H. Gillis; second, a tobacco jar, to Mr. G. C. Ela; third, silver handled whisk broom to Mr. R. R. Smith; fourth, an inkwell, to Charles H. Hardwick.

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THE PORTO RICO MEASURE.

Majority Report Says 25 Percent Duty Is Necessary--Meaning of Term United States.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The reports on the bill framed by the ways and means committee imposing duties equivalent to 25 percent of the American tariff on goods imported into Peurto Rico from the United States, and vice versa, were submitted to the house yesterday. The Republicans of the committee, except Mr. Call of Massachusetts, agreed to report in support of the bill, devoting a considerable portion of their argument to sustaining the contention that the clause of the constitution declaring that "all duties imposts and excises shall be uniform throughout the United States" is not applicable to our new possessions, which, they say are not United States territory within the meaning of that declaration.

The majority report says that the 25 percent duty is necessary to prevent United States manufacturers of spirits and cigars from being at a disadvantage.

The minority report questions the right or power under the constitution to enact the measure, and whether if we have the power it is being exercised in the proper manner. It asserts that the power to pass such laws was never before claimed, and calls such exercise of power pure and simple imperialism, which is solemnly protested. It declares that territory cannot be held as a political dependency subject to unequal taxation. It refers to the administration plans as a robber policy which makes this republic take the place of the ruthless monarchy Spain, in despoiling Puerto Rico.

Almost immediately after the senate convened yesterday discussion of the financial measure was resumed. Mr. Allen concluded his speech, charging the Republican party with breaking faith with the people regarding bimetallism and systematically discrediting the work of the international bi-metallic commission. Mr. Cockrell also spoke on the financial bill, making a technical analysis of the house and senate measures. He charged that the senate substitute contained the initial movement toward the perpetuation of the national debt.

The senate, in executive session, yesterday ratified the extradition treaty with Peru, and the Mexican boundary treaty.

The house was in session only an hour and a half and only minor business was transacted. The ways and means committee bill establishing tariff rates upon goods from Puerto Rico into the United States and vice versa was reported, and Chairman Payne gave notice that the bill would be called up next Thursday. The debate upon it will run for a week.

Dewey's "Wealth of the World."

New York, Feb. 9.—Admiral and Mrs. Dewey were the guests of honor at a dinner given by the Union League club in Brooklyn last night. President Pulsifer, in a speech which recited the battle and victory at Manila bay, and sounded the praises of Admiral Dewey, presented him with a handsome gold medal. In response to President Pulsifer's presentation address Admiral Dewey said: "For this beautiful gift I thank you from the bottom of my heart, and wish to say that all that my friend Lieutenant Rees wished for me on a former occasion has been fulfilled. I have (pointing to Mrs. Dewey) the wealth of the world."

Original Offer Greatly Increased.

Clinton, Mass., Feb. 9.—One of the largest land damage cases against the metropolitan water board, in connection with the Wachusett reservoir, was settled yesterday by the payment of $5270 to Felix Nugent. The original offer by the board was $1500. During the hearing, the experts' estimates on the damages varied from $1500 to $16,000.

Syndicate Is Still Figuring.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 9.—It is understood here that the Barrow, Wade & Guthrie syndicate will renew its offer for the acquisition of the Fall River cotton cloth mills on a higher basis than the previous bid. Mill stocks in this city are quoted higher than they have been in many years.

Was Afraid to Die.

Charlotte, N. C., Feb. 9.—William Truesdale, colored, was hanged in the jail here yesterday for the murder of his sweetheart a year ago. He had to be carried to the scaffold, being overcome with fright. He protested his innocence to the last.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Dr. Frank Standish Bradford died at Morristown, N. J. He was born in Middleboro, Mass., May 20, 1830, and was a direct descendant of Governor Bradford and Captain Miles Standish.

George H. St. Clair, colored, who with George Weeks, another negro, murdered Mrs. Alice White, was hanged at Philadelphia.

The wheat harvest of South Australia is estimated to average six bushels per acre, leaving an exportable surplus of 185,000 tons.

George W. Smith, formerly professor of history and later president of Colgate university, died at a sanitarium in Winchendon, Mass., after a long illness, following an operation for appendicitis. He was born in 1862.

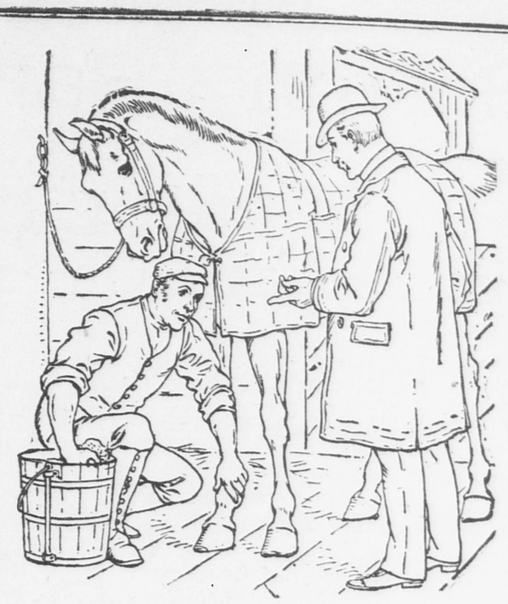
J. W. Kennedy, formerly an actor, but of late years a teacher of dramatic art, died at Boston of pneumonia. In his younger days he was an expert oarsman. He was born in Charles City, Ia., in 1860.

President Hanlon of the Baltimore League club has signed Eugene De Montreville for the season of 1900 at a salary of $2400. In the event that Baltimore is dropped from the major league, De Montreville will play in Brooklyn.

Lieutenant Colonel William H. H. Benyaurd of the United States engineer corps died at New York. He was born in Pennsylvania and was graduated from the military academy at West Point in 1863.

The University of Pennsylvania will confer the degree of doctor of laws upon President Diaz of Mexico, upon the occasion of "University Day," Feb. 22.

The Boston commons council again elected Edward J. Donovan city clerk in non-concurrence with the aldermen. John T. Dever was elected clerk of committees in conference.



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Galls and scratches heal much faster,
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Relapse Into Ancient Conservatism.

Pekin, Feb. 9.—The dowager empress of China has issued an edict commanding a return to the old manner of study, according to the teachings of Confucius, for examinations for official rank, and ordering the abolition of the study of the "new, depraved and erroneous subjects of the western schools," threatening with punishment the teachers of such subjects. The closing of the new university at Pekin is expected to speedily follow.

Had Enough of the Stage.

Philadelphia, Feb. 9.—After a two months' experience as "Sylvania Morenzo, Moorish dancer," Clara Kitchener, a beautiful little 14-year-old Quaker lass, has been rescued from the hands of Monte Morenzo, whose troop was one of the attractions at the Cairo theatre during the exposition, and has been returned to her father's house, satisfied to forego for the rest of her life the allurements of the stage.

Coming Home to Recuperate.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Secretary Root states that the war department has never considered the subject of relieving General Otis at Manila. The officer has signified a desire to obtain a leave of absence to come home and recuperate from the debilitating effects of two years in a tropical climate under severe strain. It is said that General Otis' wishes will be respected as soon as made known officially.

The Proposed Fitchburg Lease.

Boston, Feb. 9.—Judge Knowlton, in the supreme court yesterday, refused to restrain Governor Crane and other state officials, including the state directors of the Fitchburg railroad, from voting in favor of the lease of the Fitchburg to the Boston and Maine Railroad company, as prayed for in the bill in equity brought by a Fitchburg stockholder.

The Irrepressible Esterhazy.

Paris, Feb. 8.—Major Esterhazy, the reputed author of the bordereau which brought about the conviction of Captain Dreyfus, has recently shown signs of life by sending to the amnesty commission of the senate an energetic protest against any proposal of amnesty. He even asked to be prosecuted and indicated the lines of the prosecution.

Ended Life In Penitentiary.

Albany, Feb. 8.—Bill Cook, the desperado and train robber, who was sentenced at Fort Smith, Ark., in 1895, to 45 years' imprisonment in the Albany penitentiary, died at that institution yesterday. He had been ill for a long time with lung trouble. Since his incarceration here Cook had been a model prisoner.

Beer Keg Fell on His Head.

Springfield, Mass., Feb. 8.—A keg of beer fell on the head of Alfred Lomensky, aged 26, in the plant of the Springfield Brewing company last night and instantly killed him. Lomensky was carrying on his shoulders a half barrel weighing 180 pounds, when he tripped, the keg crushing his brains out.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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WANTED—A Young Man who has been some time at stone cutting, to learn to cut moulding and to finish stones. Must be smart and willing. Steady employment. Address "A. A.," Ledger Office. Feb. 9-6t

WANTED—A place by a strong competent girl to do general housework. Apply at No. 9 Station street, West Quincy. Feb. 8. 6t

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BORN.

PIERCE—In Quincy, Feb. 9, a son to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Pierce of 65 Centre street.

DIED.

SCARBOROUGH—In Quincy, Feb. 8, Lottie May, daughter of Mr. Alexander and Mrs. Effie Scarborough, aged 8 years, 10 months and 8 days.

SPEAR—In New London, Conn., Oct. 10, Mrs. Nancy, wife of Mr. William Spear, formerly of Quincy, aged 76 years.

RIPLEY—In Milton, Feb. 6, Mrs. [illegible] Ripley, wife of Mr. Willie Ripley, [illegible] years.

CHESSMAN—In Weymouth, [illegible] Quincy, Charles Addison Chessman, [illegible] months and 19 days.

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36-in. Brown Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale, **3c** per yd
40-in. Brown Sheeting, 8c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
42-in Bleached Pillow Cotton, 8c. goods, This Sale, **6c** per yd
36-in. Bleached Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale **3c** per yd
1,000 yds. Fancy Outing Flannel, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5** and **7c** per yd
5c. Merrimac and American Prints, This Sale, **3c** per yd
7c. Simpson Dark Prints, This Sale, **4c** per yd
36-in. 10 and 8c. Percale, This Sale, **5c** per yd
2 1-2 yds. x 2 1-4--50c. Hemmed Sheets, This Sale, **30c**
10c. Pillow Cases, Best Cotton, This Sale, **5c**
1,000 yds. Colored Dress Lawns, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
12 1-2c. Plaid Dress Goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
58 in. Bleached Table Damask, 30c. goods, This Sale, **15c** Per yd
25c. Turkey Red Table Damask, This Sale, 15c. per yd
5-8 Bleached Napkins, $1.00 goods, This Sale, 75c
98c. Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 98c
98c. Blankets, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Blankets, This Sale, 98c

Children's Shirts and Drawers.

GRAY, WHITE and RIBBED.

16 in 10c. Goods, This Sale, **5c** | 22 in 20c. Goods, This Sale, **13c**
18 in 15c. Goods, This Sale, **8c** | 24 in 23c. Goods, This Sale, **15c**
20 in 18c. Goods, This Sale, **10c** | 26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 " **18c**

Ladies' Cotton Underwear.

"CHIC" BRAND.

25 doz. NIGHT ROBES, 75c. Goods, This Sale, **39c**
15 doz. Three Tuck Yoke Band Drawers, regular 25c. goods, This Sale, **15c**

Bargains in Gent's Underwear.

25 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 25c. Goods. This Sale, **15c** each
40 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 50c. goods. This Sale, **25c** each
25 doz. Men's Wool Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 75c. goods. This Sale, **39c** each

Men's White Laundered Shirts.

$1.50 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **98c**
$1.00 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **75c**
75c. Dress Shirts, This Sale, **45c**
59c. Fancy Shirts, 2 Collars, Pair Cuffs, This Sale. **39c**

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers for Men, Women and Children for this Sale
CUT WAY DOWN.
Ladies' Storm Rubbers, 50c. Low Rubbers, 40c. Children's Storm, 40c.

Ladies' Print Wrappers.

25 doz. Best Goods, always sold for 89c., 79c. and 69c. FOR THIS SALE, **50c.**
$1.00 Wrappers, This Sale, **75c**
$1.25 Wrappers, This Sale, **$1.00**

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We will sell the **R. & G.** No. 101 Royal Worcester and the Ferris Waists all Nos. for **$1.00** per pair each. We will give with each pair of the above Corsets a **25c.** Gingham Kitchen Apron.

39c. Summer Corsets, This Sale, 25c
50c. Globe Corsets, This Sale, 35c
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19c, Fast Black Double Sole, This Sale, **10c**
37c. and 25c. Fancy Plaids, This Sale, **15c**
25c. Children's Rib Double Knee. This Sale, **10c**
19c. Men's Fast Black, This Sale, **10c**

SMALLWARES AND NOTIONS.

10c Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 3c
15c. Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 5c
10c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 5c. doz
15c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 10c. doz
10c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 5c
19c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 10c
M & K Knitting Cotton, This Sale, 5c
19c. all Colors of Veiling, This Sale, 10c
Bargains in Laces and Hamburgs, cut way down.

KITCHEN FURNISHINGS of every description in our basement at prices for this sale cut way down.

Everything in our entire stock is marked way down; cost is lost sight of. We are bound to show to the people of Quincy and vicinity that this sale is a genuine CUT PRICE SALE. Shop anywhere, then compare our prices. We ask you to come in and see for yourself what we are doing for you we can sell you more for $1.00, than you can carry home. This Cut sale will continue until Feb. 15. New Idea Patterns this sale, 8c.

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WAS ALMOST RIOTOUS.

Crowd Besieged Court to Hear Proceedings In the Molineux Trial.

Osborne Enters Into Elaborate Defense of Cornish.

Says Weeks Violated Oath of Office by Refusing to Have Carvalho Testify.

New York, Feb. 9.—Juror Manheim Brown, whose illness caused an adjournment of the trial of Roland B. Molineux from Jan. 24 to Feb. 5, was taken ill again yesterday while the jury was absent from the court room at luncheon at the Astor House. The illness of Mr. Brown was not regarded as serious, but it was thought advisable for him to remain in his room during the afternoon, and the case was adjourned until today, when Assistant District Attorney Osborne is expected to complete the summing up for the prosecution.

The unexpected decision of Mr. Weeks, the attorney for the defense, not to introduce any witnesses for the defense, and the knowledge that this case, one of the most remarkable murder trials of the century, is drawing near to a close, has caused a widespread demand for seats in the courtroom. Men and women from all walks of life thronged the entrance to Recorder Goff's court yesterday, the rush being almost riotous at times.

Though the number of policemen on duty had been doubled, they were powerless to check the crowd and additional officers were hurriedly called in. They fairly charged the crowd, but the confusion incident to the opening of court was great, and the trial was delayed in consequence. Not even the wrath of the recorder served to frighten the throngs anxious to hear the closing remarks of Assistant Attorney Osborne.

The wife and the mother of the defendant reached the courtroom early. Molineux greeted them in his usual affectionate manner, and to his wife announced that his troubles would soon end, and can[illegible] on Sunday [illegible]. Mr. Osborne spoke of well toward the [illegible] the lawyer who had accepted a retaining fee being in honor bound to defend his client to the utmost of his ability. He contrasted the position of the attorney defending a client with the position of the district attorney, or the assistant district attorney, an officer of the court, whose only desire is to arrive at the truth, and to bring about the punishment of the guilty.

Mr. Osborne then entered into an elaborate defense of Harry Cornish. He said that all of Harry Cornish's acts have been subjected to the most careful scrutiny, and he argued that the fact that Cornish called in a physician absolutely a stranger to him immediately after the poisoning of Mrs. Adams demonstrated Cornish's good faith and innocence.

There were several passages at arms between Mr. Weeks and Mr. Osborne, the attorney for the prisoner objecting to the assistant district attorney quoting statements of persons not sworn as witnesses. Sometimes Mr. Osborne triumphed, the recorder ruling in his favor; at other times Mr. Weeks carried his point. During the course of a scathing arraignment of the methods employed by Mr. Weeks, Mr. Osborne asserted that Mr. Weeks violated his oath of office when he refused to put Mr. Carvalho, the handwriting expert retained by the defense, on the stand.

Turning toward General Molineux, the father of the prisoner, Mr. Osborne paid the veteran of the Shenandoah a splendid tribute, and then added: "Some persons think that Mr. Weeks put in no defense. They're wrong. He did put in a defense, and it is a strong one. Look at that old, gray-haired father, and at that sweet-faced mother. Can there be a stronger defense?

"But are you willing to give this man the law of the land? Are you willing to treat him as you would some Godforsaken longshoreman, who, in a drunken brawl, killed a man? Will you give this defendant, who has a gray-haired father, a sweet-faced mother and a beautiful young wife—are you willing to give him the law of the land—the same law you would give a common son of the soil?"

More Trouble For Nicaragua.

Kingston, Jam., Feb. 9.—According to mail advices from Bluefields, popular excitement in Nicaragua is increasing in consequence of the urgency of Norway in demanding a settlement of the claims growing out of the alleged treatment of Norwegians by the Nicaraguan government during the Reyes rebellion last spring. It is believed that President Zelaya intends to resist the payment of indemnity.

RAILROAD WRECK CAUGHT FIRE.

At Least Nine Persons Killed In an Accident on the Chicago and Northwestern.

Escanaba, Mich., Feb. 9.—A Chicago and Northwestern passenger train, known as the Felch mountain accommodation, which runs between this city and Metropolitan, was wrecked in a rear-end collision with a freight train at Ford river switch last night. Nine persons were killed, three are reported missing, five seriously and four slightly injured.

The engine was forging ahead through a blinding snowstorm, which made it impossible to see signal lights except a short distance ahead. When within 100 yards of the switch at Ford River, Engineer Green saw the rear lights of a train directly ahead, and with a warning cry to his fireman, Cole Nee, jumped. The next instant the heavy freight struck the passenger coach of the accommodation and telescoped it and the baggage car ahead.

The dozen or more passengers in the car had not a moment's warning before the crash came, and a moment later the cries of the injured could be heard above the roar of escaping steam and crackling flames which soon enveloped the wreck cars and made the work of rescue doubly hard. As fast as the injured were removed they were taken to a store a short distance away. While the train crews fought desperately, assisted by the uninjured passengers, to gain control of the fire which threatened the destruction of the wreck before all the injured could be removed.

A call for assistance was sent to this city and a relief train left for the scene of the disaster with the local officials of the road and eight physicians. Immediately upon their arrival the work of rescue was rushed with renewed energy, and at 10 o'clock it was announced that all the injured had been removed. But the bodies of the three unknown dead and two trainmen are still pinned fast in the burning baggage car, all efforts to reach them having proved futile.

At 11 o'clock the relief train returned to this city and was met by a crowd of mourners. Only the most seriously injured were brought on this trip, and these were at once conveyed to the county hospital in ambulances. A fresh crew of men and physicians was at once dispatched to the wreck on the special train and with the assistance of the wreck train the work of clearing up the wreckage and removing the remaining bodies will be continued.

Read the LEDGER Every Day.

Convention's Action Repudiated.

Philippsburg, Pa., Feb. 9.—A mass meeting of 2000 miners in the Spangler-Hastings Barnesborough region, dissatisfied with the action of the national convention in delaying the advance in wages until April 1, rejected the report of the representatives they sent to the national convention, and unanimously resolved to suspend work the 10th instant and remain out until the operators advance the rate per ton for digging from 50 to 60 cents.

To Correct Cuban Tariff.

Washington, Feb. 9.—It is said at the war department that the purpose of Mr. Porter in visiting Cuba at this time is not to prepare a new tariff scheme for the island, but simply to correct certain imperfections and inequalities that have developed in the existing tariff. The changes will be in the direction of reductions of duties on imports of breadstuffs and the necessaries of life.

In Very Weak Condition.

New Haven, Feb. 9.—Information relative to the condition of Hon. E. J. Phelps is to the effect that he is a very sick man. He does not seem to gain from the unexpected serious change in his condition of two days ago, and it is announced that he is not yet out of danger. His extremely weak condition is a most serious drawback.

William F. Miller Caught.

New York, Feb. 9.—William F. Miller, the absconding head of the "Franklin Syndicate, Brooklyn," was brought to police headquarters in this city yesterday by former Captain of Detectives Reynolds of Brooklyn. Miller was arrested in Montreal, and came across the border, it is said, voluntarily.

Steinitz Declared Insane.

New York, Feb. 9.—Dr. William Steinitz, the famous chess player, was examined at Bellevue hospital yesterday by State Examiners Fitch and Wildman and pronounced insane. It is said that friends will raise a fund for placing the chess champion in a private sanitarium.

Stolen Money Returned.

London, Feb. 9.—The sum of £20,000, the balance of £60,000 stolen from Parr's bank a year ago, has been mysteriously returned. The notes were found yesterday, enclosed in a customer's pass book.

☞ Glenwood Ranges make cooking easy, and cut down the coal bills. From $22.00 up. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

The Plague at Honolulu.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Surgeon General Sternberg received a report yesterday from Major Taylor, the medical officer with the small detachment of United States troops at Honolulu. The report is dated Jan. 22, and says that up to date there have been 46 cases of bubonic plague with 40 deaths. Each house is inspected twice a day with reference to keeping track of the inhabitants, discovering cases of disease and enforcing sanitary measures. On the 20th, while burning a part of Chinatown, the fire got away and destroyed nearly the whole of the district, rendering almost 4000 natives homeless. The most of these people are now corralled under guard and are being fed at public expense.

Italy Makes Large Concessions.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Special Plenipotentiary Kasson for the United States, and Baron Fava, the Italian ambassador, for his government, yesterday signed a reciprocity arrangement under the third section of the Dingley act. It is deemed wise to withhold the text of the agreement from publication until ratified by the Italian chamber. It is learned, however, that the concessions made by Italy to the United States are quite extensive. The agreement is the result of many months of negotiation, and the concessions on both sides are regarded as quite advantageous.

Fine Fined For Flirting.

Baltimore, Feb. 9.—Henry Fine, a New York salesman, was fined $50 and costs yesterday for trying to flirt with Miss Annie Machen. The young woman, while being annoyed by Fine, approached a station house. Fine asked her if it was a church. She said yes and invited him in. He accepted the invitation, walked in and she had him arrested.

Macrum Starts For Washington.

East Liverpool, O., Feb. 9.—Charles E. Macrum left yesterday for Washington, where he will present his report to Secretary Hay. During his stay he revealed his secret to his father and his invalid mother, but their lips are sealed when pressed for an interview.

Another Rebellion In China.

London, Feb. 9.—The Hong Kong correspondent of The Daily Mail says that a serious rebellion has broken out in Swatau, in the province of Kwang Tung. The viceroy has sent troops and a gunboat to suppress the insurrection.

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Quincy to Neponset.

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Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour hroughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

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r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figure stand for different stations and indicate the trains stop, as follows:

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

WEDGE IS DRIVEN OUT.

Buller Abandons His Foothold and Retreats Across Tugela.

MacDonald Leaves His Position on the Boer Flank.

May Be Part of Plan to Occupy Boers at Widely Separate Points.

Robeits May Soon Make a Blow Which Will Put a New Face on Situation.

London, Feb. 10.—A dispatch from Boer headquarters says that Buller has been turned out of his foothold north of the Tugela and has retired to its south bank. This happened Thursday morning after the position had been bombarded by the Boer cannon. The position which the Boers say Buller has abandoned is not absolutely identified as the one which dispatches from British sources say was held Tuesday and Wednesday, but lacks little of it; and it seems that there is little doubt that the British wedge at Vaal Krantz has been driven out in much the same fashion as at Spion kop.

London accepts as true the Boer statement that General Buller has failed again. These statements were passed by the British censor at Aden and are read in the light of Mr. Balfour's announcement in the commons that General Buller is not pressing his advance.

Winston Churchill wires that Vaal Krantz was impracticable for the guns which were needed to support a further advance. His cablegram leaves General Buller on Tuesday night sending a fresh brigade to relieve the tired holders of Vaal Krantz.

The descriptive writers with General Buller were allowed a rather free hand again in explaining the ugly position which the British held and the natural obstacles which had to be overcome. So it is easy to infer that, with Boer riflemen and artillery defending them these hills, ravines and jungles have not been overcome and thus the public is prepared in advance for bad news.

Heliograms from Ladysmith, dated Monday, describe the effect General Buller's cannonade had on the worn garrison. Hope ran high that the long period of inactivity and tedium was drawing to a close. The crash of guns was almost continuous for 10 hours, and at times it seemed as if as many as 20 shells burst a minute. The Boers, preparing always for the possibility of defeat, were driving herds and sending long wagon trains toward the Drakensberg pases. Intense darkness and silence followed, broken only by frogs croaking and the occasoinal blaze of star shells, surrounding the town with a circle of light to prevent the unobserved approach of the enemy. A series of British mines, laid for the Boers, exploded accidentally, shaking and alarming the city and camp.

General MacDonald's retirement from the Boer flank at Modder river puzzles the military commentators. The theory that finds acceptance is that it was ordered by Lord Roberts, and that both General Buller's and General MacDonald's operations were by the direction of the commander-in-chief, in order to occupy the Boers at widely separated points, so they would be unable to transfer any portion of their forces to oppose the projected central advance.

In The Morning Post today, Spencer Wilkinson, reviewing the military situation, says: Lord Roberts is evidently about to begin his campaign and there are signs that General Methuen's force will make the first important move. It is probable that the seventh division will soon be heard of as co-operating with Methuen.

The latest news regarding General Buller's operations is puzzling. It looks now as if he never seriously contemplated an attempt to relieve Ladysmith, but only a demonstration to prevent the Boers from diverting reinforcements to Magersfontein.

Looking to the distance from Ladysmith to Kimberley, a journey in which the Boers would get little railway help for the transport of their forces, Lord Roberts has a clear week for the first blow which will put a new face upon the situation. This hypothesis would account for the present state of things in both the theaters of war; and the peculiarities of the attacks of Monday and Tuesday would become intelligible, for, if they had been intended as a serious movement, General Buller would have been largely reinforced and would have pushed the attack with greater energy.

Charles Williams, a military writer, who is understood to be in confidential relations with Lord Wolseley, says that beyond doubt the most authoritative opinion in London regards it as probable that an endeavor will be made to force the line of the Orange river before Wednesday next, possibly Monday.

A dispatch to The Times from Koodoosberg, dated Feb. 8, says: It is reported that Boer reinforcements are arriving from Magersfontein. Our position is easily tenable, but the entire force has been ordered to return to Modder River tomorrow.

Dr. Leyds has issued in Brussels a statement denying purported interviews in which he is represented as predicting the intervention of the powers in the event that the British invade the Free State. He says he is convinced that the war will continue as long as the two republics have arms and ammunition. If the Mauser cartridges give out the Boers, he asserts, will fall back upon Martini-Henri rifles, for which they have a supply of ammunition that is practically inexhaustible.

SWETT PLACED UNDER BONDS.

Arrested In Nashua When He Appeared In Behalf of His Employe.

Nashua, N. H., Feb. 10.—William M. Swett, who claims to be manager of the concern which employed Mrs. Helena F. Jones, whose recent arrest, charged with defrauding through the mails, has attracted attention, arrived here yesterday, and was arrested by United States Marshal Nute. He was given a hearing before United States Commissioner Parker later on a charge similar to that under which Mrs. Jones is held, and he was ordered to furnish bonds of $1500 for appearance before the United States district court next month.

Swett claims that he came here from Brooklyn for the purpose of furnishing bail for Mrs. Jones. After his hearing, Swett furnished bail for himself, and soon after being liberated appeared with bondsmen for Mrs. Jones.

Dr. Shea, who has been attending Mrs. Jones since Thursday night, when she became ill, says that he considers her condition due to worriment over the case. Swett would not discuss the case further than to say that he preferred to see what action the authorities intended to take before making any statement.

A Rift In the Clouds.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 10.—Late last night the political situation was somewhat changed. Adjutant General Collier was called into Governor Taylor's office about 8 o'clock and was in consultation with him until a late hour, but would say nothing as to what occurred. From authoritative sources,



ADJUTANT GENERAL COLLIER.

however, it was learned that a decision had finally been reached, and that the peace agreement would receive the signature of Governor Taylor inside of 24 hours.

Sullivan Whipped by Gans.

New York, Feb. 10.—Joe Gans, the Baltimore lightweight, gained a well-earned decision over "Spike" Sullivan of Boston in the 14th round of a bout at the lightweight limit before the Broadway Athletic club last night. From the start the game was a hard one, and "Spike" at times looked like a winner, but the negro outpointed him in leading and blocking, and at the end of the 13th round had away the better of the contest.

Held In $2500 Bonds.

Hartford, Feb. 10.—David W. Owen of Tolland, Mass., is held for trial under $2500 bond, charged with fraud in making an application for pension. It is claimed that he was a deserter in the Civil war, and that he obtained the certificate of honorable discharge of a man named See, erased See's name and inserted his own. He then made application for pension, and the fraud was discovered.

Opposed to War Expenditures.

Montreal, Feb. 10.—Minister of Public Works Tarte, referring to a proposal to send out 10,000 men, says: "The country has already spent nearly $2,000,000 to send two contingents to Africa. If we are to take part in all the conflicts of Europe, instead of developing our resources and improving our country, we will spend our money in armaments for wars in which Canada has no direct interest."

Claims Were Evidently Just.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 10.—Weavers in one room of Hargraves mill No. 3 claimed they were receiving but 33 cents per cut for weaving the same grade of cloth for which other weavers were receiving 44 cents per cut. Upon listening to their claims yesterday the agent announced that the weavers would all be paid 44 cents per cut, dating from Monday last.

Support From Bay State Hibernians.

London, Feb. 10.—At a meeting of the Irish parliamentary party yesterday, at which minor officers and whips were elected, a number of contributions were received. The members also received a cable message from the president of the Massachusetts Hibernian society, promising the support of 30,000 members.

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LAID IN THE GRAVE.

Body of General Lawton, the Ideal Soldier, Reposes In Arlington.

Thousands of Soldiers and Citizens Marched to Cemetery.

Snapping Volleys of Carbines and Wail of Taps Closed a Pathetic Ceremony.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Major General Henry W. Lawton was buried yesterday in the national cemetery at Arlington. The services at the grave were preceded by those at the Church of the Covenant of this city, where President Stryker of Hamilton college, New York, delivered a funeral oration.

Thousands braved the lowering winter day for a glimpse of the flag-draped caisson with its military escort as it passed through the streets. Hundreds more made the toilsome pilgrimage to Arlington to hear the last words pronounced above the open grave, where the president, cabinet and the general commanding the army stood with bowed heads till the last volley had been fired and the bugle sounded taps.

Lawton, to the great bulk of Americans, had been the incarnation of the American soldier. He had made his mark in the Civil war from the Mississippi to the sea, and it was he who had beaten at his own game Gerinomo, the greatest master of desert craft and mountain fighting that the west had ever known, and who in the new problems of a tropic war had proved the most daring and resourceful of all the generals in the field. It was in tribute to these qualities that the Lawton fund had in a few weeks been swelled past all the expectations of its originators.

Three thousand soldiers and citizens in greater numbers waited at the church to honor the soldier in his last march to his final resting place on the Virginia hillside beyond the Potomac. With the clatter of hoofs, the cavalry formed the guard of honor. Orders flung from rank to rank down the broad avenue brought troop and platoon wheeling into line. With crepe-shrouded colors lowered they filed past, scarlet-caped artillerymen, cavalry with their orange plumes and facings and the ranks of blue-clad infantry, moving with machine-like cadence. At the rear, with the rumble of heavy wheels and clash of trace chains, came the guns, field batteries and siege trains. Ahead of the scores of carriages was the flag-draped, flower-laden caisson, the ideal soldier's bier, and behind it was led the officer's charger in a shroud of black with the boots reversed in the stirrups.

It was a dreary wait in the cold, wind-swept slopes of Arlington for the hundreds who had made the pilgrimage early in the day. But close on sunset the boom of the Sylph's guns on the Potomac was answered by the crash of minute guns from Fort Meyer, and then the solemn notes of the dirge were borne down the winds as the procession moved through the winding avenues of the great city of the dead.

The grave was in the open space just south of the amphitheater and in sight of the mansion house. General Merritt and his mounted staff deployed on the south road, while solid ranks of dismounted troopers held back the crowd on every side. Nimble cavalrymen swarmed over the caisson, casting loose the lashings, and bore the coffin to the open grave, while the president and the cabinet with the gray-haired generals stood silent and bareheaded as the chaplain pronounced the words of committal that consigned forever the honored dust to the dust whence it came.

Then in answer to a low command the firing squad wheeled into line. The snapping volleys of the carbines scarcely echoed among the bare trees, but the wail of the bugle as it sounded taps lingered long and sadly in the grey of the winter twilight and echoed faintly from the distant hills. As it died away the coffin sunk from view. General Lawton's home-coming was accomplished.

Innocent Man Was Hanged.

Lumberton, N. C., Feb. 10.—A negro named Rueben Ross was hanged yesterday for a criminal assault upon a white woman named Mrs. Bettie Ingram. The negro declared his innocence of this crime, but said he was guilty of assault on a young white woman of Rockingham for which a negro, John Evans, was hanged.

Given to Erne on Points.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—A decision on points at the end of six rounds was the best Frank Erne, the lightweight champion, could do with "Chicago" Jack Daly in their fight at the Fort Dearborn Athletic club last night. There was not an idle moment from start to finish.

Not a Candidate For Re-Election.

Baltimore, Feb. 10.—George L. Wellington, senior United States senator from Maryland, and the state's representative on the Republican national committee, has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election at the national convention.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The cold wave has continued its progress eastward, and now extends nearly to the Atlantic coast. There has been rain in the Atlantic and gulf states, and snow or rain from the Ohio valley and lake regions eastward. It will be colder in the New England states today, and continue moderately cold Sunday. On the Atlantic coast fresh winds, mostly northerly, will prevail.

Tickets for the rocers' banquet are now on sale.

A MOTHER'S STORY.

Tells About Her Daughter's Illness and How She was Relieved—Two Letters to Mrs. Pinkham.



"MRS. PINKHAM:—I write to tell you about my daughter. She is nineteen years old and is flowing all the time, and has been for about three months. The doctor does her but very little good, if any. I thought I would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, but I want your advice before beginning its use. I have become very much alarmed about her, as she is getting so weak."—MRS. MATILDA A. CAMP, Manchester Mill, Macon, Ga., May 21, 1899.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—It affords me great pleasure to tell you of the benefit my daughter has received from the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After beginning the use of your medicine she began to mend rapidly and is now able to be at her work. Her menses are regular and almost painless. I feel very thankful to you and expect to always keep your Vegetable Compound in my house. It is the best medicine I ever knew. You have my permission to publish this letter if you wish, it may be the means of doing others good."—MRS. MATILDA A. CAMP, Manchester Mill, Macon, Ga., September 18, 1899.

MURDER IN SECOND DEGREE.

Karop Kopegian Found Guilty of Killing His Brother-In-Law at Fitchburg.

Fitchburg, Mass., Feb. 10.—After deliberating more than seven hours the jury in the case of Karop Kopegian, the Armenian who has been on trial in the superior court on the charge of killing his brother-in-law, Nshan Hartinian, on Aug. 17 last, returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree at 10 o'clock last night. Sentence was deferred until after exceptions are settled.

Kopegian and his victim were both members of a small Armenian colony that lived on a farm two or three miles from the center of the city and had trouble in Turkey before they came to this country. It was brought out in the trial that Kopegian had been heard to threaten Hartinian, and when the latter, who was the leader of the colony, ordered Kopegian from the farm for some misdemeanor it added to the latter's ill-feeling toward his brother-in-law.

Hartinian's body was found beside the road on the morning of Aug. 18 and bore evidence that he had been killed the afternoon before. The body was discovered by Mrs. Hartinian, who is Kopegian's sister, and she it was who notified the police and told them of the bad feeling that had existed between the two men. Kopegian was seen in the vicinity about the time when the murder was committed, and suspicion was so strong against him that he was taken into custody.

A Possible Twinge of Conscience.

Paris, Feb. 10.—The Temps says it understands Count Esterhazy intends to surrender himself for trial on the old charge of having in his possession the famous document known as "Cette Canaille De D——," which figured so prominently in the Dreyfus trial. It is



COMTE FERDINAND ESTERHAZY.

further asserted that he now admits he wrote the bordereau at the late Colonel Sandherr's instructions in order to deceive Colonel Von Schwarzkoppen, the former German military attache at Paris, to whom he communicated the bogus documents.

Bay State Legislature

Boston, Feb. 10.—The Albany lease was again discussed in the house yesterday, Mr. McNary's order for obtaining information causing the debate. After a long discussion, postponement to Tuesday was ordered, 110 to 51, and a roll-call was refused.

Mr. Tolman made a sharp attack in the senate on the house bill for a charter for the Manufacturers' Mutual Casualty company, unless it was amended so as not to apply to steam or electric railway companies, urging the danger of ruin if such hazardous risks were taken. The matter finally went over until Monday.

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WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

THE SOCIAL REALM.

(Continued from page 1.)

Richard E. Brooks sailed on Wednesday for Paris.

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Miss Sarah E. Dunphy leaves today for a few days' visit at Newport, R. I.

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The regular meeting of the Old Colony Club of South Weymouth occurred on Thursday, in the vestry of the Union Church. Owing to the inclemency of the weather, many guests were unable to attend the lecture, which was of unusual interest. However, a large audience greeted the speaker, Mabel Loomis Todd, of Amherst, who entertained them with her description of "An Ascent of Fuji the Peerless." Her charming manner and vivid description held the audience from beginning to close. A vocal solo by Miss Ella M. Clark the programme, after which an informal reception was held, and afternoon tea enjoyed.

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J. S. Swingle has gone to Ormond, Florida.

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A whist party was held at the home of Miss A. Tracey, Braintree, last evening which proved to be great success. There were seven tables. Friends were present from Abington, Weymouth and Braintree. The prizes were awarded to Clara Shay, ladies' first prize; Edward, Cuff, men's first prize; Florence Killian, ladies' second prize; and Herbert Borden, men's second prize. Booby prize, Fred Tenny. Booby prize ladies', Miss Gardner. During the evening ice cream and cake was served.

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Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Winslow returned to their home in East Bridgewater Saturday, after a pleasant visit to friends in Braintree.

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Miss Anna Tracy of Braintree entertained a large party of young friends at her home the "Brunswick" on Wednesday evening. The feature of the evening was the game of whist. The awards were taken by Edward Cuff as the first winner, and Fred Tenney captured the booby prize.

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Invitations are out for a whist party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Willis at Braintree for Monday, Feb 19.

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The Literary club of Braintree met Monday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. Ewart. Mrs. Ewart and Miss Arnold contributed two excellent papers upon "Works of art and their Reproduction." Mr. Field in his contribution to the Original Work, set forth the further tribulation of the patient Jeanette. It was decided to hold the banquet Wednesday evening, February 21st, in Pythian hall. All members and friends of the club desiring tickets would please secure them or notify the Secretary, Miss Nor is, not later than Tuesday evening preceeding.

Backed by Boston Capitalists.

New London, Conn., Feb. 10.—H. L. Holmes of Mystic, who has been negotiating with Boston capitalists for some time regarding the establishment of a shipyard at Mystic, has finally brought matters to a satisfactory climax, and work upon the proposed plant will be begun at once.

No Speeches Ready.

Washington, Feb. 10.—As no senator was prepared to proceed with a discussion of the finance measure yesterday the senate transacted only routine business and adjourned early to enable the members to attend the obsequies of General Lawton.

Mike—"How old are you, Pat?"
Pat—"Forty next month."
Mike—"Yez must be older than that. When were yez born?"
Pat—"In 1860"
Mike—"I have yez now! Sure, yez told me the same date tin years ago!"
—Yale Record.

Mr. Perkly—"Oh, if you could only learn to cook as my first wife did!"
Mrs. Perkly—"If you were as smart as my dear first husband was, you'd be rich enough to employ the best cook in the land."

BRAINTREE.

Miss Flossie Peterson returned home from the hospital Sunday after a successful operation.

Charles O. Miller of Liberty street is on the sick list with the grip this week.

Benjamin J. Loring of Front street has been confined to the house with heumatism this week.

Mr. Sherman, who resides at the Cottage farm on Union street, lost about fifty hens by thieves on Monday night.

The pastor of the East Braintree M. E. church will preach in South Braintree M. E. church Sunday morning and administer the sacrament.

The Jonas Perkins school association held a very pleasant meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Doane of Bowditch street on Tuesday evening. Mr. Doane delivered an excellent paper upon School Gardens. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Olive Crocker.

Helen Qualey played a number of selections on the piano for the pupils of the Washington school, Quincy, Friday afternoon.

J. Frank Perry, former superintendent of the Braintree electric light plant, has returned to Braintree and taken a position with the Fore River Engine Co.

J. F. Sheppard & Sons for the second time this winter prepared for the harvesting of ice from Little pond Thursday, but the rain put a stop to their work.

Williams, Kneeland & Co. are about to branch out with their shoe business. They intend to make the manufacture of ladies' foot wear one of the principal parts of their business.

Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the chapel of the First church, Mr. Barbour will give the second of his talks to the young people. There will also be recitations and singing by the children. Dr. Bent will be present and conduct the musical exercises of the meeting. The subject of the meeting will be "The Rescue."

The Home Missionary Circle, held in the chapel, Wednesday afternoon, was, as usual, fully attended, nearly one hundred and fifty being present. Bountiful tables were spread by the ladies in charge, Mrs. Grace Allen, Mrs. John Barbour, Mrs. K. E. Morrison, Mrs. Franklin D. Thayer and Mrs. E. P. Hayward.

The first social by the Masasoit club was held in Red Men's hall last night. It was an invitation party and about 50 couple responded. Cuff's orchestra furnished the music. The floor was in charge of H. Chester Gage, assisted by James G. Cuff. Dancing was in order from 6 to 10. Another social by them is expected in about two weeks.

About 25 friends of William A. Kane were present by invitation at his home on Washington street Wednesday evening. The occasion of the party was the 53d anniversary of Mr. Kane's birth.

Rev. Charles H. Pennoyer has accepted an invitation from the Sons and Daughters of Maine of the Pine Tree State club of Braintree to attend a Valentine Symposium at Odd Fellows' hall, South Braintree, Feb. 12th, next.

On account of the severe storm Thursday the members of the Braintree Veteran Firemen postponed their election of officers unitl Thursday evening, March 8. They voted to remain in the New England firemen's league and paid their dues.

At the regular meeting of Amana lodge, D. of R., in Odd Fellows' hall, Thursday evening, Noble Grand Mrs. Sarah R. Mellen was presented with a handsome regalia. The presentation speech was made by Past Grand David H. B. Thayer of Puritan lodge I. O. O. F.

Wednesday evening was a busy time with the workmen. At 8 o'clock the regular business meeting was held with Master Workman Crooker in the chair. After the regular business the officers elect for the ensuing year were installed by Deputy Clark and his suite. At the expiration of the installation all adjourned to the banquet hall where the regular monthly banquet was served. Here food both for body and mind were partaken of, the former served by the caterer, the latter by the grand lodge officers ably assisted by visiting members from Quincy and other places.

Adjourning again to the lodge room two candidates were initiated, after which Bro. Vinton of Weymouth entertained the company with a graphaphone concert. And Bro. Binney, though it was his first night as a workman, rendered some selections on the piano which were proof conclusive that he has been a "workman" for some time.

The following is a list of names of gentlemen who are candidates for office as Selectmen of Braintree. The list is complete to date. Shall we put your name on the list?

East,—J. Parker Hayward.
North,—Wallace W. Mayhew, Alfred Southworth.
South,—Ansel O. Clark, Louis W. Thayer, William E. Wilde.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy,—Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "Religion in the family." Sunday School at 12 M. Choral Even-song and address on Social teachings of Jesus, at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Jesus teaching about the Kingdom of God." Seats free, everybody welcome.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Teachers' meeting at chapel on Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock, conducted by the pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Bible School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening service at 7.30. Concert service "Things that endure," conducted by the Endeavorers. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.45.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 P. M., by pastor. Special sermon on "Abraham Lincoln; statesman, prophet." The Sons of Veterans will be in attendance, accompanied by the L. A. S., G. A. R., and W. R. C. Sunday School at 3.45. P. M. Y. Y. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "The scriptural basis of the larger hope." Each member present to present a text with remarks."

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "How to live." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "Forgiveness." Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. F. C. Shultis, of Cambridge. Subject: "The value of a soul and its conversion." Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Prodigal's Father." Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Fort Square—Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School and Bible class at 11.45 A. M. Exposition of the Sabbath school lesson at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "A contrast." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M. All cordially invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "Expansion." Pastor's Bible class at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Broken and unbroken friendship." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30 All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by pastor. Sunday School at 11.45. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting of Epworth League at 6.15. Evening service at 7. Class meeting Tuesday and prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Frank Wright Pratt, pastor. Morning service. at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward A. Chase, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor, Subject: "Abraham Lincoln; his growth in moral purpose." Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "Men of strength." 2d David.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Preston Gurney, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Many coming and going; and they had no leisure." Sunday School at 12.10 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Devotional.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "The Devil." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Friday evening service at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH—Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street. Mr. C. Fairbrother of Boston will lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "The destiny of the earth, and its inhabitants."

CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURE—The Christadelphians of Quincy invite you to a lecture to to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street at 10.30 A. M. The subject is: "Paul with the jail keeper." All are cordially invited to attend this lecture; seats free; no collections.



"I had female trouble for eight years," writes Mrs. L. J. Dennis, of 828 East College St., Jacksonville, Ills. "Words cannot express what I suffered. *I sought relief among the medical profession and found none.* Friends urged me to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. When I commenced taking this medicine I weighed ninety-five pounds. Now I weigh one hundred and fifty-six pounds—more than I ever weighed before. I was so bad I would lie from day to day and long for death to come and relieve my suffering. I had internal inflammation, a disagreeable drain, bearing down pain, and such distress every month but now I never have a pain—do all my own work and am a strong and healthy woman."

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Castle Square Theatre.

The pronounced success of "The Bells of Haslemere," at the Castle Square theatre, has led the management to retain this play as its attraction yet another week, and every indication points to great audiences for these additional performances. The splendid stage settings, the elaboration of the stage pictures and groupings and the realistic effects all supplement the excellent dramatic work of the company in the most effective fashion, and the combined features of the production fully merit the successful result attending the performances of this popular drama. The great scenes which complete each act are received most enthusiastically and repeated curtain calls follow. At the Monday matinee the usual distribution of boxes of choice chocolate bon bons to all patrons will be made. A dramatic version of Dr. A. Conan Doyle's "The Firm of Girdlestone" is announced to follow the present attraction.

Keith's Theatre.

"The Girl with the Auburn Hair" certainly captured theatregoing Boston the past week, for the business done at Keith's is reported to have been enormous. The critics are unanimous in the opinion that no more beautiful act has ever been presented in vaudeville, and that it is one that a person may witness again and again without becoming tired of it. She will be continued as the leading feature for the week of Feb. 12, when the following entertainers will also appear: Edgar Foreman and Julia West, in an amusing comedy sketch, "Their First Quarrel;" J. W. Winton, the clever ventriloquil comedian; Lavender and Tomson, in a laughable juvenile comedy sketch; Fields and Ward, conversational comedians; Hadj Lessik, an Arab acrobat; George Loose, vocalist; Grazer and Hazel, in spectacular dances, and James A. Dunn, monologue comedian. The biograph will have new motion pictures of scenes in the Philippines, South Africa and the Rocky mountains that will be of special interest.

For Housekeepers.

It has been brought to the attention of this paper that a baking powder is offered for sale here which contains alum.

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Unity Club.

The regular fortnightly meeting of the Unity club was held on Friday evening at the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church. The vestry was crowded. Mr. W. G. Corthell was to have had charge of the meeting but owing to his illness the duty devolved upon President Finch. The Study of Switzerland was continued. Mrs. Henry G. Fay read a paper on the "Confederation of Cantons;" Mrs. Wilson Marsh a paper on "Arnold Von Winkelried;" the Rev. Frank W. Pratt spoke on Zurich and Mrs. John H. Litchfield on the industries.

The music was in charge of Miss Adelaide Thomas violinist, assisted by Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith, accompanist, and Mr. Edwin S. Bennett, pianola.

Doubtful Break.

It was reported to the police this morning, that the store of Louis Grossman on Water street had been broken into sometime during Friday night. Inspector McKay made an investigation but could find nothing missing. Appearances indicated if entrance had been made at all, that it had been by a false key. The only thing, however, to show that the place had been entered at all, was that a hanging lamp in the center of the store had been taken down. There was $16 in the money drawer, the key to which was in an unlocked drawer near at hand; this however was not molested. The police say it is doubtful if the store was broken into.

The Pine Tree club will hold a business meeting at 7.30 P. M., Feb. 12, in Odd Fellows' hall South Braintree. At 7.45 an entertainment will be furnished. At 9.15 Miss Alice Holbrook and Miss Mary Foss will serve tea punch. Bon bons and mottoes will be served by Mrs. Moody, Mrs. Duckworth, Mrs. Wales, Mrs. Gerry and Mrs. Pennock. Adieux at 10.15. N. B. There is a letter in the post office for you. Don Cupid P. M.

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LUKEMAN—In Weymouth, Feb. 8, Mr. Henry Lukeman, aged 63 years, 7 months and 4 days.

ESSAY ON WOMAN.

The Masterpiece of Life Says Rev. W. W. Dornan.

At the weekly meeting of the City Band Literary and Musical society on Thursday evening, those who braved the unpleasant weather were well repaid for their attendance, for one of the best essays of the course was delivered by the Rev. Mr. Dornan and his subject a very pleasant one "Woman, the Masterpiece of life."

In the earliest days of history she was ranked among the cattle that grazed in the fields, and not infrequently she was yoked on the other side with an ox to draw the plow or haul the primitive carriage in which "sat the lord of creation." She ranked as property and so was held in the degrading servitude of mere chattels.

Yet after all this debasement the savage admired "woman," for he would fight for her possession, steal her, buy her. But in present times the woman had to bring the money called a "Dowery" and that woman has a choice in whom she will marry. She takes her place on an equality with man.

He spoke at length on the different forms of courtship in the evolution of woman. True courtship is the process by which the soul is wedded to soul, and where this has failed all the marriage ceremonies can not accomplish anything.

The speaker deplored the divorce laws, but the social and economic conditions are changing and there is no necessity for a woman to throw herself away just for the sake of getting married. Now, sensible women look at the risk, and they hesitate and can afford to wait for the right conditions, if not, become a spinster.

Woman today is taking her place alongside of man, in the factory, in the higher degrees of study, in the pulpit, the platform, the press, business and teachers in the schools. It is high time that woman should assert herself as God's masterpiece, not by impudently domineering of some timid man, but by fitting herself by the many opportunities of the day, their brain power is just as strong, judgment seems much better.

The speaker hoped that soon woman would be allowed an equal share with men in saying how the country would be governed, for, if they could not vote as intelligently as one-half of the men today, he did not understand the power of Woman:

Mr. Dornan has kindly consented to read the essay before the society again on April 5, when the women will have an opportunity to hear it.

This society had now 65 members on its roll and some at each meeting. Any one of good moral character is eligible for membership.

Next week Mr. Alex. Cow will read an essay on "The Moral and Economic tendencies of Man."

Cochato Club of Braintree.

A meeting of the Executive and House Committees was held at the club house last Tuesday evening to consider plans for the dedication of the club house.

It was voted to have the dedication on the evening of March 14. The attendance will be limited to members of the club and honorary guests, and the event will be as informal and social as possible. A collation will be served on the first floor and there will be a concert and dancing in the assembly hall.

The Executive Committee appointed the following bowling committee: Charles O. Miller, Frederick T. Hunt, L. O. Crocker, Otis B. Oakman and Franklin D. Thayer.

Mrs. F. H. Dearing and G. E. Williams were appointed members of the house committee to take the places of Miss Helen L. Arnold and H. F. Kneeland who declined to serve at present.

S. A. Neal commenced building the bowling alleys last Tuesday.

Mr. Holbrook, the builder, will nearly complete the carpenter work on the club house this week.

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The Francis L. Souther Camp No. 27, S. of V., will attend service of divine worship at the Universalist church, Sunday, Feb. 11th, at 2.30 P. M., it being the Sabbath nearest the birthday of Abraham Lincoln. The subject of the sermon by Rev. Merrill C. Ward, will be, "Abraham Lincoln; Statesman, Prophet."

The S. of V. will be accompanied by the following local affiliated bodies. Francis L. Souther L. A. S., No. 3, Paul Revere Post No. 88, G. A. R. and Paul Revere W. R. C., No. 103. The friends of these organizations cordially invited.

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Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

One of the wheels of L. M. Pratt & Co.'s Boston team collapsed at Norfolk Downs Friday night, blocking street cars for a time.

The body of Mrs. J. Henry Jacob, a former resident of Quincy was brought here for interment on Thursday, the burial being at Mt. Wollaston.

Commissioner Knowlton has had his residence connected by telephone. A telephone exchange at City Hall with City Messenger Tirrell as operator, is one of the things for the near future.

The Ladies' Auxilliary No. 8, A. O. H., held a banquet at Grand Army hall, Thursday evening, which was attended by upwards of one hundred. Previous to the banquet there was an entertainment in which the following took part: Miss Bertha Trepanier, Miss Fitzsimmons, Misses Nellie and Grace McCarthy, Miss Annie Craddock, Edward Glover, Mr. Taylor, William Grant, and Miss Winnie Garbarino. After the banquet dancing was in order under the management of Henry W. French.

—There is a deadlock between Mayor Dodge, of Worcester, and the school committee of that city in regard to school appropriations. The school board ask for $565,000 and the mayor declares that $500,000 is enough and he will not consent to any larger appropriation. The school board maintain that it will be impossible to run the schools on that amount. They say if the mayor has his way the schools will have to be closed before the end of next year, or else there will have to be a radical cut in the salaries of the teachers, resulting in a deterioration of the schools.—Gardner Journal.

—Brooklyn, city of churches, has a little religious excitement. Plymouth church, congregationalist, refuses to read revival meeting notices from the pulpit, because, it declares, that the present revival seems to be a movement against Unitarians, and not against rampant vice and crime. Pastor Eaton, Universalist, of the Church of the Divine Paternity also attacks the revivalist and declares that they dishonor God and deny Christ. Brooklynites have evidently something to talk about besides the Boer war.—Norwood Advertiser.

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Encircle round—
That red, red rose with heart of gold
Unto my heart a secret told
Of love profound.

A faded rose, though sear and dead,
Its graceful beauty long since fled,
Is treasured still.
The hidden charm of that dead rose
The world knows not, but my heart knows
And ever will.

—Good Housekeeping.

Hoofey's First Case

A Lawyer's Successful Start In a Western Town—He Served a Warrant and Worked Up a Reputation.

Everybody said Lem Hooley would succeed in life, and the confidence in him was not misplaced, though the stated reason for it was not very satisfying. He went up to San Francisco to study law. Bung Town bet on him because he was such a marvelous pistol shot.

At bottom no doubt the Bungles believed in Lem because they liked him and wanted to hear good things of him, a substantial basis of a prophecy, since they might give him business upon his return if they wanted to. Again, Lem was shrewd. Indeed, he was tricky, "slick," the town said, laughing the while, for while slickness was a part intolerable to western prejudice it was acceptable when the trickster was straightforward about it. A merry thief might be a "good fellow;" his surly "pal" could go hang.

Lem had great luck. When he came back, dressed in city clothes, he got a case almost before he got down from the stage.

"Sumpin's up," said the driver as they turned into the main street.

He pointed with his whip to an excited group of Bungles standing in front of the store.

"Maybe it's a shooting, and I'll just call it murder and get the chance to defend it," said Lem, throwing one leg off over the end of the rear, ready to jump down.

"Hello, Lem!" "Say, there's Lem Hooley!" "Lem Hooley, s'help me!" "Hello, Lem!"

Thus they greeted him, and he dropped among them, both hands out, to be shaken and to shake each hand. He was glad.

"But what's up?" he asked.

The crowd turned, with a laugh, to Cooley, the sheriff, who had a piece of paper in his hand.

"Cooley's got a warrant to serve, and he's a-skeered to serve it."

"Skeered! Well, I guess not, not if there were 50 greasers 'stead of 10. I'll serve it all right."

"Well, why don't you serve it, then?" asked Lem merrily.

"Because I can't get a man with the gizzard to swear in as deputy to help me."

"What do you want help for?"

"There's ten of them over there." He pointed to a greaser shanty across the street. "Will you go along?"

"What's been done, anyhow?"

"Greaser Ike shot Yellow Mike, you remember, who used to tend bar in the dance hall, and the Mexicans in the county is bound to see him out of the scrape."

"I don't see much in that," said Lem. "Why don't you go ahead and arrest your man?"

"Will you go along as deputy? It means shootin, and a lot of it, against knives, too, and you'll want all the good eye you used to have."

"No, I won't go along as deputy to you, but I'll tell you what I'll do. If the crowd won't string the prisoner up when I take him, I'll go over alone."

"All right. It's a go," they answered.

"Better take my gun," said Cooley, offering his six shooter.

"I'm all right," said Lem, tapping his hip.

There were several offers of company, willing ones, but the young lawyer rejected them all.

He walked rapidly across the street, leaving the crowd happy and silent, interested and full of admiration. Without drawing his gun Lem went straight up to the door, shoved it open and stepped in out of sight, and not a shot was heard nor an oath nor a fall. It was all as silent as before. The crowd at the store wondered, waited awhile and wondered out loud. Ought they not to go over and see what was up? Maybe a knife fixed him before he could draw. The Bungies discussed it carefully, but they believed in Lem, and they decided again and again that they'd better "leave him be." And they did.

It was a wise decision. In two minutes Lem came out with Ike. The other Mexicans appeared at the door of their shanty and quietly watched Lem deliver to Cooley the accused murderer, Greaser Ike, who was as meek as a lamb.

That was something new in Bung Town. You despise greasers, but not exactly as fighters. They will fight all right enough, but the contempt for them is only as pistol shots and as citizens. It is no crime to kill one.

Now, Lem knew this sentiment, and when the trial came off, with all the county present and about one-tenth of the white population in the jury box, the young lawyer, who appeared to defend Greaser Ike, applied it deftly to the case. He showed that Yellow Mike was a greaser and a "no good" greaser, so that to shoot him was not murder. Of course, he admitted, it was not the custom to lose the chance to get rid of two greasers by hanging the one who survived a fight to the finish. But that custom was not only unjust—it was shortsighted. If a white man had a right to shoot a Mexican, a Mexican ought to have the same privilege, or the principles on which this great republic was founded were naught, and the law, which he had learned to respect, was a useless sham. Bung Town was off the track of travel, but that was no reason why it should be behind the times. He had found that in many of the most prosperous places he had passed through the law was being upheld. It was the proper thing now; it was all the go. He urged a trial of this policy upon Bung Town.

The case was won. But Lem enjoyed the situation, so he went on briefly to turn up the practical advantages of his theory. If they hung up to dry any greaser who killed another greaser, they would stop the handiest men with the knives, who, if allowed their freedom, might do some more greasers. He recalled the well known fact that the Mexicans were cliquish in murder. They fought mostly among themselves, and he had familiar figures to prove that 80 per cent of the greasers killed in that county had been killed by their own kind.

The jury acquitted Greaser Ike, and Lem Hooley was feted with thumps on the back and many rounds of drinks. Bung Town staid up late to celebrate the beginning of its favorite son's brilliant career.

Well along toward midnight the citizens compelled Lem to tell how he had made the arrest which brought him his first case, and reluctantly he broke the pledge which he averred he had made to himself that day never to give away the trick he had played on the crowd which stood around Sheriff Cooley urging him to go in and serve that famous warrant.

"It was a trick, only a trick, and I thought of it because Bud Burgess, the stage driver, had suggested it by his remark that maybe the crowd in front of the store meant that I was to get my first case the first day I got home. That would be a joke, I thought, and I made up my mind to work up a great reputation for nerve and courage at the start, so I walked into that greaser shanty, and I says to Greaser Ike, who knew me from way back, that if he would come with me I'd get him a trial and have him acquitted. I winked at him to let him know I had a game to play, and he had the sense to try it."—New York Commercial Advertiser.

How Long Do You Sleep?

"The old rule of eight hours' sleep is sheer nonsense," said a New Orleans physician. "Natural sleep is something that can't be regulated by any formula. The body takes what it needs, be it much or little, and the necessary amount varies with the individual. In a general way I would say that four hours is the minimum and ten hours the maximum for people in fair health. Either more or less is a pretty sure sign that something is out of gear—usually something in the brain.

"I have two patients who sleep only four hours and keep in tolerably good condition. Both are middle aged men, and neither of them works very hard. They are simply so constituted that nature can repair its losses in four hours of unconsciousness. In many other people nearly three times as long is required. The nerve cells work more slowly; why, nobody knows.

"The queerest case that ever came under my personal observation was that of a bookkeeper of this city who used to sleep two or three hours a night through the week and on Sunday would catch up in a 20 hour nap. That is no exaggeration, but an actual fact well known to all his intimates. He seemed to be able to store away nervous energy as a camel stores water. His general health during the 12 or 15 years I knew him was excellent."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Crescent.

The origin of the Turkish crescent is lost in antiquity. As the emblem of progress and increase it figures in the warship of Astarte, the chief goddess of the Phœnician Pantheon, who under various names was adored by every Semitic race. It is not, therefore, surprising that the crescent should be the chosen emblem of a conquering and spreading people. The hordes of Genghiz Khan carried it on their banners from the great wall of China to the Indus and the Volga in the thirteenth century, yet these were Mongols and enemies of the very people with whom the crescent is generally associated.

The Ottoman Turks, who first got lands in Asia as a reward for assisting the Seljuks against the Mongols, seem from the first arrival in these regions to have displayed the well known symbol. It appeared on the banners of the janissaries of the Sultan Orkhan, in the fourteenth century, and subsequently the crusades fixed it in the eyes of Christendom as the counter emblem to the cross. It is sometimes held that the Turks borrowed the crescent from the Byzantine Greeks, but this is evidently not the case. On the contrary, the Greeks had probably at an early period adopted it with other religious symbols and ideas from the east.

The Modern World.

Compare the condition of our people with that which prevailed before the aggregation of wealth and intelligence in the development of industries, when wealth was obtained by conquest, not by industry, when the masses had meat but once a week, when their houses were without chimneys and without windows, when their clothing and surroundings were filthy, when the death rate was double what it is today, and you go back to a time when the nobility knew less of the world than the laboring man of today; when the present necessities of the masses were luxuries only for the rich, and you realize that the emancipation proclamations were written by Watt and Arkwright, Stephenson and Fulton, Franklin and Morse and Bessemer and the great organizers who have applied their discoveries and distributed the benefits of their inventions to the whole world.—Charles R. Flint in Cassier's Magazine.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 11—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Seek first the kingdom of God.—Math. xiii, 44-46. (Union meeting with the Juniors.)

The topic is illustrated in the lesson by two parables of Christ, the parable of the hidden treasure and that of the pearl of great price. In the first instance a man is working in the field of another and findeth a hidden treasure, it being very common before the days of banks to hide valuables in the ground. He covers it up, goes and sells all that he has and buys the field, that he may have the hidden treasure. In the second parable a dealer in precious stones, when he had found one pearl of great price, sold all that he had and bought it. Thus the command of Christ, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God," is illustrated in parables.

1. Seek the kingdom of God first in the day. No Endeavorer and no Christian should begin a day of labor, of temptation, of trial, without seeking, first in prayer and in reading God's word, help and strength for the day.

2. Seek the kingdom of God first in point of time. "Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth." This is the command of God, and God has also promised that those who seek Him early shall find Him. We all know from experience and observation that it is much easier to find God early in life than late in life. In early life everything, every influence about us, draws us naturally toward God. The life is pure and innocent. The heart is tender and easily impressed. Outside influences are all in this direction. But how different it is later in life! The life is tainted with evil. The heart has become hardened, and the environments of life are all against us. He who seeks the Lord early in life rows with the stream. He who postpones this search till later in life rows against the stream. Let us row with the stream. It is easier and surer.

3. Seek the kingdom of God first in point of importance. Make religion the most important duty in life. Give it the first place, not a secondary or unimportant place. Christ teaches us very clearly in the parables before us that we should do this. The men in the parables put the hidden treasure and pearl of great price before everything else. They sacrificed everything else that they might obtain them. Thus we should exalt to the first place the kingdom of God, the salvation of our souls, and if we do we will be sure to be saved. Endeavorers, what occupies the first place in your hearts? Is it God, Christ, your soul, or is it the world, its pleasures, its fame and its wealth? Let us see to it that we seek first the kingdom of God.

THE PRAYER MEETING.

Arrange a special programme. Have the Seniors and Juniors each furnish a special musical selection and read the Scripture lesson alternately. It would be a good time to invite all the children and young people of the church and have the pastor preach a short sermon on the topic.

Bible Readings.—I Sam. xvi. 11-13; Ps. xxxiv, 4-10; cv, 4; cxix, 2-10; Prov. xxii, 6; Eccl. xi, 9; xii, 1; Isa. lv, 1-7; Lam. iii, 27; Amos v, 14; Matt. vi, 33; vii, 7, 8; xxv, 1-13; Mark x, 13-16; Luke xviii, 15-17; II Tim. ii, 22.

Grades of Christian Life.

There are three grades of Christian life. There is, first of all, the dissatisfied life, the life that knows there is something it does not have and that wants it and that is perpetually discontented, and rightly so, with itself. There is, secondly, the life that is half and half, that now and then rises up to the Mount of Transfiguration and then paces for long seasons over weary wastes of whitened ashes. There is a third life of satisfaction and content and peace and power and rest, the life that has made Jesus Christ its one object, the life that every man lives who is able to say in the fine phrase of Ignatius, "O Christ, Thou art my inseparable life!" The soul that has made Jesus Christ its one object has entered into rest and has entered into power. It has entered into a life of activity which no foe can withstand and of contentment which no storm can ruffle, for over all the seas where it voyages speaks that voice which quieted the turbulent waves of Gennesaret, "Peace, be still!" Nothing can overcome or disturb the soul that is hid with Christ in God and has made Christ the one object of his life and found the Father in Him.—Christian Age (British).

Along the Dusty Road.

It is a great deal easier to be up to the occasion in some shining moment of a man's life, when he knows that a supreme hour has come, than it is to keep that high tone when plodding over all the dreary plateaus of uneventful, monotonous travel and dull duties. It is easier to run fast for a minute than to grind along the dusty road for a day.—Alexander Maclaren.

Song In the Soul.

For little acts of kindness done,
For thoughts of beauty born
To blossom all around me in the sun
With each recurring morn,
My heart is singing!

For friendship, with its ties of gold
To bind around the soul
And warm our lonely spirits in the cold
To see love's aureole,
My heart is singing!

For happy children come to me,
Unconscious of my bliss
At finding music in their infancy
And simple song like this,
My heart is singing!

For a thousand, thousand common things—
The fountain in my yard,
The dainty color of canary wings,
Bright echoes of a bard—
My heart is singing!

For One who met me in the night
And wept about my sin,
Then searched me, cleansed me, filled me with His light
And came Himself within,
My heart is singing!

—Philadelphia Ledger.

STEALING IDEAS.

HOW UNSCRUPULOUS PEOPLE PATENT THE INVENTIONS OF THEIR BETTERS.

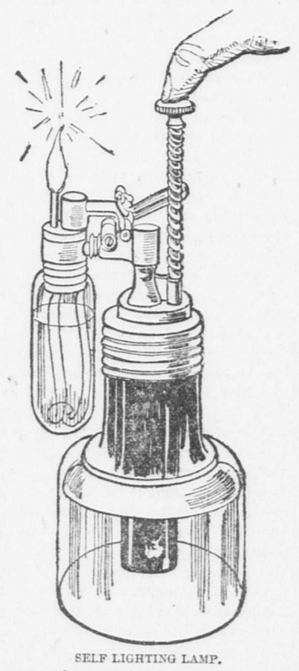
There are men moving about the country all the time looking for unprotected mechanical devices which they can patent by swearing that they are the inventors, says Locomotive Engineering. The ordinary procedure is to quietly take out the patent and remain quiet for a few years. Then some day the patentee or his agents visit a shop where the device is in use—perhaps the place where it was invented. Then he puts in a claim for royalty, and fiery indignation is excited. The man who invented the thing protests that the claim is a fraud, but he cannot tell just the exact date on which the invention was applied to practical use. The legal department makes inquiries and finds that a successful defense is so uncertain that they advise a settlement instead of a lawsuit, and so the rogue and thief secures possession of his ill gotten gains. It is as bad as picking a man's pocket, but it is not so risky. That is no fancy or overdrawn picture. It is the history of thousands of frauds that have been put upon railroad companies.

In the evolution of important inventions there are many opportunities for the industry of another fraud, who may be termed the developer or imitator. We know many highly respectable men who no sooner see an invention that is likely to prove valuable than they proceed diligently to design something that will get round the patented article without infringement. They have not sufficient originality to invent anything, but they possess a certain kind of mechanical ingenuity which makes them very successful imitators. These are very often the men who reap the greatest profit from inventions that others originated.

The party in whose brain the germ of a great invention originates is very often the man who receives the least credit for the achievement when the final verdict is rendered concerning the invention. It is the pirate, the imitator and the improver who carries away the profit and the glory. This improver, who never had an original idea pass through his head, is really a greater enemy to the real inventor than the man who steals outright. The improver is such a respectable vagabond that he imposes upon those who can supply capital and talks about the real inventor in a pitying, patronizing tone, which carries the conviction that the knave is a very upright man. There are hundreds of that sort of man living in luxury, while the men who invented the appliances that made them rich are struggling along in poverty and obscurity.

Lamp That Lights Itself.

A London firm has introduced a new portable electric self lighting lamp, says the Chicago News. The lamp will be useful for many purposes, but as an adjunct to the smoking room or bedroom, where an instantaneous light is often needed, the self lighting lamp will be more than useful. The battery, when once charged, will not require attention for months and is sufficiently strong to light the lamp 2,000 times at a cost of 5 cents. It is sold securely packed with a bottle of charging salts.



SELF LIGHTING LAMP.

Dampness In Dwelling Houses.

The dampness of dwelling houses is pronounced by a writer in The Scientific American dangerous from a twofold point of view—first and primarily in itself and, second, because of the long life which it gives to the elements of contagion and infection. It is ascertained that the microbe of typhoid fever remains alive for three days, that of diphtheria a month and that of pneumonia from 15 days to three weeks. Contrary to the traditions of the "elegance" of dwellings, which causes the walls to be covered with tapestry or paper in imitation of it, scientific experience would now advise the employment of stucco or good varnish as being best from a bacteriological point of view, both because they are easily washed and because they possess the property of cleansing themselves promptly and spontaneously of pathogenic germs which become lodged in them.



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PICKLES vs. DRUGS.

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The pupils of the Quincy schools may be interested in the prize essays recently submitted at a contest in Braintree between the Monatiquot and Jonas Perkins schools. They are given in full:

One of my Christmas presents was a new ten-dollar bill. It looked so crisp and clean, as if it had never been handled before!

I have been thinking what I could buy with it. I have thought of the lovely toys in Schwartz's and wondered how many of the beautiful things I could get with it.

Finally, I heard the clock strike eight, and mamma asked me if it wasn't my bedtime. So I went upstairs, thinking that after I got in bed I would fully decide what to buy. I closed my eyes and soon heard a gentle tapping. I looked up and saw a little Brownie peeking in through the window, which is always lowered a little at the top.

I said, "come in," and he came right up to my bedside and said, "I will tell you what to buy with your ten dollars."

I asked him his name and he said he was the "King of the Golden River." "But," he said, "you can call me Konig, because that means king."

I had been reading about the "King of the Golden River," so I thought he must be a very wonderful person.

He told me to hurry and put on my things, for he would take me to a beautiful store in New York, where everything was very cheap.

I was wondering how I could get out of the room without mamma knowing it, but he took me through the opening of the window and I slipped right out as easily as he did and floated along through the air and above the trees and houses, just as if I had wings, until we reached that magnificent store in New York.

When I arrived there it seemed like fairy-land and what was stranger still, Konig suddenly grew so tall he nearly reached the plastering and the clerks treated him with the greatest respect.

I began to be a little afraid but Konig spoke so kindly to me that I soon lost all my fear.

Then he said to the clerks, "This little girl has come a very long way, and I would like to have you sell her the things very cheap."

Soon Konig said, "First, of course, you want to buy something for your mother, and what shall it be?"

"Well," I said, I think she would like a silk dress."

So one of the clerks showed us some brocaded silks and I chose a violet one.

We then took the elevator to the music department, where there were banjos, harps and many other musical instruments. Konig took a harp and played a merry tune.

He said it had a very good tone and thought my sister would be pleased with it. Next we went to the book department and selected five large law books by Tiedeman for my brother. I knew he would like them, as I had heard him speak of that author before.

I chose an elegant watch charm with a diamond in the centre for papa.

I was thinking of my playmates and decided to get each of them a little regard ring.

Soon Konig said, "Why you have'nt got anything for yourself yet."

"Well, I guess my money must be nearly gone by this time."

"Oh! no," he said, "things cost very little here."

"Well," I said, "I think I would rather have a key to my Arthmetic more than anything else, so I can find the answers to my examples."

But Konig said that that wouldn't cost anything, because the clerks pitied little girls that couldn't get the answers to their examples, and that they gave them away as souvenirs.

I had been been thinking that it would be very nice to buy Konig a sealskin overcoat, and I knew it wouldn't cost much, if he should return to his former size, but as I looked up Konig had grown so tall he reached through two or three stories and finally disappeared, without even saying good-bye.

I heard someone say, "Why are you staying in bed so long? You will be late to school."

I looked for my beautiful things but they were gone. Konig was gone and the window was only opened about an inch the way it always is and I thought it must have been a dream.

I took out my pocket-book which was also a Christmas gift and carried my ten-dollar bill down stairs.

I asked mamma what I had better do with it and she said, "you had better put it into the Savings Bank with the rest of your money and with the interest which it draws you can buy some of your presents for next year."

Helen Bailey,
Grade 7—11 years old.
Monatiquot school.

O, such a puzzling question! Never was anything more perplexing given to a girl. Now to a boy whose tastes are simple and whose wants are few, this is an easy problem.

He could tell you in five minutes just what he would do with it. But to the average girl, alas! I have thought and thought again only to come the same conclusion. That there are so many beautiful things dear to a girl's heart to be obtained with ten dollars that it is almost impossible to decide among them.

First I had a vision of a new dress. Just the latest outfit. I had even planned for the trimmings and was happy in contemplation of what to me would be the prettiest suit imaginable.

But this happy state of mind lasted only a short time. For if I spent the ten dollars for a dress, how could I get the pictures for my room that I had wanted so badly. The very word pictures made me clap my hands and exclaim, "O, now I know just how to spend the ten dollars."

During the holidays I had made a study of many of the Christmas pictures. I had learned to know and love Raphael's "Madonnas," Corregio's "Holy Night" and Murillo's "Holy Family."

When I went to Boston I had looked longingly at many of these pictures in the windows and wished I could have even one for my own. Now I should be able to have a collection of them.

How the vision of my dress faded from my view! And I didn't even care to recall it. I was far happier in mentally arranging my pictures and in imagining the pleasure in showing them to the other girls when they visited me.

I had almost decided to spend the whole ten dollars for pictures when an unsatisfactory feeling crept over me.

Would it be best to spend all for pictures? For I then thought of several books that I had wanted for a long time.

Wouldn't the unexpected gift of ten dollars furnish a splendid opportunity to get some nice books of poems that I had often wished to own. Yes, there was my chance. The scene again changed. It dealt no more with dresses or pictures.

Our dear friend, Miss Wilde, had advised the classes in regard to giving books to the school and she had spoken of the importance of a school library. I pictured her pleasure on hearing that I was going to have a nice collection of books for home reading. I was very happy in planning as to the selection I could make.

But when it came to the final decision as usual my mind hesitated. The beautifully trimmed dress, the lovely pictures, the interesting books, all came before my brain in a confusion that was rather dazzling. Each had its own argument. I wanted each and I could not have all.

My head fairly ached from trying to make a good choice. You will say it ached from changing my mind so often, and perhaps you are right.

However in the midst of my confusion a beautiful thought came to me which was as helpful as the kind fairies are to troubled people in story books.

It was simply this, that although my plans were good in many ways they were all somewhat selfish and that is one reason why I had so much difficulty in deciding.

This suggested something which gave me even greater pleasure than all my other plans.

You will agree that it was a good fairy who, as in old times, helped me as if by magic.

I then decided to spend half of my money for books for which I had longed.

The other half would be spent: first in buying s small sewing table for my mother which I knew she would like; next in buying a pretty doll for a little friend whose only doll had met with a serious accident shortly after its arrival at Christmas, and over whose loss its little owner had wept for many days; and last in getting some beautiful flowers for a dear sick friend whom I was to visit soon.

Although the question has been a trying one and has cost me many hours of worry, I have learned this lesson, that there is as much pleasure in planning how to spend money as in the actual spending, and that the truest happiness comes from purely unselfish motives.

Miss Mary O'Rourke.
Jonas Perkins School.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day
Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)
Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

—Souvenir Patriots for sale at Ledger office.

—Business men of sound judgment seem to think the chance offered the Fitchburg by the Boston & Maine is an excellent opportunity.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE
Who are injured by the use or coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

UNFAVORABLE WEATHER CONDITIONS

Have Somewhat Retarded General Business. Spring Trade Outlook Is Unimpaired.

New York, Feb. 10.—Bradstreet's says: The strength of staples, and particularly those of agricultural origin, is the leading feature this week, as last. In general trade weather conditions have not favored a large distribution, but comparisons with a year ago are still quite favorable. Enlarged speculation is reflected in increased clearings and comparisons with last year are again encouraging, while gains over years previous to 1899 are very marked.

In strength of demand and size of advance, cotton is easily first. The strength of the raw product naturally affects manufactured goods, which are very firm and in good demand from jobbers. Recent rains have increased the supply of water and New England mills are now running to their fullest capacity. Southern manufacturers are very busy and will use one-sixth of the south's total cotton production this season.

Corn is higher, partly in sympathy with wheat, but also on reports of damage to the Argentine crop by heat. Provisions have been quite strong throughout the week, and active demand is responsible for higher prices of pork and lard.

Hides and leather are firmly maintained, though reports from the boot and shoe trade of current business are not very good.

Fine grades of wool are quiet, but there is still an urgent demand for medium grades. Reports from the woolen goods trade continue favorable to a high degree and firm or higher prices are regarded as a certainty for the future.

Unfavorable weather has affected distribution in most sections this week, but mail orders have been of fair size and the spring trade outlook continues unimpaired.

Business failures in the United States for the week number 231, as compared with 193 in this week a year ago and 278 in 1898.

A Gauzy Tale.

London, Feb. 10.—Edmund E. Galer, described as a naval cadet on board the steamer St. Louis, was arrested at Southampton on the charge of stealing two bills of acceptance for 21,134 marks in transit from Berlin to New York, the property of Clifton J. Morehouse. Galer says he picked up the bills on the docks of Southampton and, as he had gambled on board the St. Louis and lost all his money, he thought there was no harm in negotiating the bills. He was remanded for a week.

Hay Ge's His Exequatur.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Secretary Hay has received a cablegram from Adelbert Hay, United States consul at Pretoria, stating that he had received his exequatur Wednesday, and that matters were very satisfactory. This disposes of the apprehension that existed in some quarters that the Boer government might decline to receive Mr. Hay because of the failure of Colonel O'Beirne to receive recognition from our government as diplomatic representative of the Transvaal.

Became Insane In Prison.

Boston, Feb. 10.—Giuseppe De Salvo, one of the most vicious and notorious of the gang of Italian counterfeiters captured here early last spring, and sentenced to eight years in state prison, is now declared to be insane. It is said that De Salvo has attempted serious assaults on his fellow prisoners at the Charlestown institution.

The Stranded Gate City.

New York, Feb. 10.—The stranded steamer Gate City, which went ashore on the outer bar off East Moriches, Long Island, has floated up over the sandbar to within about 300 yards of the mainland. The steamer is lying easy in the sand, and the only danger is thought to be in the event of a storm arising.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

President McKinley has been notified of his election as an honorary member of Columbia lodge of Master Masons of London.

Freeman, who played right field for the Washington ball club last year, has received notice that Boston had purchased his release. Freeman is pleased with his transfer. He will play right field for Boston.

John Caldwell, 55 years old, was killed while oiling machinery at a glue factory in Brighton district, Boston.

The benefit performance given in the Empire theatre, New York, for the benefit of the English soldiers in South Africa, and the widows and children of the American soldiers who fought in the Philippines, netted about $6000.

The Prairie has sailed from Baltimore for Newcastle, Eng., with the crew for the Albany and government exhibit for the Paris exposition.

Will Colson, colored, was hanged at Birmingham, Ala., for the murder of Chief Deputy Sheriff Robert Warnock, on Nov. 28, 1898.

Fire at Sebago Lake, Me., destroyed all J. S. Webster's buildings. Loss, $5000.

Sir Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, who was taken suddenly ill with gastritis in the house of commons, has practically recovered.

Mrs. Frances Forsyth, a widow, was burned to death at Halifax by a lamp exploding in her room.

Herr Sternberg, a Berlin banker, has been arrested on a charge of fraudulent practice. He furnished bail to the amount of 1,000,000 marks.

F. G. Mitchell, the Portland, Me., letter carrier indicted for stealing letters, was sentenced to 15 months' imprisonment at hard labor in jail.

About $3400 has been subscribed or paid into the fund that is being raised to erect a parish house for St. Peter's church, Bennington, Vt.

An American freshman at McGill university was knocked down and ducked in the dissenting bath for criticising the British troops in South Africa. The student had referred to the British officers as "asses" and the troops as "cowards."

Arthur J. Snow, embezzler of the Wells Fargo company of New York, has been bound over at Montreal for extradition.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r *6 12	abc	6 32	*5 53	ihgfedcba	6 22 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 23	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
9 33	a	9 51	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32			

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b, Norfolk Downs.	g, Savin Hill.
c, Atlantic.	h, Crescent Avenue.
d, Neponset.	i, South Boston.
e, Pope's Hill,	r, Quincy Adams.

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	48	41	40	22	32
Monday,	39	41	24	43	33
Tuesday,	33	30	34	40	41
Wednesday,	37	39	32	36	45
Thursday,	45	20	30	43	50
Friday,	43	20	15	42	41
Saturday,	41	21	10	50	32

New Advertisements Today.

To Let—Two Half-houses.
Hearings—State House (3).
Q. F. R.A.—Annual Meeting.

Good Afternoon.

The annual budget of Brockton as ported makes a reduction of $14,200 from the appropriations of 1899. Even then it is not expected to reduce the tax rate below $20 per $1,000. The city must this year raise by taxation to pay debt the sum of $80,730.00, and for interest $43,185.34. The trouble nowadays is that cities have too much debt and interest. If the amount could be expended directly how much it could accomplish.

There should be oppo sition on Tuesday at the hearing of the Committee on Counties of the legislature, on the bill to provide accommodation in Boston for the Norfolk probate court. Possibly it would be more convenient for some, but the proper place to do business of the county is in Norfolk county, especially as Boston is drawing the line closer and closer as to the employment of non-residents and the purchase of material and supplies.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ To drop Bryan and make Olney the candidate would accomplish the swift regeneration of the Democratic party. It would mark a return to the old faith, for Richard Olney is a democrat. There is not a drop of populist blood in him. It would be a great casting out of the devils that entered in at the Chicago convention. The party would be cleansed and sound. Men of brains and character would not be ashamed to act with it.—New York Times.

☞ How far the evidence given before the legislative committee which is investigating the gypsy moth "extermination" can be relied on we cannot judge fairly. In some of its details we suspect that there is exaggeration, if not absolute lying. Testimony which comes from men who have been discharged must always be regarded with caution. However, the evidence all goes toward the substantiation of the charges that unworthy and even corrupt means have been employed to keep the campaign going and to secure appropriations. A newspaper man, after hearing the testimony remarked that the subject seemed to him to be one for investigation by a grand jury rather than by a legislative committee. Most readers of the reports will easily reach the same conclusion.—New Bedford Standard.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Margaret Denward was called, and placed on file.

Elizabeth Robertson, aged 11, and James Robertson, aged 15 years, were arraigned for violating the town by-laws at Milton. Cases continued until next Thursday.

☞ Furniture reupholstered and repaired Mattresses made over. Carpets cleaned. Window Shades to order. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the district court next Tuesday:

191—Blanchard vs. Belcher.
261—Worcester Corset Co. vs. Furber.
261—Worcester Corset Co. vs. Furber.
13—Worcester et al vs. Fogg.

—While many people grumble at the uncertainty of the climate of Eastern Massachusetts, a mild winter is something which, after all, prevents much suffering among the poor, and, indeed, among many people who are no poorer than most of us.—Norwood Advertiser.

GRAND CONCERT OF CHORAL SOCIETY.

Said to Have Been the Best of Many Excellent Ones Which Have Been Given at Braintree Town Hall.



The sixth concert of the Union Choral Society was held in the town hall last night. Without doubt it was the most successful concert of the society, the hall being completely filled with friends of the singers.

Mrs. Martha Dana Shepard, conductor, familiar to most of the audience, led the chorus with remarkable vim. Every motion she made seem to to encourage the singers in the choruses.

The following program was rendered, with great applause:

THE HOLY CITY.

PART 1.—CONTEMPLATION.

Introduction, (Instrumental).
Chorus—Tenor Solo and Chorus,—
No Shadows Yonder.
Tenor Solo,—My Soul is Athirst for God.
Trio,—At Eventide It Shall Be Light.
Mrs. Frazier, Mrs. Worster, Miss Lang
Chorus,—They That Sow in Tears.
Contralto Solo,—Eye Hath Not Seen.
Chorus,—For Thee, O Dear, Dear Country.
Chorus,—Thine Is the Kingdom.

PART 2.—ADORATION.

Intermezzo (Instrumental).
Baritone Solo,—A New Heaven and a New Earth
Choral Sanctus,—Holy, Holy, Holy.
Double Chorus,—Let the Heavens Rejoice.
Tenor Solo,—To the Lord Our God.
Soprano Solo,—These Are They Which Came Out of Great Tribulation.
Soprano and Contralto Duet,—They Shall Hunger No More.
Ladies' Quartet,—List! the Cherubic Host.
Mrs. Frazier, Mrs. Worster, Miss Gutterson, Miss Lang.
Baritone Solo, } And I Heard the Voice of
Ladies' Trio, } Harpers.
Chorus,—Great and Marvellous Are Thy Works.
Chorus,—The Revellers.
Soprano Solo,—For All Eternity. Miss Morse
Male Chorus,—In Picardie.
Contralto Solo,— Mrs. Hunt.
(a) My Lover Sang. (b) Invano.
Ladies Chorus,—Boating Song.
Tenor Solo,—Madrienne. Mr. Scanlan
Male Chorus,—Doan ye cry, ma Honey.
Baritone Solo,—The Vulcan Song. Dr. Rice
Chorus,—The Caravan.

Over 400 people were in the hall, about 100 of whom were in the concert. Several members of the Old Stoughton Society were present including Editor Huxford; and we noticed many friends also from Quincy, Weymouth, Randolph and Brockton.

Today we have heard several say "It was the best concert ever given by the society."

Much credit is due to the executive committee in arranging such an elaborate program. The president, Mr. E. W. Stone exerted every effort to have the rehearsals well attended, conducted the society in the proper channels, and won the respect of all the members.

Conrad Crooker showed his ability as a first-class ticket seller, ad solicitor, etc.

The programs were gotten out by George W. Prescott & Sons.

Adams Chapter.

The monthly meeting of Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution was held on Monday afternoon, February fifth, with Miss Annie Lincoln Prescott. There was a large attendance, about forty ladies being present notwithstanding the disagreeable weather.

Guests of honor were Mrs. David L. Jewell of Wollaston, and Mrs. George W. Yeaton of Allston. Several old members were warmly welcomed and enjoyed the afternoon.

After a brief business meeting the rest of the afternoon was given over to historical papers and a social time. It was a Quincy afternoon, as the two papers read were on Quincy history. The first was on "The North Precinct or Quincy" written by Miss Prescott and read by Mrs. Francis Guild Mayo. The second on "Historic Home of Quincy." Both papers were very interesting that of Mrs. Jewell's being particularly bright and entertaining and much enjoyed.

Refreshments were served during the social hour that followed. Mrs. George T. Magee, poured tea and Miss Alice Keith Prescott the chocolate. They were assisted by Mrs. Frank F. Prescott, Mrs. Francis Guild Mayo, Miss Emily C. Wild and Miss Prescott.

The committee for the afternoon were Mrs. Frank F. Prescott, Mrs. Mayo, Mrs. Magee and Miss Annie L. Prescott.

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New Charitable Society.

A Charitable society has recently been organized among the ladies of St. Mary's church whose mission will be to aid the poor of the parish. The officers are Mrs. Peter Dolan, President; Miss Teresa Kelley, secretary; Mrs. Thomas F. Mannex, treasurer. director, Rev. William Foley; executive committee, Mrs. O'Keefe, Mrs. Michael Riely, Mrs. Adam Vogel, Miss Mary F. White, Mrs. William Teasdale. The society will hold a sunlight party at St. Mary's hall on the afternoon of Washington's birthday.

Fires of Years Ago.

Questions have been asked in regard to several fires of years ago and to these the Ledger gives the following dates:

Episcopal church,—Nov. 19, 1859, and Nov. 1, 1873.

Niagara engine house, Jan. 22, 1876. The latter house was located on the corner of Washington and Canal streets and was the first engine ever burned in Quincy.

Vespers at Wollaston.

The following is the music for vespers at the Wollaston Unitarian church at 4 o'clock.

"The Pillars of the Earth," Tours
"My Soul Longeth," Marston
"Hear, O Father," Ludden
"Crucifix," Tenor and bass, Faure
"Salve Regina," Contralto, Saint Saens

Miss Cora Hayden, soprano; Miss Ida G. Haynes, contralto; Prof. J. H. Makan, tenor; Mr. E. Walter Arnold, bass; Mr. John E. Nickerson, organist.

—It looks as if a subway under Washington street, in Boston, is inevitable. The only question is whether it shall be built now or later. Perhaps it will be as well to wait and see what effect the opening of the elevated railway has.—Somerville Journal.

—President McKinley attained his 57th birthday last week, and received many congratulations from visitors and a large number of cablegrams and telegrams felicitating him upon the occasion.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Fair again.

Easter will come April 15 this year.

Time loans are made at three and 3-4 to four and 1-2.

Probate court in Quincy next Wednesday morning.

The city has purchased the Beale lot for a fire station.

The City Council Committee on Streets met last evening.

Although predicted, the low temperature this morning was a surprise.

The Sons and Daughters of St. George are to hold a concert and dance Feb. 21.

Bishop Lawerence will make his annual visitation to Christ church Sunday evening, April 1.

The City Council Committee on Finance will meet next Monday evening and the Committee on ordinances on Thursday evening.

Rev. James Dunlop will act as moderator of the session during the vacancy of the pasorate of the Water Street Presbyterian church.

Rev. Edward Norton, pastor emeritus of Bethany church, officiated Wednesday at the funeral of Mrs. Harriet A. Curtis of Dorchester.

The annual supper of the Unity Circle of King's Daughters will be held in the Bethany chapel next Tuesday evening. There will be a business meeting at 5.30 to be followed by a supper.

The Ladies' Association of the Universalist church will give a supper and social at the church vestry, Wednesday evening, Feb. 14. Everybody welcome.

Commencing Sunday the train leaving Boston for South Braintree on Sundays at 8:28 P. M., will be extended to Campello. Returning will leave Campello 9:34 P. M. Brockton 9:38 P. M. South Braintree 9:58 P. M., and stations between South Braintree and Boston on same schedule as heretofore.

The new order of Mayor Hall having City Hall kept open continuously between the hours of 8 A. M., and 5 P. M., and on Monday and Thursday evenings meets with general favor among the citizens, many of whom have heretofore found it difficult to find time to transact any business necessary at City Hall without losing valuable time from their work.

L. Willard Morrison met with quite a painful accident on Saturday at his laundry at Quincy. While adjusting a part of the machiney his hands were caught and drawn in between the hot rolls used in ironing and severely bruised and burned, the right one being injured the most severely. Although the wounds were very painful it is thought no bones were broken and recovery will be rapid.

The Catholic parish of Quincy is looking about for a cemetery, and have made advances for the John Q. A. Field farm on Independence avenue. Now that the cemeteries at West Quincy are in St. Mary's parish it is natural that a separate cemetery should be desired. The proposed site would be an excellent one for a cemetery for both Quincy and Braintree.

Another public meeting of the new social club at Norfolk Downs, was held in Poland block Wednesday evening. A tabulated statement was presented in detail with probable expense and receipts for the first twelve months that it will have been organized showing a favorable net profit. The statement was prepared on a basis of a charter membership of seventy-five and the executive committee considers it inadvisable to organize without the membership fee of $5.00 for this number having been paid in.

Q. F. R. A.

THE Annual Meeting of the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association will be held SATURDAY Evening, Feb. 17, at 7.30 o'clock, at the Central Fire Station on Quincy avenue.

P. J. WILLIAMS, President.
J. F. MORRISSEY, Clerk.
Feb. 10. 1t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 9, 1900.

THE Special Committee on Gypsy Moths will give a hearing to parties interested in the extermination of the moths, at room No. 431, State House, on TUESDAY, Feb. 13, at 10 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
TEMPLE A. WINSLOE,
Feb. 10-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 8th, 1900.

THE Committee on Counties will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 449, that accommodations for the Norfolk Probate Court be provided in Boston, at room No. 425, State House, on TUESDAY, Feb. 13th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

JOHN E. PARRY, Chairman.
CHARLES A. CARRUTH,
Feb. 10-1t Clerk of the Committee.

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THE Special Committee on Gypsy Moth will give a hearing to parties interested in the extermination of moths, at room No. 431, State House, on MONDAY, Feb. 12, at 10 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
TEMPLE A. WINSLOE,
Feb. 10-1t Clerk of the Committee.

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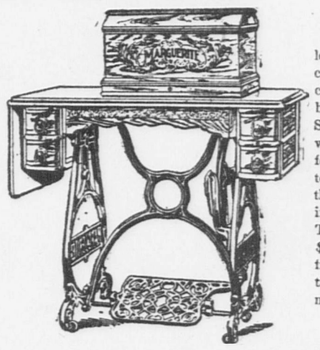


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Which shall contain the merit sought
Of being new? And yet the theme I sing
Must be with love and sweetness fraught
And love is old aye, old as time!
And sweetness? Why, all love is sweet—
Therefore is sweetness old. Alas! my rhyme
Bears no new sentiment thee to greet.
But, after all, why seek for passion new,
When all past time no dearer joy can claim
So send I all my love, fond tender, true,
And pray thee, sweetheart, send thou me the same. —Laura Berteaux Bell.

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Miss Elizabeth Adams of Elm street observed her 92th birthday Thursday. Miss Adams health is unusually good.

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That charming song "My Lover Sang," composed by Mrs. Harry W. Porter, was sung by Mrs. Helen Allen Hunt, at the Union Choral society concert at Braintree last evening.

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The Friday club is to meet next Friday afternoon, Feb. 16 with Mrs. A. E. Sproul. It will be a large meeting as the Junior Friday club has been invited to attend. Mrs. Walter T. Babcock has charge of the programme. The study of John Milton will be continued by papers on him as the poet, etc. There will also be papers on John Bunyan, the immortal dreamer, and music.

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Miss Annie A. Stevens of Watertown has been spending the week with her brother, William M. Stevens, on Taylor street, Braintree.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hayes chaperoned a party of West Quincy young people who went to a whist party at Cambridge Thursday evening.

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The Washington Birthday ball in aid of the vacation school work of the Quincy Home Science association, for which arrangements have been quietly progressing during the past three weeks, promises to be a charming affair. Many Quincy people of social prominence are interested in its success and are co-operating with the ball committee. Your prettiest gowns, if you please, ladies!

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The Gleaners circle of King's Daughters will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Wellington Record, Newport avenue, on Monday next, at 2.30 P. M.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Thayer of Braintree returned from a week's visit to Mrs. Thayer's parents in Kingston, Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Connolly of Cottage street observed their silver wedding on Wednesday evening.

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Mrs. David L. Jewell of Wollaston read her very entertaining paper on "The Historic Homes of Quincy" at the February meeting of Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution with Miss Annie L. Prescott, on Monday afternoon.

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The committee from the Braintree club met Tuesday evening and made arrangments to hold their third "Ladies' night," in their rooms on Holbrook avenue on Friday evening next.

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Mrs. F. N. Bates of Wollaston is entertainiinng her sister, Miss Susan Thayer, of Cohasset.

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Misses Bessie and Ethel Powell entertained friends at whist at the residence of their uncle, Dr. George R. England on Thursday evening.

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The Old Maids' Whist club of Brainutree was entertained by Miss Ethel Brooks at her home on Franklin street Tuesday evening. The awards were taken by Miss Mamie Foss and Miss Louise Carver.

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Cards are out for the wedding of Mr. Charles Edwin Bockus, Jr., and Miss Mary Clark Hall, on Tuesday evening, February 20th, at the First Parish church, Dorchester.

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The members of the Massasolt Whist club were entertained by G. D. Willis, Jr. at his home at Braintree, uo Saturday evening. The highest score was made by Clifton Woodsum. The club will meet tonight at the home of Chester Gage.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Helen Moore of Roxbury and Mr. William Lester Bates of Hingham.

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Mrs. John W. Hersey of Coddington street was surprised by friends Thursday evening, and a few hours were spent pleasantly.

The wives and daughters of members of the Merry Mount club of Wollaston have organized an auxiliary club with the following officers: President, Mrs. Charles M. Bryant; Vice President, Mrs. Samuel S. Delano; Secretary, Mrs. E. J. Badger; Treasurer, Mrs. Frank S. Rogers.

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Miss Ellen Thompson's next talk in her course of readings at Weymouth will be on Tuesday afternoon with Miss Ella Sheppard.

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Mrs. George A. Nason Holbrook has been visiting at Wollaston this week.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Julia Barrett and Mr. Charles White, both of Weymouth.

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Mrs. A. J. Sidelinger of North Weymouth gave a afternoon tea at her home on Wednesday.

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The Hingham Bucket, published by Miss Floretta Vinning, has this week a fine cut on the first page of Rev. Charles H. Porter, Jr., pastor of the North and South Hingham Unitarian churches.

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The Matinee whist club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Granville Bowditch of Quincy avenue, Braintree, on Tuesday afternoon.

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Mrs. James H. Elcock entertained a party of young lady friends at her home on Copeland street, Thursday evening. Whist was played at which Miss May Monahan was awarded first prize and Miss May Gowan second. Refreshments were served and with music and games a very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

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Mrs. J. C. Morse of Quincy, and Mrs. A. C. Drinkwater of Braintree, will matronize the private masquerade at Faxon hall, on the afternoon of Washington's Birthday. Mr. Tyler Brigham of Wollaston, will have entire charge of the dancing.

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President Bryant is expected home on Monday. He went as far south as the Virginia Hot Springs. There is a marked improvement in his health.

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Miss Julia Sweeney of South Braintree and Mr. William Harvey of Randolph were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on Central avenue, Wednesday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Olson were surprised by a few of their many friends last evening, it being the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage. The evening was a most enjoyable one for all. Remarks were made by the Rev. Mr. Larson, pastor of the Swedish Methodist church, William Gillotte and S. Eliason, after which Mr. and Mrs. Olson were presented with a beautiful banquet lamp and some choice china. Although taken by surprise, Mr. Olson thanked his friends for their kind remembrance of himself and wife. Refreshments were served, and the remainder of the evening was passed in a social way. The guests upon leaving expressed the hope that they might again congratulate them upon their silver anniversary. Mr. Olson is one of our best known and most respected Swedish citizen.

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The Grocers banquet of Wednesday evening next is an event looked forward to with interest by many business men, as the grocers include everybody this year (except the women).

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The Hon. John Shaw was in New York this week and was registered at the Waldorf-Astoria.

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Dr. George B. Rice, was baritone soloist last evening at the concert of the Union Choral society at the Braintree Town hall.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Turner of Wollaston have decided to call their little daughter Thelma.

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Mrs. George C. Fuller entertained about fifty ladies and gentlemen at her home at Braintree, on Wednesday evening. There were eleven tables used for whist playing. Ice cream, cake, candies, etc., were served, and a very pleasant evening was spent. Mr. J. E. Arnold and Mrs. G. A. Arnold won first prizes, Mr. C. M. Smith and Mrs. J. N. Rogers, second, prize, Mr. C. J. Kellar and Mrs. J. S. Hill secured the booby prizes.

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Madam Arcan well known in Quincy has a very successful evening class in dancing at Hull.

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THE STATE HIGHWAY.

Should City Refuse the State Appropriation.

Washington Street Is in Need of Repair.

The Hitch over Release of Abutters for Damages.

The order before the City Council, to request the Massachusetts Highway Commission to release to the city any rights they may have obtained on that part of Washington street between Chubbuck street and the Quincy Point bridge is a matter that should be thoroughly considered before any action is taken.

The Highway Commission have appropriated $7,000 for this work, and the city has expended over $1,000. The plan calls for the building of a street thirty feet wide. That is, from the outer rail of the street railway track to within three feet of the sidewalk on the opposite side, the balance being reserved for a gutter.

The grade of the sidewalks are not to be changed from the present grade. The street grade will be raised about six inches on the outer edges and will have a crown of twelve inches in the centre.

There is no question but what this section of Washington street is in a deplorable condition, and it is seldom that it is not soft and muddy, between South street and the bridge. That some permanent repairs should be made is admitted, and the question is, whether to let the State do it and take care of it thereafter free of expense to the city, or whether the City Council will appropriate the necessary amount?

That there is objection to the State building it is certain from the petition. The objection is this. The Highway Commission when it takes and builds a street, asks that abutters shall sign a bond releasing the State from any claim for damages, arising from any change of grade in building the street. That is where the rub comes, and is why the abutters object and want the street released.

If the Highway commissoners release its right, and the city rebuilds the street, as it should be, the city would not ask a bond to indemnify it against claims for damages, and therefore in case of damage, real or imaginary, the city would doubtless become a party to a suit.

On the other hand, it is said, that if the abutters refuse to sign the bond above referred to, that the Highway Commission will accept a bond of the city releasing it from any claim for damages.

The question then comes, which is best to do: let the State expend $7,000 in rebuilding the street, and the city assume all claims for damages; or have the street released and the city not only furnish the $7,000 but assume the risk for damages as it would have to do; or let the street remain as it is and be an eyesore to the residents of that section, and the cause of many swear words on the part of carriage drivers and bicyclists who have occasion to use it.

At the same time it is not at all certain but what the city may be called upon at any time to defend itself in a suit for damages, as the street is becoming more and more dangerous to public travel every day.

It is an old saying, "of two evils choose the least," and in this case the lesser seems to be, to let the State go ahead and build the street as proposed if it will.

Library Statistics.

The following from the annual report of the public library at Hyde Park published in the Gazette may be of interest: For the year ending Jan. 31, 1900 the whole number of books taken out at the new public library was 36,031, against 35,268 last year, a very excellent showing in view of the fact that the library was closed from July 10, to Sept. 12, fifty-four library days. Magazines taken out for home use, 1,400. Largest daily delivery 323; smallest daily delivery 33; average daily delivery 143. The new children's room has been open seventy-six days and the number of books given out 6,636. The whole number of books added to the library by purchase and donation was 1,478.

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MUSIC HALL BUILDING, - QUINCY, MASS.

Domestic Goods.

36-in. Brown Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale, **3c** per yd
40-in. Brown Sheeting, 8c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
42-in Bleached Pillow Cotton, 8c. goods, This Sale, **6c** per yd
36-in. Bleached Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale **3c** per yd
1,000 yds. Fancy Outing Flannel, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5** and **7c** per yd
5c. Merrimac and American Prints, This Sale, **3c** per yd
7c. Simpson Dark Prints, This Sale, **4c** per yd
36-in. 10 and 8c. Percale, This Sale, **5c** per yd
2 1-2 yds. x 2 1-4--50c. Hemmed Sheets, This Sale, **30c**
10c. Pillow Cases, Best Cotton, This Sale, **5c**
1,000 yds. Colored Dress Lawns, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
12 1-2c. Plaid Dress Goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
58 in. Bleached Table Damask, 30c. goods. This Sale, **15c** Per yd
25c. Turkey Red Table Damask, This Sale, 15c. per yd
5-8 Bleached Napkins, $1.00 goods, This Sale, 75c
98c. Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 98c
98c. Blankets, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Blankets, This Sale, 98c

Children's Shirts and Drawers.

GRAY, WHITE and RIBBED.

16 in 10c. Goods, This Sale, **5c**
18 in 15c. Goods, This Sale, **8c**
20 in 18c. Goods, This Sale, **10c**
22 in 20c. Goods, This Sale, **13c**
24 in 23c. Goods, This Sale, **15c**
26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 " **18c**

Ladies' Cotton Underwear.

"CHIC" BRAND.

25 doz. NIGHT ROBES, 75c. Goods, This Sale, **39c**
15 doz. Three Tuck Yoke Band Drawers, regular 25c. goods, This Sale, **15c**

Bargains in Gent's Underwear.

25 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 25c. Goods. This Sale, **15c** each
40 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 50c. goods. This Sale, **25c** each
25 doz. Men's Wool Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 75c. goods. This Sale, **39c** each

Men's White Laundered Shirts.

$1.50 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **98c**
$1.00 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **75c**
75c. Dress Shirts, This Sale, **45c**
59c. Fancy Shirts, 2 Collars, Pair Cuffs, This Sale. **39c**

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers for Men, Women and Children for this Sale
CUT WAY DOWN.
Ladies' Storm Rubbers, 50c. Low Rubbers, 40c. Children's Storm, 40c.

Ladies' Print Wrappers.

25 doz. Best Goods, always sold for 89c., 79c. and 69c. FOR THIS SALE, **50c.**
$1.00 Wrappers, This Sale, **75c**
$1.25 Wrappers, This Sale, **$1.00**

Corsets! Corsets!

We will sell the **R. & G.** No. 101 Royal Worcester and the Ferris Waists all Nos. for **$1.00** per pair each. We will give with each pair of the above Corsets a **25c.** Gingham Kitchen Apron.

39c. Summer Corsets, This Sale, 25c
50c. Globe Corsets, This Sale, 35c
89c. Globe Corsets, This Sale, 60c

HOSIERY.

19c, Fast Black Double Sole, This Sale, 10c
37c. and 25c. Fancy Plaids, This Sale, 15c
25c. Children's Rib Double Knee. This Sale, 10c
19c. Men's Fast Black, This Sale, 10c

SMALLWARES AND NOTIONS.

10c Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 3c
15c. Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 5c
10c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 5c. doz
15c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 10c. doz
10c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 5c
19c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 10c
M & K Knitting Cotton, This Sale, 5c
19c. all Colors of Veiling, This Sale, 10c
Bargains in Laces and Hamburgs, cut way down.

KITCHEN FURNISHINGS of every description in our basement at prices for this sale cut way down.

Everything in our entire stock is marked way down; cost is lost sight of. We are bound to show to the people of Quincy and vicinity that this sale is a genuine CUT PRICE SALE. Shop anywhere, then compare our prices. We ask you to come in and see for yourself what we are doing for you we can sell you more for $1.00, than you can carry home. This Cut sale will continue until Feb. 15. New Idea Patterns this sale, 8c.

Boston Bargain Department Store,

MUSIC HALL BUILDING, QUINCY, MASS.

Cars from Braintree and Weymouth stop in front of the Store. Our Store will be closed at 6 o'clock on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Evenings until further notice.

BARNET AND CORNISH

Became Objects of Molineux's Hatred Through Blanche Chesebrough.

Was the Concrete Form of Motive In Barnet Case.

Isborne Says Man Who Caused His Death Also Sent Poison to Cornish.

New York, Feb. 10.—Manpheim Brown, the juror whose illness on Thursday prevented the resumption after recess of the trial of Roland B. Molineux, had quite recovered from his indisposition yesterday, and the trial proceeded, Assistant District Attorney Osborne resuming his argument for the prosecution, which was concluded last night.

Recorder Goff will charge the jury today, and the 12 men are expected to take up at once the question of the guilt or the innocence of the prisoner. Whether a verdict will be reached today will of course depend upon the ability of the jurymen to agree. On account of the illness of Juror Brown, despite the immense cost of this celebrated case, reaching, as it does, into the hundreds of thousands of dollars, it is not anticipated that the recorder will insist upon severe measures, or require that the jury be locked up for any considerable length of time even though they should fail to reach an agreement.

Undoubtedly the most dramatic event of the day was the attack which Mr. Osborne made upon Mrs. Molineux, since Bartow S. Weeks, the attorney for the prisoner, had already characterized the mere introduction of the evidence concerning the fact that Molineux lived with his wife before marriage under the assumed name of "Mr. Cheseborough" as "low, mean and vile."

But Mr. Osborne elected to pick up the gage of battle thrown down before him by the counsel for the defendant. The war was on in an instant when Mr. Battle, who is associated with Mr. Weeks in the defense of Molineux, objcted to Mr. Osborne's saying that Mrs. Molineux was the sole motive in the case, that Molineux had been trying to marry her and that she had only consented to marry him suddenly after Barnet, who had been a devoted admirer, was in his grave.

Mr. Osborne had just finished reading the note signed "Blanche," sent by Miss Cheseborough to Barnet during his last illness. And when Mr. Battle interposed his objections, Mr. Osborne turned as quick as a flash toward Mrs. Molineux. "There is the woman. There is the motive," he exclaimed, in tones dramatic because of their fierce intensity.

Mr. Battle still continuing to object upon the ground that the statements had not been supported by the evidence, Mr. Osborne's voice again rang out:

"Let the galled jade wince. I do not blame counsel for objecting. But that woman is the living, concrete form of the motive in the Barnet case, and it is undisputed that the man who sent the poison to Barnet sent the poison to Cornish. I hate to have to speak in this manner of this woman. It is shameful that Mr. Weeks brought these ladies to this court when he knew the subject of which I must speak. It is a continuation of the cowardly crime, and shows the nature of the man who would consent that his woman kind should hear such words."

General Molineux left his seat at the conclusion of this attack, leaned over the back of his wife's chair, and patted his daughter-in-law reassuringly on the shoulder. Molineux himself never moved. As for his wife, she sat with dry eyes, flushed face and tightly compressed lips.

In the closing hour, Mr. Osborne said: "Remember the Frankenstein; remember that he was built up with backbone and muscle, but his creator could not give him a soul. The defendant has no soul, or he could not laugh, as he has laughed, in this court room under circumstances that must break the hearts of his father and mother."

Says Whittamaker Knows About It.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 10.—The authorities expect to obtain important evidence regarding the assassination of Mr. Goebel from Silas Jones. Jones declares that he personally knows nothing of the crime, but says Harlan Whittaker, who was arrested immediately after the shooting while running from the executive building, from which the shots were fired, knows a great deal about the crime. It is believed that Jones gave more information than that regarding Whittaker.

☞ Glenwood Ranges make cooking easy, and cut down the coal bills. From $22.00 up. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Prince Has the War Fever.

Paris, Feb. 10.—Prince Henry of Orleans has an article in The Matin today, in the course of which he advises France to take advantage of England's difficulties. He says: "At the present time we must not content ourselves with purely negative formulas in foreign politics. We have not the right to follow events in South Africa and Egypt with complete disinterestedness."

Archbishop Williams' Decision.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 10.—The French Roman Catholics of North Brookfield, who have supported Rev. Jean Berger during the breach of peace in church circles in that town, will be declared Protestants. By a decision of Archbishop Williams, Rev. Berger must be denounced, or the congregation will continue as independent of the diocese.

The Waterbury Strike.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 10.—As a result of the strike at the Waterbury Clock company about 450 hands are now out of employment. Those directly concerned in the strike number about 100, but the disarrangement of the work at the factory, resulting from the suspension in the adjusting department, compelled 350 to quit work yesterday.

Beyond Expectations.

Havana, Feb. 10.—Alexis Frye, superintendent of Cuban schools, in his report to the governor general upon the development of the school system since the work of reorganization began six weeks ago, says that the whole country seems on fire with enthusiasm for education. The popular feeling exceeds all he had ventured to hope for.

Cleaned Out Money Drawer.

Boston, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Fannie Adams, employed in the South End bakery of Mrs. C. E. Patch, was held up by a man who entered the shop yesterday afternoon, and at the point of a revolver compelled her to give him the contents of the money drawer, about $5, with which he made his escape.

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)
Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

—The smashing of the mermaids of the Heine fountain in New York is taken as a protest against nude in art.

Naval Officers Wanted.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The navy is short on enlisted men and also of officers, and it is probable that congress will be strongly urged to act as to the latter deficiency. As for the former, all that is lacking is volunteers. As for the officers it is expected that the administration will make an effort to have the class of cadets at Annapolis increased by about 100, providing for the distribution of the new appointments among the members of the senate.

Merchants Will Get Money Back.

Washington, Feb. 10. — The small speck of trouble that existed in the relations between the United States and Nicaragua owing to the extortion of double duties from American merchants in Bluefields last summer by General Torres has been removed. The Nicaraguan judiciary has reached the conclusion that, in this particular instance, the money should be returned to the merchants.

Samoan Factions Discontented.

San Francisco, Feb. 10.—Samoan advices received by the steamer Alameda are to the effect that the agreement between the three powers as to the division of the Samoan group has caused but little real trouble, though the Malietoa and Mataafa factions were somewhat discontented, the Mataafans blaming the Malietoans for causing the trouble which brought about this result, and vice versa.

Rhode Island Solons Adjourn.

Providence, Feb. 10.—The adjournment of the general assembly yesterday was marked by the transaction of considerable business of importance. The resolution providing for an amendment to the constitution of the state was passed by both branches, as was also the appropriation bill providing for the support of the state for the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1900.

Manufacturers Blame Gompers.

Havana, Feb. 10.—Fourteen thousand men are now on strike in this city, the majority being cigar workers. Many of the cigar manufacturers attribute the spread of the strike to the presence and influence of Samuel Gompers.

Big Battle Looked For.

Colon, Feb. 10.—The report that Bogota, capital of Colombia, had fallen into the hands of the insurgents is without foundation. The insurgents are still in the department of Santander, where a big b[illegible] momentarily expected.

He Is Comforted.



The Crow—Fine feathers make short lived birds.—Nuggets.

An Insinuation.

"I don't seem to have much heart in my work lately."

"Too bad. Lemme see, when does that pretty typewriter of yours get back from her vacation?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Belated Wit.

"The wife of that humorist, Prettywit, is a very lively person. I didn't know that she set up for a joker."

"Yes, sets up for him five nights out of every six."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

An Easier Way Out.

Proprietor—If you don't stop eating so much candy, I'll have to let you go.

Drug Clerk—Oh, say now, you know I'm a valuable clerk. Suppose you just quit keeping candy.—Chicago Record.

Now He Wonders What She Meant.

"Ah, yes," he sighed; "a man can forget many things in five years."

"Yes," she replied, "but it would be disastrous if you were to do it."—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Costly Mistake.

"We made a great mistake when we named our baby Dewey."

"What makes you think so?"

"We can't refuse him anything."—Chicago Record.

A Fine Opportunity.

"I didn't know before that Mugsley was an expert in the fine arts."

"Didn't you? Why, he was police judge for three terms."

TROUBLE DOWN T' GROS'RY.

Don't ye hate to get a-talkin with a flub,
With a feller who is runnin all to nub,
With a crab who thinks he's cunnin, sort of leaves his mouth a-runnin,
Don't do nothin but just set around and fub?

When I git to takin comfort at the store,
Jeero Crismus, if it doesn't make me sore
For to have my meditation busted all to thunderation
By a gibble, gobble, gabble sort of bore.

I've set there on a salt box forty years,
And critters come along and use my ears
To dump their chitter chatter 'bout a dern fool private matter,
'Bout their fambly or some horsefish or some steers.

There are humstrums who have nothin much to say,
Who'll set and chawnk terbacker, suh, all day,
And they'll glibber off some hazy sort of talk that makes ye crazy
To smash 'em once and knock 'em out the way.

They'll spedd the day a-talkin round a pin;
Their brains is just a porridge, mighty thin;
They'll tell ye all their trouble, tell ye once and tell ye double,
Then take a breath and tell it all agin.

They think that they're the biggest with big B;
They yammer on to prove the thing to me;
They'll tritter, tritter, trotter in a half an inch of water
And reely think they're drownin in the sea.

For thunder sakes, will nothin keep 'em shet?
Why can't they let a quiet critter set?
I'm a mod'rit kind of feller, but I'll crack 'em on the smeller
If they don't pull off and leave me, now you bet.

The chaps that's always dribblin brummagem,
With nothin down their gullets, suh, but phlegm,
Would suit the neighbors better if they'd only stop and let a
Chap remember that there's som' 'un else 'sides them.

Don't ye hate, suh, to git cornered by a flub,
Who thinks the world's a wheel and he's the hub,
When he spouts his langwidge fountain, I'm goin to climb a mountain,
'Cause the law won't let me mash him with a club.

—Lewiston Journal.

A Blessing In Disguise.

"A big fambly," said the old colored inhabitant, "is sometimes a great blessin ter a po' man. I got nine sons, all en young. One got run over by a railroad, en I got damages out er him; n'er one had a leg shot off durin de last war, en de guv'mint come up han'some fer him; en all de res' er dem has had de good luck ter git hutted in some way, en ever' time dat come I got de damages, so in my ol' age I feelin mighty comfortable, en I rises up en calls dem chillun blessed!" — Atlanta Constitution.

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Quincy, Jan. 31.

PICKLES

Pickles are all right [if] may understand sel[ling] and still make a ve[ry] knowledge of drugs a[nd] find time to extend the limits of the legi[timate] would make a very p[oor] pickles, but with my a druggist, 11 of which I point with pardonab[le] I have today the larg[est] most complete drug s[tock] been my constant en[deavor] customer entering my in my chosen professi[on] me that my efforts people of Quincy.

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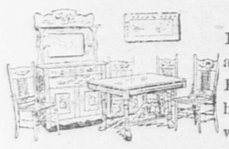
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Pickles are all right in their place but a man may understand selling pickles thoroughly and still make a very poor showing in his knowledge of drugs and medicines. I do not find time to extend my business outside of the limits of the legitimate drug business. I would make a very poor artist in the sale of pickles, but with my 20 years experience as a druggist, 11 of which I have spent in Quincy, I point with pardonable pride to the fact that I have today the largest, best appointed and most complete drug store in this city. It has been my constant endeavor to please every customer entering my store, and my success in my chosen profession can not but convince me that my efforts are appreciated by the people of Quincy.

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FORES OF MUTTON,	5 cts. lb.	PIGS FEET,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEG and LOIN LAMB,	10 cts. lb.	HONEY COMB TRIPE,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
FORES OF LAMB,	6 cts. lb.		
ROAST BEEF,	6 to 12 1-2 cts. lb.	PLAIN TRIPE,	5 cts. lb.
SIRLOIN STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.	FRANKFORTS,	10 cts. lb.
RUMP STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.	FRESH SHOULDERS of PORK,	8 cts. lb
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QUINCY DAILY LEDGER.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

TIED BY BOTH LEGS.

Army Rendered Helpless by Chamberlain and Rhodes.

Criticisms of Prevarications by the Government.

Terrible Strength and Activity of Boer Artillery Fully Realized.

Starvation Rations at Kimberley and the Death Rate Is Greatly Increased.

London, Feb. 12.—Today sees the beginning of the fifth month of the war. Charles Williams, the military expert, says: "After all this interval our fine, big army, instead of being free to maneuver in the field, is tied by the left leg to Kimberley, in order to please Cecil Rhodes, and by the right leg to Ladysmith, in order to please Joseph Chamberlain. Yet neither town has the very smallest military value."

Spenser Wilkinson, in The Morning Post today, dwells upon the evidence of the unexpected activity and probably numbers of the Boers near Colesberg, where they are not enclosed, but only half surrounded on the south. He points out that the Boer positions cover a front of 20 miles, and infers that there must be several thousand of the enemy on the ground.

He expresses the hope that the rumor from Durban that a Boer force is advancing in the hope of outflanking General Buller is correct, for he considers that General Joubert would thus expose himself to just the sort of blow it is so difficult to deliver against the fortified positions north of the Tugela.

The latest dispatches from the front showing the real reasons for General Buller's retirement and his intention to try again, quite destroy the comforting and ingenious theory that the movement was an elaborate feint to facilitate the main advance of Lord Roberts, a theory which obtained acceptance largely because of Mr. Balfour's misleading statement to parliament.

These seemingly useless reticences and prevarications on the part of the government and the war office are beginning to be criticised severely. No word has yet issued from the war office regarding General Buller's latest attempt, although the correspondents are allowed to telegraph with a fair amount of freedom and, thus far, only a partial list of casualties has been published. The dating of messages from Frere camp may indicate that General Buller has withdrawn all his forces there.

The London newspapers, having become accustomed to checks, maintain a hopeful tone, but the situation is much more threatening than it seemed to be a week ago. Proofs of the terrible strength and mobility of the Boer artillery, together with the rumor that General Joubert is taking the initiative with the object of cutting off General Buller's communications, are in no way reassuring.

Even the most sanguine persons begin to see that it is quite hopeless to execute the relief of Ladysmith; while it is clear that, if it be impossible for Buller to reach Ladysmith, it is equally impossible for the garrison, exhausted by sickness and privations, to cut a way out.

Reports of the Boer advance through Zululand are disquieting. If they should be able to strike at Greytown, General Buller would be compelled to turn his attention to the eastern side of Natal.

The fact that Lord Roberts arrived at Modder Friday seems to show that he has been on a round of inspection of the chief commands, and that the main advance is not so near as has been supposed.

Startling intelligence comes from Kimberley in the Cape newspapers just received by mail in London. It appears that since Jan. 8 the rations at Kimberley have been for the most part horse flesh, so repugnant to women and children that many refuse to eat. It also appears that the death rate has been heavy, and that the privations of the garrison have been increasing steadily.

This news is startling because the censor has not allowed it to be cabled. Possibly such conditions explain the presence of Lord Roberts at Modder River and the apparent preparations for an advance from that point.

The mention in the dispatch of Lord Roberts to the war office yesterday of General Clements as commanding at Rensburg is interpreted to show that General French, with his cavalry, has gone to join Lord Roberts, and that considerable changes in the distribution of troops in that district have occurred. The unexpected strength and activity of the Boers at Rensburg, where they are reported as rather pressing the British than being pressed by them, causes anxiety.

There is no confirmation of the report of a sortie from Ladysmith. The latest dispatch from there, dated Wednesday last, reports that all was quiet then, and that instructions had been issued to beware of the possible approach of Boers in the guise of a British relief force.

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FITZGERALD'S EXPLANATION

Of Why He Helped Distribute Circulars Criticising the Administration.

Boston, Feb. 12.—Congressman Fitzgerald was asked to state his position last evening relative to the controversy between Jams Stillman and the postoffice department regarding the distribution of a publication written by Mr. Stillman criticising the administration's course in the Philippines. Fitzgerald said:

"I know nothing of the merits of the controversy between Stillman and the postoffice department as regards the question as to whether Stillman's pamphlet contains statements which might be considered as treason to the government. What I did in the matter of assisting in the sending of these pamphlets to the members of congress I am perfectly willing to stand by. Stillman, who seemed to me to be a very worthy man, came to my office with his pamphlet and said he would like to put a copy of the document into the hands of each member of congress.

"He said he had not the means of sending them through the mail, and asked me if I would not mail them to the members of the house and senate if he sent them by express to me at Washington.

"I told him I would be glad to see that they were delivered if he would take the envelopes which were in my office at the time, write the addresses on the envelope of each member of the house and senate and forward the circulars to Washington and I would see that they would be delivered.

"What I did in the matter was guided purely by a desire to help Stillman in the matter of disseminating his opinions among the members of congress."

Wainwright's Promotion.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 12.—Commander Richard Wainwright was taken completely by surprise by the receipt of the news of his appointment as superintendent of the naval academy at this place.



LIEUTENANT COMMANDER WAINWRIGHT to succeed Admiral McNair. The first intimation he had had of it came in the form of several congratulatory telegrams, which reached him on board the ship Santee, where he had been entertaining some friends at dinner.

A Texas Lynching.

Port Arthur, Tex., Feb. 12.—James Sweeney, was lynched by a mob here yesterday for killing Charles Crumback with a bayonet on Feb. 1. Sweeney was indicted for murder in the first degree. He was placed on trial at Beaumont Friday, and Saturday night the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty." As soon as he was released Sweeney returned to Port Arthur. A mob met him at the depot, marched him up town and strung him up to a telegraph pole. In the first attempt the rope broke. The second attempt was successful.

National Club Will Sue.

San Francisco, Feb. 12.—The news that the Corbett-Jeffries fight would not take place in this city came as a great surprise. J. D. Gibbs, manager of the National club, said: "It confirms the feeling that I have had all along that the backers of Corbett and Jeffries were not sincere in their negotiations with the National club. They used it to get better terms in the east. We will bring suit for the $5000 forfeit money."

To Employ Non Union Men.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Instead of allowing the building industries of Chicago to be tied up for an indefinite period, members of the Contractors' association have decided to try to employ non-union men to complete the buildings now in process of construction. This decision was announced yesterday. As an outcome of the announcement the union men have decided to picket all the buildings being erected in Chicago.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The New England Intercollegiate Athletic association has determined to hold the annual field day at Worcester, the athletic events being held there and the bicycle races at the Charles River park, Boston.

Bear Chief, the oldest chief of the Pe-Ta-Wow-Eh-Rat band of Pawnee Indians, is dead. He was one of the most intellectual men of his tribe.

Rev. Louis D. Senez, rector of St. Mary's Roman Catholic church in Jersey City, is dead. He had been pastor of St. Mary's for the last 40 years.

The electrical industries in Canada have doubled their output so far over the preceding year's business. The workshops are crowded with orders.

Thomas G. Merrill, widely known as an energetic worker in the silver cause, died at Salt Lake City of pneumonia. Mr. Merrill was interested in mining properties in Utah, Colorado and Montana.

IN THE FIRST DEGREE,

Roland B. Molineux Found Guilty of Murdering Mrs. Kate J. Adams.

Jury Returns the Verdict Without Recommendation.

Prisoner Showed No Emotion at Decision Which Meant Death For Him.

New York, Feb. 12.—Roland B. Molineux was found guilty of murder in the first degree a few minutes before 11 o'clock Saturday night. The jury was out a little less than eight hours. There was no recommendation of any kind.

The convicted man received the verdict with the utmost calmness. He threw his head back in defiance, a quick quick indrawn breath expanded his chest. That was all.

General Molineux and his sons, Cecil and Leslie, sat near the prisoner. The old man, who has been so devoted to his son, and so confident of his innocence in spite of the awful accusation made against him, received the blow like a soldier face to face with the enemy.

Twice during the evening the jurymen had asked for instructions from the recorder or for certain exhibits in evidence. But just before the clock struck 11 a whisper ran through the courtroom that an agreement had been reached, and a moment later the jurymen filed in and took their seats.

The clerk asked the usual questions of the foreman and his fellows. It ran according to the usual formula: "Gentlemen of the jury, have you agreed upon a verdict?" Do you find the defendent guilty or not guilty?"

"Guilty of murder in the first degree," said Foreman Martin. A mighty murmur ran through the courtroom, and then there was deep silence for a moment. The crowd took a long breath, as one man, and exhaled it in a great sigh. Molineux was guilty.

Roland Burnham Molineux, the second of three sons of General Edward L. Molineux, was arrested on Feb. 24, 1899, at the close of Coroner Hart's inquest into the death of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams, who, on Dec. 28, 1898, took a dose of supposed bromo seltzer, administered to her by Harry S. Cornish, a boarder in her flat. Cornish, according to his own statement, and the statement of other persons present at the time, received the bromo seltzer bottle in a package through the mails on Dec. 24.

On the night of Dec. 27 Cornish took home with him the bottle and holder and gave it to Mrs. Florence H. Rogers, daughter of Mrs. Adams, as she said it matched some silver articles on her toilet table. He put the bottle of supposed bromo seltzer in his room with the address.

The following morning, Mrs. Adams being ill, complaining of a headache, Cornish mixed a dose, taking some of the contents of the bottle for the purpose, and gave it to Mrs. Adams. Mrs. Adams drank it, remarking that it tasted bitter. Cornish replied that he thought it was all right, and he says that he drank a part of what remained in the glass himself. He then went back to his room, and a few minutes later Mrs. Rogers summoned him, crying out that her mother had fallen unconscious. The woman never regained consciousness, and died a few minutes after the first physician arrived.

Cornish himself was taken with violent sickness, and suffered several days. Assistant Attorney McIntyre was informed of the tragedy, and the affair was reported to the coroner as a suicide.

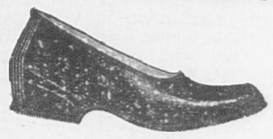
A few days later the name of Roland B. Molineux was brought into the case, and General Molineux, accompanied by his son, went to police headquarters. General Molineux was told that his son was not wanted. After the coroner's inquest and an extensive examination of handwriting, Molineux was arrested. An indictment was found against him, and later dismissed. A succeeding grand jury refused to indict, and Molineux was discharged, only to be rearrested immediately on the charge of assaulting Cornish. Then there followed another long legal battle, and Molineux was again discharged and rearrested. He waived examination on the charge of assault, and finally the July grand jury found an indictment against him in seven counts for the murder by poison of Mrs. Adams. Between the time of his arrest and the end of his trial nearly a year has elapsed, during which time the defendant has been in the tombs, while the district attorney's office and the police have scoured the country for evidence and for experts. The trial has cost about $200,000.

The condemned man had but one visitor Sunday, and the caller was his father, who has not yet given up hope and expects that the higher courts, which will be appealed to, will free his son. General Molineux remained with the prisoner for about half an hour. It was a sad scene to see father and son consoling with each other.

In Memory of Gloucester's Dead.

Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 12.—The service in memory of the fishermen of this city who perished at sea during the past year was held yesterday. Rev. E. C. Charlton presided. He read the list of men, 44 in number, who gave up their lives in the pursuit of their calling during 1899, and who left behind them 11 widows and 23 fatherless children. Rev. J. A. Mills preached the annual sermon.

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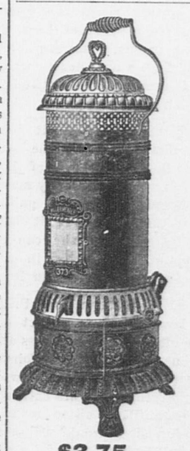
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Feb. 12. 6t

HOURS AT CITY HALL.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Mayor's Office, Feb. 7, 1900.

ON and after MONDAY, February 12, the City Hall will be open for business from 8 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. continuously, except on Saturdays when it will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M.

City Hall will also be open on Monday and Thursday evenings of each week, excepting when holidays occur on these days, from 7.30 to 8.30 P. M.

The Mayor and some of the officials will be at City Hall every evening.

JOHN O. HALL, Mayor.
Feb. 8-6t 10-2w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 9, 1900.

THE Special Committee on Gypsy Moths will give a hearing to parties interested in the extermination of the moths, at room No. 431, State House, on TUESDAY, Feb. 13, at 10 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
TEMPLE A. WINSLOE,
Feb. 10-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 9th, 1900.

THE Committee on Public Charitable Institutions will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 3, being a special report of the State board of insanity to the legislature, accompanied with a bill to provide for the care and support of the insane poor by the Commonwealth, and to establish a colony for the chronic insane, at room No. 440, State House, on WEDNESDAY, Feb. 21st, at 10.45 o'clock A. M.

HOWARD K. SANDERSON, Chairman.
WILLIAM HOPEWELL,
Feb. 12-20 Clerk of the Committee.

H. A. HAYDEN,
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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	48	9	48	26
Monday,	48	39	5	51	27
Tuesday,	—	33	12	41	29
Wednesday,	—	37	30	48	40
Thursday,	—	45	30	43	44
Friday,	—	43	40	27	41
Saturday,	—	41	50	28	42

New Advertisements Today.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Draught Screens.
Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Dining Room Sets.
Home Made—Woman's Exchange.
Auction Sale of Granite Quarry.
Hearing—State House.

Good Afternoon.

Mr. L. M. Clark's often repeated statements to the papers, anent the Quincy Yacht club's withdrawal from the Association "Concerns only the members of the club and is of little interest to the yachting world in general," etc., makes rather amusing reading, when it is considered that he used up half a column in Sunday's Globe attempting to explain from his point of view why the club withdrew from the Association, the dire penalties which he urges to be inflicted upon it, and the reasons why he thinks it should return to the fold.

The Quincy club's withdrawal is of "so little interest to the yachting world" that Sunday's Globe devotes three columns of solid matter to the subject, and the Herald two columns. In the meantime the Hull-Massachusetts and Winthrop clubs have asked to have the open racing dates mutually considered. The Quincy Yacht club will continue to do business at the old stand.

Drift of Opinion.

☞War is possible only because men have not the imagination to realize its horrors. Were they able to do that they would shrink from it as they do from private murder.—Philadelphia North American.

☞Debs says that the country's alleged prosperity is a "ghastly lie." He forgets that there are some persons with whom it is always hard times, and that they are very apt to think they are "the country."—New Bedford Standard.

☞In chatting with a clergyman recently we got to talking of labor saving devices in literary work, and he told me of a brother clergyman who had devised a system of brief long hand. It seemed to me, however, almost sacrilegious for a minister to write lje for Lord Jesus Christ.—"Gad" in New England Farmer.

☞The merits of the suit brought by Miss Blanche Bates, the actress, against a New York firm of hosiery dealers, can not be accurately measured at this distance from the published outlines of the case, but it is conclusively believed that she can maintain a claim to priority in a new method of advertising.—Lynn Item.

☞Senator Tolman of Pittsfield wants a law enacted to protect candidates for office from groundless accusations in newspapers. Mr. Tolman is off his perch. Candidates now have all the protection they are entitled to. A law prohibiting cheap men from running for office would be more to the point. The woods are full of them. —Haverhill Gazette.

☞Our Taunton newspaper friends who talk about the "personal devils" of Brockton ought not to judge all our inhabitants by the few who howl around Taunton's hotels at midnight. We don't judge Taunton by the behavior of the violent ward at her insane asiyum. Most Brocktonians are sweet and wholesome characters, who know nothing whatever about the devil —except what they read in the newspapers.—Brockton Enterprise.

☞Congressman Moody will be the Lincoln day orator at Cincinnati on the occasion of the banquet of the League of Ohio Republican clubs. Bro. Moody may be depended upon to give his hearers an address well worth listening to. If he could be induced to tell what he really thinks, in common with other progressive men, of that prince of humbugs, civil service reform, we would be willing to make a pilgrimage to Cincinnati to drink in his words.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞Those military experts who are fondling the belief that Russia would use Japan as a merry-go-round, if the two countries became involved in war, would do well to change their long distance glasses and take another glance. Then things would look different. It would be a fight to the finish, with no throwing up the sponge by the hardy and shrewd little Jap, and Russia would have a few scars on both cheeks by the time it was all over.—Portsmouth Chronicle.

☞Prof. Garner, who has spent several years in acquiring the language of some of the lower animals, has now got to that point where he can make himself understood by the chimpanzees, speaking 12 words of their language, and has taught one of them to shout fire, in French. Who know, but that advance along this line of science might after several generations of breeding by natural selection, produce animals with intelligence enough to wait upon and perform certain labor for mankind, making the lives of such creatures of some value to the world?—Malden News.

☞The new broom is trying to sweep clean at Yale. No longer can such terrible stories of depravity be told about the students, if President Hadley can enforce his rules. Poker playing and all gambling inside college precincts are prohibited, and four students who kept it up have received their dismissal. A determined effort is to be made to get the students to turn to the professor for aid when under arrest, and not find their best friends at this time in the rumsellers. It sounds as if there had been truth in the attacks made on the morals of the college, but all that can be forgotten if the reform is carried out.—Newport News.

☞The coming century will be an age of automatic labor savers, with automatic men of automatic consciences, drilled to perform routine duties in as expeditious a manner as possible. There will be no runaway horses in the business streets, and in their place will be seen and heard the merry antics of the driverless automobile, charging up trees and at curbstones, blowing out fuse or blowing up boilers with a carelessness and a disregard for human comfort known only to the automobile when in a tantrum. The coming century has an automote in its eye, but who shall say what instrument shall be used to remove it?—The Suburban.

W. B. Rice a Commissioner.

Probably it is not generally known that a Quincy gentleman is a member of the Massachusetts commission in charge of the State exhibit at the Paris Exposition, but the members of the board are George von L. Meyer of Hamilton, chairman, Charles E Adams of Lowell, Charles S. Hamlin of Boston, Agnes Irwin of Cambridge, Frances M. Lincoln of Worcester, Charles S. Lovering of Taunton, William B. Rice of Quincy and William Whiting of Holyoke.

The board has offices in the Commonwealth building. Here may be found, six days in the week, the secretary of the board, Walter S. Allen, hard at work attending to a voluminous correspondence, or getting arranged, packed and shipped, the official state exhibits. Just now, the office is a veritable beehive, for the early sailing of the U. S. S. Prairie, with national and other state exhibits, necessitates quick work in getting off as much of the Massachusetts exhibit as possible.

Lead Pipe Stolen.

Saturday, Officer McCarthy had his attention called to two fellows who were acting suspiciously on the shore of Neponset river, near the old Felt mill. He started out to investigate, but as he approached they left. His investigation brought to light a quantity of lead pipe which they had buried on the shore, and also a copper boiler. The lead pipe recovered weighed over one hundred pounds. Further investigation showed that the Pope house on Atlantic street had been entered and the place cleaned out of its lead pipe. Later in the day the officer learned who the boys were, and that evening succeeded in locating one of them at Harrison Square. This boy was placed under arrest. The young fellow proved to be John Hastings of Atlantic, aged 19 years. He spent Sunday at the police station and was taken into court this morning.

DIED.

DINEEN—In West Quincy, Feb. 9, Mrs. Ellen, wife of Mr. Daniel Dineen, aged 58 years.
FLETCHER—In Wollaston, Feb. 8, Mrs. Sarah, widow of Mr Franklin Fletcher, aged 76 years, 9 months and 11 days.
CAIN—In East Weymouth, Feb. 10, Mr. Stephen Cain, aged 60 years.

Home Made.

ANYONE Wishing Brown Bread and Baked Beans Saturdays, please leave their order at Woman's Exchange by Thursday afternoon.
Feb. 12. tf

DISASTROUS FIRE.

Large Boat Building Establishment Burned.

Also Home of the Wollaston Yacht Club.

The Loss May Exceed $15,000 —Building Flat.

The large boat building establishment of John Stuart, situated on Wollaston beach, was entirely destroyed by fire this morning. The fire was discovered by Charles F. Marr, who was awakened by a bright light illuminating his room, and he looked out just in time to see the end of the building fall in. His son was sent to Box 151, from which an alarm was turned in at 3.45. It was a long run for the department, and as the street from Hancock street to the fire was mud, mud, mud, the progress was somewhat retarded, so that when it arrived the building was nearly consumed. The steamer was located at a hydrant on Beach street, 1500 feet away and a second stream was laid by the Atlantic combination from a hydrant 1000 feet away. The distance served to delay, but in time the efforts of the firemen were directed principally to extinguishing the burning embers and saving a dwelling house adjoining.

This house was occupied by Mr. Youngquist and it was with difficulty that the family was aroused and got out. This house took fire several times, but was saved by hard work of the firemen, although it was badly scorched. Owing to the headway the fire had made when discovered, nothing whatever was saved.

Mr. Stuart occupied the entire lower part of the building for boat building, and here he had much valuable machinery, plans and models. He employed several ship carpenters, all of whom had chests of valuable tools, which were also destroyed.

Mr. Stuart had a contract to build eight torpedo boat tenders for the United States government. The models for these were in the building, and work had been commenced on the boats, parts of which had been set up. He also had just set the keel and ribs for a sixty-foot yacht for a Russian gentleman.

Besides this, there was in the building the large naptha launch Antoinette, owned by Mr. Carrier of Boston, and two smaller naptha launches owned by Mr. Stuart.

The upper part of the building was occupied by the Wollaston Yacht club as a club house. In their rooms was a piano owned by a Boston firm, and a quantity of chairs and dishes. In the club room were a number of lockers owned by members of the club, in which were stored sails, ropes, oars, etc. Just how many sails were in the building is hard to tell, at present, as all of the yachtsmen could not be found this morning.

Near the north side of the building was the yacht Muriel, owned by J. Smith, which had been hauled up for the winter. The bow and deck of this yacht were badly scorched. There was also stored near the building, the run owned by the Wollaston Yacht club, which was damaged to some extent.

Just how the fire started is a mystery. When discovered, it was on the south end of the building and it must have been burning some time, as Mr. Marr who gave the alarm, says that when he first looked out of his window the whole building was a mass of flames, and the south end was falling in.

When seen this morning, Mr. Stuart said he could give no idea of the origin of the fire. There was a boiler in the building but there had been no fire in it for several weeks, and there had been no fire of any kind in his part of the building for several days. The first he knew of the fire was when someone pounded on his door, and told him his shop was on fire.

The launch Antoinette was valued at $3,000, and was insured for $1,400.

Stuart values his building at $5,000 and the contents at $7,000 upon which he carries an insurance of $6,000.

The loss of the Wollaston Yacht club members is hard to estimate, as it is not known just what the members had stored in their lockers. It may possibly reach $1,000, upon which there is but little if any insurance.

The piano was valued at $200 and was insured. The yacht Muriel was damaged perhaps $50.

The damage to the house adjoining occupied by Mr. Youngquist was about $50.

Mr. Stuart's establishment, situated on the same site, was destroyed by fire about three years ago. This fire was also discovered in the night, and the building was nearly consumed when discovered.

This fire demonstrates the need of more hydrants in this locality. There is much valuable property here, and the nearest hydrant is on Billings road 1,00 0 feet away.

THEN THIEVES CAUGHT

Another Clever Job by Officer Barry Sunday Morning.

Shortly after 6 o'clock Sunday morning, Officer Barry was coming down Willard street on his way to report for duty. He was walking, for at that hour the street cars had not commenced to run, and the roads were not in condition for bicycling. His heart was doubtless filled with sorrow at the hard lot of a policeman who had to turn out early Sunday morning and go to work while others slept. Suddenly, a shadow crossed his vision and looking up he saw a man and boy approaching carrying between them a heavily loaded bag.

He immediately came to attention! and heading them off, by side paths known only to residents of the fourth ward, and he soon overhauled them. To his questions, the man replied that the bag contained clothing. Show it up and let me see, he demanded. "I will not" the man replied, "you have no right to make me open that bag." "Then I'll open it for you," was the quick reply. At that the man dropped the bag and started to run. Officer Barry grabbed the fellow by the collar of his coat, which the fellow quickly slipped out off, and started on the run.

Now Officer Barry is somewhat of a sprinter himself, and the fellow had not gone far before he was brought up with a start that must have unsettled his supper, if he had any. The boy was evidently too frightened to run for he remained by the bag.

Chief Ripley's residence was near by, and here the prisoners were taken. The bag was opened and inside was found eight fat hens, from whom life had not long departed.

At the police station the man gave his name as Cornelius Galvin of 157 Shawmut avenue, Boston, and the boy as Thomas Mahoney, 16 years, of 347 3d street, South Boston. The man said the hens were given him, but the boy weakened, and said that they came out from Boston the night before, and the man stole them, wrung their necks, and then handed them to him, that they stole them about 11 o'clock the night before, and that they remained in the woods all night, and were on their way to Boston when arrested. The boy could not tell just where the hens were stolen, but it was later learned that they belonged to a man by the name of Thayer of Randolph.

The police scoured West Quincy and Braintree, Sunday, but could find no one who had lost any hens. The boy said the place was a mile and a half from the West Quincy depot. As a last resort, Inspector McKay took the boy to West Quincy, and after a long tramp he led him to Thayer's place. Galvin stuck to it the hens were given to him until the last. The boy's name was later found not to be Mahoney, but Thompson. Both were in court this morning.

Birthday Party.

One of the prettiest house parties ever given in Quincy was that of Saturday evening, when Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Hunting opened their commodious and attractive house for a party in honor of Miss Marguerite Davis, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Davis, who on that date reached her eleventh birthday. The gathering was on the third floor of the house where there is a very large room with a hard floor. Dancing was the chief amusement and two pieces furnished the music. Waltzes and two steps predominated, in which all the young people are proficient. Refreshments were served and the cutting of the birthday cake was an event of interest. The ring went to Louise Randall, the money to Minnie Hardwick, and the button to Carlena Walker. About forty were present.

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TODAY'S COURT.

John H. Moran was fined $5 for using profane language on the public streets of Weymouth.

William Thompson was arraigned for the larceny of hens at Randolph from Rufus A. Thayer. Case continued until Feb. 15.

Cornelius Galvin, alias Driscoll, was sentenced to three months in the house of correction for the larceny of eight hens from Rufus A. Thayer of Randolph.

Napoleon De'Celle was fined $5; Dolar Martelle, $10; James Fraser, $7; George Trainor, $7, and Joseph Beleview, $5, for disturbing the peace at Quincy.

John Hastings was held in $300 for the grand jury for the larceny of lead pipe at Atlantic.

Daniel O'Brien was fined $5 for drunkenness at Cohasset.

Thomas H. Moore was fined $5 for drunkenness at Milton.

William Woodward was arraigned for assault on John C. Rourke at Braintree. Case continued until Feb. 26.

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TAYLOR REJECTS AGREEMENT.

His Withdrawal of Troops Does Not Appear to Have Relieved the Situation.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 12.—The collapse of the peace negotiations through Governor Taylor's rejection of the Louisville agreement and the latter's action in calling off the London legislature and partially withdrawing the troops have left the fight over state officers divested of many of its warlike features, but in a worse legal tangle than ever.

The receipt of the news at Louisville was followed immediately by a gathering of the Democratic leaders at the Willard hotel. At its conclusion Governor Beckham sent to the legislature a message reciting the failure of the peace negotiations and the conditions existing at Frankfort as seen by him and recommending that the legislature continue its session in Louisville, as he could not guarantee the personal security of the members nor protect from unwarranted interference at Frankfort.

Acting upon this suggestion the legislature decided to remain in Louisville for the present. It is probable a joint resolution will be adopted, calling for the appointment of a committee to investigate the conditions at Frankfort as far as they affect the safety of the legislature. The members do not accept Governor Taylor's action in ordering away part of the troops as restoring order under which they may return to the capitol. They say they would feel safer with the militia there than with "the irresponsible armed mountaineers who for weeks have been gathering about the state buildings" left to menace them.

All day Sunday troops poured out of Frankfort on a special train. The leaving of the troops was the only feature in the political situation in Frankfort yesterday.

Adjutant General Collier says that a few companies of infantry will be kept on duty here for a short time to guard the public buildings. They will, he says, interfere in no way with the actions of the members of the legislature.

Six Republicans came from London last night and the remainder are expected today. No intimation has been received as to whether or not the Democratic members of the legislature will adjourn their session at Louisville and come to Frankfort to take part in the general session. It is believed here, however, that they will do so, probably by the latter part of the week.

Sunday Diversion In Paris.

Paris, Feb. 12.—The funeral of the Russian Nihilist, Peter Lavrosi, yesterday, was the occasion of a big Socialist demonstration. Delegates representing revolutionary associations in all parts of Europe attended. The advance of the demonstration was marked by unceasing and increasing shouts of "Viva la commune" and Viva l'anarchie" and the singing of revolutionary songs. The police tried to seize a number of red flags, and several free fights ensued.

Not Very Complimentary.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Captain Frank M. Wells, chaplain of the First regiment of volunteers, who has just returned from the Philippine islands, spoke in Garfield Memorial church yesterday on the liquor question in the Philippines. He declared that since the Americans took Manila 400 places where liquor is sold had sprung up in Manila, while before the Americans came to the islands Manila had only three saloons.

Engineer Understood His Business.

Perry, O. T., Feb. 12.—An attempt was made to hold up a passenger train Saturday night a mile north of Perry. The bellcord was pulled and the train was slowing down, when the engineer noticed several masked men standing near the track. He opened the throttle and the train dashed by the would-be robbers, who made a futile attempt to board it.

The Gate City In Danger.

New York, Feb. 12.—The sea is growing rougher and the Gate City is still fast aground off East Moriches, L. I. Sixteen men of the crew were brought ashore yesterday, so as to make the work of taking off the remainder, 21 in number, in case of immediate danger, as easy as possible. The men landed in the breeches buoy.

Double Consecration.

St. John, Feb. 12.—The most important and impressive ceremony in the history of the Catholic church in the maritime provinces occurred yesterday, when Rev. Timothy Casey, D. D., and Rev. Thomas F. Barry, D. D., were consecrated bishops, the one coadjutor of St. John and the other coadjutor of Chatham, N. B.

Reached Port With Broken Shaft.

Halifax, Feb. 12.—The new steamer Almora arrived yesterday under her own steam, having slowly steamed nearly 600 miles to port with a broken shaft, roughly spliced with clamps and chains. The break is complete, and not a fracture.

Suicide In Police Station.

Boston, Feb. 12.—John Donahue, aged 43, who was arrested early Sunday morning for drunkenness, committed suicide in the afternoon by hanging to his cell door with a belt strap.

Representative Rivers Dead.

Boston, Feb. 12.—Representative George R. R. Rivers died yesterday at his home in Milton, after an illness of two days. Mr. Rivers was born in Providence in 1853. He was admitted to the bar of Bristol county in April, 1882. In politics he was a Democrat. He was the author of two books, entitled "The Governor's Garden," and "The Count's Snuff Box." A widow and two children survive him.

Over Their Heads.

They spoke of the mantilla.

"Is it not a poem, senor?" murmured the beautiful Castilian.

"It is a joke," he replied.

"A joke, senor?"

"It usually goes over a pretty woman's head, you know."

"Ain't you terrible, senor!"

Here she looked up at him with her great, pleading eyes.—Detroit Journal.

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Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts. lb.
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts. lb.
Round Steak,	16 cts. lb.
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BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Nelson F. Tunnicliff and Fannie C. Tunnicliff, his wife, both of Brockton, in the County of Plymouth, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Edward Billings of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth aforesaid, dated March 10, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 844, page 50, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Tuesday, March 6, 1900, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon

The premises to be sold are bounded and described as follows, viz: A certain lot of land containing 5,400 square feet with the buildings thereon situated in Quincy, Mass., and being lot No. 31, on a plan of house lots on Cranch hill made by H. T. Whitman, dated Jan. 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Plans and bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Northeasterly on Whitwell street, sixty (60) feet; southeasterly on lot No. 32 on said plan, ninety (90) feet; southwesterly on lot No. 38 on said plan, sixty (60) feet; northwesterly on lot No. 30 on said plan, ninety (90) feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Fannie C. Tunnicliff by John Swithin et al, trustees, by deed dated Jan. 25, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds is libro 819, folio 511.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Valentine day Wednesday.

The new office hours at City Hall went into effect today.

Hebert R. Holmes has moved from River street to Baxter street.

Miss Lizzie Dowd of Dorchester visited friends in Atlantic on Sunday.

Dr. Herbert S. Hayford has entirely recovered from his recent illness and has resumed practice.

The men connected with the Universalist church meet tonight to arrange for a men's supper.

Members of Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O.O. F., will make a visit to Massasoit lodge of Brockton on Thursday evening.

Master Winfred Hayden, who has been confined to the house for a long time, is slowly recovering from his sickness.

The Park Commissioners organized on Saturday with George E. Pfaffmann as chairman and James S. Whiting as secretary.

The Ledger has interviewed the author of the new Assessors' bill, and will print a lengthy statement Tuesday or Wednesday.

Mrs. Louisa P. Howard who has been staying at Hudson, Mass., for the past few weeks, has returned to her home at Quincy Point.

A waiting room at Newcomb square would be looked upon as a blessing by the patronizers of the electric cars from that point.

Council Committee meetings for this week will be: Monday, Finance; Tuesday, Public Buildings; Wednesday, Ordinances; and Friday, Streets.

A masquerade party was given at Wollaston Friday evening, attended mostly by non-residents of the ward. Over one hundred were in mask.

Rev. M. C. Ward has accepted the pastorate of the Universalist church for the ensuing year, reading his acceptance from the pulpit on Sunday.

Word has been received from Mr. S. O. Moxon and family, now of the south, but formerly of Atlantic, that their health is of the best and business very good.

The one round from Box 36 at 12.15 Sunday afternoon was a false alarm. It was probably pulled by some boy who became frightened and failed to pull the hook way down.

Miss Ellsworth of Braintree, daughter of Rev. A. A. Ellsworth sang a solo and a response at the morning service of the Washington Street Congregational church on Sunday. Her singing was enjoyed by all.

One of the new cars for the Quincy and Boston street railway was seen in the City Square Friday and Saturday. The cars are built on a very commodious plan. It is said they will seat about fifty comfortably.

Principal Harper of the High school issued cards to the pupils today showing the work each had accomplished during the past six months. These the pupils must take home to their parents, obtain their signatures and return.

William Milwitzky will give a lecture at the Washington Street Congregational church this evening. His subject will be "Turkey and the Turks, as I saw them." This is the third of a series of lectures given under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E.

A very pretty subscription party was given at Brasee's hall, Wollaston, on Saturday evening. There were 25 couples present. The matrons were Mrs. Franklin A. Howe and Mrs. Henry O. Fairbanks. The music was by Thomas Mullaly's orchestra.

The matron of the City Hospital reported to the police, Sunday, that an Italian patient had borrowed a pair of crutches on Saturday but had failed to return with them. Officer Bradley recovered the crutches on Buckley street Sunday afternoon.

There was no callers at City Hall this noon between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, although the hall was open. After 1 o'clock there was a few callers, perhaps four. The plan as now arranged is that the clerks and the officials divide up the noon hour, commencing at 11.30.

A very pretty birthday gathering of relatives met Saturday evening, at the residence of Mr. J. S. Paine on Baxter street, in honer of the eleventh anniversary of the birthday of Miss Ethel R. Humphrey. During the evening instrumental and vocal selections and recitations were indulged in, also a collation. Among the relatives present were ex-Chief of Police Hayden and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. E. Paine, Master Harry W. Paine and others. Miss Ethel was the recipient of many useful and handsome gifts.

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Golf at Wollaston.

The Herald in a column review of season of 1899 says: "The Wollaston Golf Club, which is one of the pioneer clubs of the country, having been founded in 1895, although not incorporated until last year, had an unusually prosperous and busy season during 1899. In addition to the many important golfing events held by the club during the season just closed gronds for new links hrve been purchased, and a handsome new clubhouse erected on the new grounds, near the Montclair station of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad.

The different event are taken up day by day and are summarized by team matches, tournaments and cup contests;

TOURNAMENTS.

The first named in each event was the winner, and the second made the best gross score:

April 19, Club Tournament.

G. E. Atherton, Jr.,	80	G. E. Atherton, Jr.,	88

April 20, Men's Foursomes.

F. F. H. Smith, G. E. Atherton, Jr.,	77	F. F. H. Smith, —	84

May 6, Club Tournament.

G. E. Atherton, Jr.,	76	G. E. Atherton, Jr.,	84
C. L. Bremer,	76	C. L. Bremer,	84
E. C. Clark,	76	*	

May 13, Mixed Foursomes.

Miss Sherman, Mr. Freeman,	83	Miss Sherman, Mr. Freeman,	100

May 20, Bogey.

James S. Russell, (up)	3

May 30, Open Tournament.

F. F. H. Smith,	74	F. F. H. Smith,	80

June 10, Club Tournament.

W. K. Farrington,	73	R. R. Freeman,	81

June 17, Club Tournament.

J. B. Forsyth,	78	R. B. Porter,	86

Sept. 2, Club Tournament.

H. W. Barker,	78	Ralph Cracknell,	85

Sept. 4, Bogey.

R. B. Porter, (down)	1

Sept. 9, Mixed Foursomes.

Miss Adams, Mr. Bremer,	85	Miss Adams, Mr. Bremer,	94

Sept. 16, Men's Foursomes.

C. L. Bremer,	86	C. L. Bremer,	93
A. K. Pope,	—	A. K. Pope,	—

Oct. 28, Open Tournament.

W. A. Clark,	—	A. G. Lockwood,	—

Nov. 30, Club Tournament.

Barclay Tilton,	74	Barclay Tilton,	82

CUP CONTESTS.

The first named was the winner, and the other the runner-up:

May 30, Wollaston cup
G. E. Atherton Jr., Ralph Cracknell.
May 30, Consolation cup
I. M. Richards, E. C. Tarbell.
June 10, President's cup
E. C. Clark, Robert B. Porter.
Ladies championship
Miss Sarah A. Whicher, Miss Mollie Adams.
Men's championship
F. F. H. Smith, Robert B. Porter.

TEAM MATCHES.

Date.	Score.	Opponents.	Score.
April 8.	*18	Harvard,	4
May 3.	*22	Newton Centre,	2
May 17.	19	Newton Centre,	2
May 23.	*13	Harvard,	14
May 27.	17	Concord,	11
June 5.	*14	All Newton,	9
June 7.	*26	Lexington,	1
June 14.	*17	Agawam Hunt,	4
June 14.	6	All Newton,	12
July 1.	8	Lexington,	8
July 22.	8	Vesper Country,	6
Sept. 19.	1	Agawam Hunt,	19
Oct. 7.	*28	Harvard,	6
Oct. 10.	14	All Newton,	34
Nov. 17.	3	Oakley,	5
Nov. 17.	16	Oakley,	6
Totals,	260		147

* Wollaston course.

A. O. H. Whist Party.

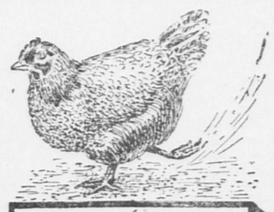
The whist party under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 5, A. O. H., at St. Mary's hall Friday evening, Feb. 9, was very largely attended. Twenty-eight tables were in play. Prizes for the best scores were awarded as follows: Gentlemen—Cuff buttons to John Vogel; knife to William Cochrane. Ladies—Cups and saucers to Miss Alice Kelley; hat pin to Mrs. John Rooney; dish to Mrs. John Green At the conclusion of play dancing was in order until midnight, music being furnished by Cuff's orchestra.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Feb. 12,

Carl A. Carlson, George E. Fore, Daniel Grady.

Mrs. Bob McKee, Mrs. Cora Perley, Miss Minnie Rivenhold, Mrs. B. Shine, Miss Webb.



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UNDER GROUND AT PARIS.

Exhibit of Caves and Mining to Be Seen at the Exposition.

An interesting exhibition is being organized in the catacombs under the Trocadero park in connection with the Paris exposition. The works are nearing completion. There will be represented the principal natural or artificial curiosities found under the earth, such as the reproduction of mines of the time of the Phœnicians and of the middle ages, with the curious tools used in those days; the famous tomb of Agamemnon at Mycenæ, with the reproduction of the kings in their masks of gold, as found by Schliemann in his excavations, and a necropolis of Memphis, in lower Egypt, says Nineteen Hundred, journal of the exhibition. Dioramas showing the aspects of the earth at the coal age are being prepared; likewise a series of grottoes, such as the well known one of the Causses in the south of France, with their stalactites, their subterranean rivers and their mysterious lakes. The famous azure grotto near Naples will also be shown.

One of the exhibition rooms will represent the famous subterranean pagodas of Anam, which Pierre Loti describes in his book "Propos d'Exil." "One of the pagodas," writes Pierre Loti, "has the aspect of a sepulcher, an enchanted residence, built by genii. * * * In the interior the sanctuary is still full of idols. They are seated at the back, in the obscurity, all covered with gold and glittering."

The mining exhibition will include a real descent into a mine where one will see the most diverse substances, such as coal, gold, silver, lead, copper, iron, salt, diamonds, etc., in course of extraction. One will experience the illusion of being 1,000 feet below ground. There one will see the galleries of the mines with their systems of traction, the workmen hewing the coal, others contending with fire damp and fire, etc.

Among the principal attractions of this part of the exhibition will be the representation, life size, of a section of a gold mine in the Transvaal, where real Kaffir miners will excavate the real mineral. Then, ascending to daylight through broad passages, one will see the factory for treating gold ore, with its crushing machinery, its cyanauration tubs, etc., and one will be able to follow the operation till the moment the ingots of gold are extracted from the ore.

CLAN-NA-GAELS UNITED.

Chicago Factions Brought Together Through Sympathy For Boers.

Through sympathy for the Boers the leaders of the rival factions of the Clan-na-Gael in Chicago have clasped hands across the chasm which has divided them since the foul murder of Dr. Patrick H. Cronin on the night of May 4, 1889, and harmony once more reigns in the councils of the order, says the New York Sun. Colonel John F. Finerty, editor of The Catholic Citizen and former representative of a Chicago district in the national house of representatives, has long been the leader of the Cronin faction in the Clan and has never during his 11 years of such leadership lost an opportunity to denounce Alexander Sullivan and others of the infamous "triangle," who, with the members of the murderous "Camp 20," he held responsible for Dr. Cronin's death.

The denunciation was not all on one side. Sullivan is a lawyer of resources and wealth and has not spared Finerty. For years friends of both have feared that if ever brought face to face blood would flow. Sympathy for the Boers, however, has brought them on common ground against a common enemy, and the Cronin feud has been forgotten. Colonel Finerty, who commands the Clan-na-Gael guards, has been busy for several weeks organizing a "hospital corps" for service in South Africa and has been aided materially in his work by Alexander Sullivan. The first installment of the corps will soon leave Chicago and will join the volunteers from the Ninth Massachusetts of Boston and the corps from South Framingham and other places. The entire corps will then leave for Antwerp and remain subject to the orders of Dr. Leyds. Only 50 men will be sent in a body from Chicago, and it is estimated that it will cost about $225 to defray the expenses of each member of the corps from the time he leaves Chicago until arriving in Lourenco Marques.

Natural Gas Utilized by Tramps.

Two years ago a well was drilled on the Hays farm in search of oil, says an Independence (Kan.) dispatch to the Topeka State Journal. The well was put down by some eastern company. Situated in a secluded place along a little creek, very few people ever knew that the well had been drilled. What was found in the well will never be known, for as soon as it was completed it was immediately filled up with rock and dirt. Lately, however, gas has begun to issue from the well, and now it comes forth in considerable quantities. It is not far from a little station on the Santa Fe railroad, and this winter the tramps have taken possession of the place. They have piled rocks around the well and turned a part of an old stove over it, on which they cook. They have put up a shanty, and in the center of the room their stove heated it with natural gas. The advantage of natural gas has made the place a favorite rendezvous for tramps for miles around, and they have quite a colony there.

War Remodels an Old Adage.

Taking intrenchments three times and being driven from them as often in one day's fighting shows that the new way of saying it is as follows, says the Kansas City Times: "When Boer meets Bull, then comes the tug of war."



When the practice of economy is a necessity, the cost of the soap used in a year is an important item. The grocer who has an eye to larger profits, may not suggest Ivory Soap, but you insist on having it. Ivory Soap is pure soap, through and through. That makes it the most economical and best.

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In a Dilemma.

On Friday night, at about midnight, a man horseback put in a appearance at J. H. Lord & Co.'s table at Wollaston. The horse was harnessed, the traces and reins trailing in the mud, Both the horse and his rider, who was intoxicated, were plastered with mud.

In an incoherent way the man struggled through his story. It seems that he was a well known Medford contractor. He had been to one of the South Shore towns "on a time" that evening, and on his way home, when in the vicinity of Merry Mount Park, collided with a telephone pole. One of the forward wheels of the buggy had the felly stripped off. In this shape he strayed into the Park, and from appearances when found later had been through a pond hole. The man finally recovered enough from the maudlin state which he was in, to unhitch the horse and drive to the nearest stable.

The next day a man came over from Medford with a spare front wheel and drove the team home.

☞ We save you from $25.00 to $50.00 on any make of piano. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Lincoln Services.

A good number of the Grand Army Sons of Veterans, Woman's Relief Corps and the Ladies' Aid society accepted the invitation of the new pastor of the Universalist church, Rev. Merrill C. Ward who gave a special address on "Abraham Lincoln—Statesman—prophet." It was an entertaining and instructive discourse and showed that the reverend gentleman has been a close student of local history as well as of the life of Lincoln. Few were aware of his connetion with the Lincolns of Hingham, or that he escorted the body of ex-President John Quincy Adams from Washington to Quincy.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

James F. Merrill commenced his duties as clerk in the Water department office this morning.

☞ Carpets Cleaned—Taken up and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

MAY'S INVISIBLE Weather Strip
TRADE MARK PATENTED

NO TACKS OR NAILS.

Better than Double Windows.

SEND FOR ESTIMATE.

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Goods on exhibition at H. L. Paige's variety corner Hancock and Beach streets, Wollaston.
Feb. 1. tf

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WANTED—A Young Man who has been some time at stone cutting, to learn to cut moulding and to finish stones. Must be smart and willing. Steady employment. Address "A. A.," Ledger Office. Feb. 9-6t

WANTED—A place by a strong competent girl to do general housework. Apply at No. 9 Station street, West Quincy.
Feb. 8. 6t

WANTED—Man Competent to take charge of and manage large granite quarry, located near Little Rock, Arkansas. An opportunity will be given manager to invest a few thousand dollars in quarry if he so desires. Address, GEORGE H. MEADE CO., Little Rock, Arkansas. Jan. 26-30t

WANTED—A partner in the Granite Business in Quincy. Must be fast Stone-cutter, not over 40 years old. Address Ledger Office.

FOR SALE.

NEW MILCH COWS For Sale or Exchange. JAMES MOORHEAD, 20 Curtis street, Quincy, near Hospital.
Feb. 9. 6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 5 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises.
Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

TO LET.

Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.

Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314.
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Aug. 17. tf

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BEAUTIFUL SOUVENIR
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If sent by mail, 40 cents.
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SECOND WEEK

CUT PRICE SALE BEFORE STOCK TAKING.

MUSIC HALL BUILDING, - QUINCY, MASS.

Domestic Goods.

36-in. Brown Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale, **3c** per yd
40-in. Brown Sheeting, 8c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
42-in Bleached Pillow Cotton, 8c. goods, This Sale, **6c** per yd
36-in. Bleached Sheeting, 6c. goods, This Sale **3c** per yd
1,000 yds. Fancy Outing Flannel, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5** and **7c** per yd
5c. Merrimac and American Prints, This Sale, **3c** per yd
7c. Simpson Dark Prints, This Sale, **4c** per yd
36-in. 10 and 8c. Percale, This Sale, **5c** per yd
2 1-2 yds. x 2 1-4--50c. Hemmed Sheets, This Sale, **30c**
10c. Pillow Cases, Best Cotton, This Sale, **5c**
1,000 yds. Colored Dress Lawns, 12 1-2c. goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
12 1-2c. Plaid Dress Goods, This Sale, **5c** per yd
58 in. Bleached Table Damask, 30c. goods, This Sale, **15c** Per yd
25c. Turkey Red Table Damask, This Sale, 15c. per yd
5-8 Bleached Napkins, $1.00 goods, This Sale, 75c
98c. Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Bed Comfortables, This Sale, 98c
98c. Blankets, This Sale, 75c
$1.25 Blankets, This Sale, 98c

Children's Shirts and Drawers.

GRAY, WHITE and RIBBED.

16 in 10c. Goods, This Sale, **5c**
18 in 15c. Goods, This Sale, **8c**
20 in 18c. Goods, This Sale, **10c**
22 in 20c. Goods, This Sale, **13c**
24 in 23c. Goods, This Sale, **15c**
26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 " **18c**

Ladies' Cotton Underwear.

"CHIC" BRAND.

25 doz. NIGHT ROBES, 75c. Goods, This Sale, **39c**
15 doz. Three Tuck Yoke Band Drawers, regular 25c. goods, This Sale, **15c**

Bargains in Gent's Underwear.

25 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 25c. Goods. This Sale, **15c** each
40 doz. Men's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, 50c. goods. This Sale, **25c** each
25 doz. Men's Wool Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 75c. goods. This Sale, **39c** each

Men's White Laundered Shirts.

$1.50 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **98c**
$1.00 Dress Shirts, This Sale, **75c**
75c. Dress Shirts, This Sale, **45c**
59c. Fancy Shirts, 2 Collars, Pair Cuffs, This Sale. **39c**

Boots, Shoes and Rubbers for Men, Women and Children for this Sale
CUT WAY DOWN.
Ladies' Storm Rubbers, 50c. Low Rubbers, 40c. Children's Storm, 40c.

Ladies' Print Wrappers.

25 doz. Best Goods, always sold for 89c., 79c. and 69c. FOR THIS SALE, **50c.**
$1.00 Wrappers, This Sale, **75c**
$1.25 Wrappers, This Sale, **$1.00**

Corsets! Corsets!

We will sell the **R. & G.** No. 101 Royal Worcester and the Ferris Waists all Nos. for **$1.00** per pair each. We will give with each pair of the above Corsets a **25c.** Gingham Kitchen Apron.

39c. Summer Corsets, This Sale, 25c
50c. Globe Corsets, This Sale, 35c
89c. Globe Corsets, This Sale, 60c

HOSIERY.

19c, Fast Black Double Sole, This Sale, **10c**
37c. and 25c. Fancy Plaids, This Sale, **15c**
25c. Children's Rib Double Knee. This Sale, **10c**
19c. Men's Fast Black, This Sale, **10c**

SMALLWARES AND NOTIONS.

10c Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 3c
15c. Shell Back Comb, This Sale, 5c
10c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 5c. doz
15c. Shell Hairpins, This Sale, 10c. doz
10c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 5c
19c. Shell Side Combs, This Sale, 10c
M & K Knitting Cotton, This Sale, 5c
19c. all Colors of Veiling, This Sale, 10c
Bargains in Laces and Hamburgs, cut way down.

KITCHEN FURNISHINGS of every description in our basement at prices for this sale cut way down.

Everything in our entire stock is marked way down; cost is lost sight of. We are bound to show to the people of Quincy and vicinity that this sale is a genuine CUT PRICE SALE. Shop anywhere, then compare our prices. We ask you to come in and see for yourself what we are doing for you we can sell you more for $1.00, than you can carry home. This Cut sale will continue until Feb. 15.

New Idea Patterns this sale, 8c.

Boston Bargain Department Store,

MUSIC HALL BUILDING, QUINCY, MASS.

—Cars from Braintree and Weymouth stop in front of the Store.

Our Store will be closed at 6 o'clock on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Evenings until further notice.

FOLLOWED THE FLAG,

Our Trade With Hawaii Has Shown a Remarkable Increase.

Annexation Is Suggested as Highly Advantageous.

Gist of a House Bill For Creating a Territorial Form of Government.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Representative Knox of Massachusetts, chairman of the house committee on territories, has completed his work on a bill for the creation of a territorial form of government in Hawaii. The report is a very voluminous document of 108 pages, going exhaustively into all the questions involved.

The form of government proposed by the bill for the Hawaiian islands is territorial in form, similar to that of the later territories of the United States—a governor, a secretary, both appointed by the president; a treasurer, attorney general, commissioner of public lands, commissioner of agriculture and forestry, superintendent of public works, superintendent of public instruction, auditor and deputy auditor, surveyor and high sheriff, appointed by the governor.

The legislature is provided, consisting of a senate and house of representatives, elected by the people. The territory is to be represented by a delegate in congress. Th territory is made a judicial district of the United States, with a district court, with judicial power of the territory invested in a supreme court and in superior courts, to be established by the legislature.

The report says there has doubtless been some increase in the population since 1896 from American and European immigration, and very considerable increase from the importation of Japanese laborers since the passage of the annexation resolution, which may be taken at 20,000, so that the population of the Hawaiian islands at the present time may be placed at more than 130,000. Of this population the greater portion are Asiatics, Chinese and Japanese.

With the passage of this bill the Chinese will be excluded and the importation of Japanese contract laborers prohibited. Neither the Chinese nor the Japanese have political power, and were not eligible to citizenship under the republic of Hawaii, nor could they obtain homestead rights.

The amendment providing for striking out the provision that the United States would share in the cost of the maintenance of the leper settlement of the island of Molokai, the report says, was made at the earnest request of the representatives of the Hawaiian government.

For more than 30 years the Hawaiian government has been dealing with the question of leprosy and attempting to eradicate the disease. The thorough system of segregation was adopted and a place selected on the island of Molokaf, where a settlement was established. The efforts have been so far successful; with the exception of the patients who are now at the settlement, the disease has almost entirely disappeared.

At this settlement there are still about 1000 patients who, together with 300 or 400 assistants and helpers, form a unique and remarkable community. It is deemed by those who are conversant with the facts that it would be a great misfortune to have the settlement disturbed.

The provisions granting American registry to vessels carrying Hawaiian register, whether permanent or temporary, on Aug. 12, 1898, together with certain particularly enumerated vessels, were made to meet the cases of certain vessels bought in good faith and with intention of Hawaiian registry. They are very few in number, and in addition to those particularly mentioned there are five others which receive the benefit of the provisions of this section.

The annexation of the Hawaiian islands in the future will be of great advantage to the United States commercially, as it already has been.

The exports of the United States to the Hawaiian islands for 11 months ending with November were $4,845,920; in 1898, $5,391,755; in 1899, $10,206,157. The imports of the same periods from the Hawaiian islands into the United States were in 1897 $15,104,242; in 1898, $16,455,171; in 1899, $21,672,062. The report says that whether it be true as a general proposition that trade follows the flag certainly in relation to Hawaii it may be truthfully said that trade has followed the flag.

Russia's Entry Into Persia.

London, Feb. 12.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Daily Mail says: The construction of the trans-Persian railway has been absolutely decided upon. The line will be 1300 miles long, and will cost 150,000,000 roubles.

THIS WEEK IN CONGRESS.

Senate Will Vote on Currency Bill on Thursday. Pue to Rican Tariff Bill In House.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The first four days of the week wil be given up to the currency bill in the senate, and after that measure is disposed of there will be a contest for precedence in the interest of several measures.

These bills include the bills for providing forms of government for Hawaii and Puerto Rico, the Nicaraguan canal bill, and the resolution for the seating of Senator Quay on the appointment of the governor of Pennsylvania. Which of these will take precedence remains to be determined.

The currency bill will be voted on Thursday, and all the time not given to such routine business as the introduction of bills and the presentation of reports and petitions will be devoted to this measure until it is acted upon by the senate. Today and tomorrow will be consumed with set arguments for and against the bill prepared in advance, and Wednesday and Thursday will be devoted to speeches, not exceeding 10 minutes in duration, on the various amendments to the bill.

The friends of Senator Quay say they fully expect to be able to get consideration of the resolution in his behalf immediately after the financial bill is disposed of, but there is unquestionably a disposition on the part of some of the Republican senators to crowd the matter over and take up either the Puerto Rican or the Hawaiian bill, the chances between these two being favorable to the Puerto Rican measure.

The time of the house will be completely occupied this week. Today, under the rules, will be devoted to District of Columbia business. Tomorrow the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill will be taken up. It is expected to consume Tuesday and Wednesday, and on Thursday the house will enter upon a week's discussion of the Puerto Rican tariff bill.

This measure, as the entering wedge in the matter of legislation for our insular possessions, naturally attracts much attention, and there has already developed great pressure for time, especially upon the Democratic side, so that it is probable that night sessions may be held toward the close of the debate next week.

Cash Instead of Volunteers.

St. John's, Feb. 12.—At the forthcoming special session of the Newfoundland legislature the government will propose a vote of $20,000 toward the imperial patriotic fund, as the colony is unable to send any volunteers to South Africa.

A $110,000 Fire In Worcester.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 12.—Fire in the Gilman block on Main street, which is occupied exclusively by the National Biscuit company, a branch of the biscuit trust, completely gutted the building. The damage is estimated at $60,000. The stock of the biscuit company, the value of which is estimated at $50,000, is completely ruined. The building is badly damaged.

Will Extend French Commerce.

Marseilles, Feb. 12.—Count Leontieff, governor of the equatorial provinces of Abyssinia, has arrived here. His expedition into the regions of Lake Rudolph and the river Omo is now known to have had very satisfactory results, and it is believed that an important extension of French commerce in that section will ensue.

Slowly Gaining Strength.

New Haven, Feb. 12.—Though the attending physician states that E. J. Phelps, who has been seriously ill for about three weeks, is not yet out of danger, some of his most intimate friends feel hopeful of his ultimate recovery. Signs of improvement have has been manifested for the past several days, and Professor Phelps is slowly gaining strength.

Woman and Boy Perished.

Halifax, Feb. 12.—A fire of mysterious origin at Glace Bay early Sunday morning destroyed a large tenement house. Several women threw their children from second story windows and jumped after them. All were safely caught. Miss Steele went to the rescue of her 10-year-old nephew and the boy and his aunt perished.

Expert Printer Kills Himself.

Springfield, Mass., Feb. 12.—William Metcalf, 51, well known as an expert printer, committed suicide by shooting. For years he was associated with Clark W. Bryan in the latter's large publishing interests. Mr. Bryan shot himself about two years ago, and Mr. Metcalf was never himself afterward.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free)
Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

Read the LEDGER Every Day.

Havana Strikers Weakened.

Havana, Feb. 12.—The strike of cigar makers was settled yesterday. The men return on the conditions existing before the strike. The cost of the strike to the manufacturers has been practically nothing. The strikers have lost $100,000. The Heraldo tells Samuel Gompers to return to the United States, declaring that he came here with the intention of creating disturbances.

Irishmen to Help Boers.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—The ambulance corps, 39 in number, recruited and equipped by the United Irish societies of Chicago, left for New York yesterday on its journey to South Africa. The corps is equipped with surgical and medical supplies. On arriving at Pretoria the men will join the Boer army and work under the flag of the American Red Cross society.

Loss of $100,000 In Navy Yard Fire.

New York, Feb. 12.—Building No. 7, in the Brooklyn navy yard, occupied by the electrical equipment department, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is $100,000. A large quantity of valuable records were saved, which would have involved a task of about 10 years to replace. The fire is believed to have been caused by a defective electric light wire.

Sulzer Not a Candidate.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Congressman Ridgley of Kansas, who is here to attend the anti-trust conference, is an open advocate for Congressman Sulzer for vice president. "The west wants Sulzer," he said. Congressman Sulzer, when questioned upon the matter, said: "I am not a candidate for the nomination."

Drawbars Gave Way.

Portland, Me., Feb. 12.—Thomas Ryle of Lewiston was crushed to death between two freight cars in the Grand Trunk yard yesterday. He had stepped in between the cars to couple them when one of the drawbars gave way, allowing the cars to come together.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

From the Mississippi valley to the Atlantic coast and over the southwestern states the temperature has risen. Cloudy weather has prevailed on the Atlantic coast. Along the New England coast the weather will continue more or less cloudy, and it will be fair and warmer in the interior. Along the coast the winds will be fresh to brisk from easterly.

—Souvenir Patriots for sale at Ledger office.

As Roosevelt Would Have It.

New York, Feb. 12.—Governor Roosevelt issued this statement last night: "I most earnestly hope that the pending treaty concerning the Isthmusian canal will not be ratified, unless amended so as to provide that the canal when built shall be wholly under the control of the United States alike in peace and war. This seems to me vital, no less from the standpoint of our sea power than from the standpoint of the Monroe doctrine."

Won't Fight In 'Frisco.

New York, Feb. 12.—The Jeffries-Corbett fight, it is announced, will take place before the Seaside Athletic club, Coney island. The National Athletic club of San Francisco failed to deposit the $5000 forfeit within the required time. The date of the fight has been changed from April 10 to May 15 or thereabouts, owing to the possibility of bad training weather in April. The Seaside Athletic club's offer was 60 percent of the gate receipts.

Ended Life With Chloroform.

St. John, Feb. 12.—The body of J. J. Bostwick, one of the leading wholesale merchants of this city, was found lying on his office floor yesterday with a cotton bandage about the head. A few inches above was a bottle suspended by a string from a gimlet in the wall, with cloroform still trickling from a small perforation in the cork. Temporary insanity is believed to have inspired the act.

Man, Woman and Child Suffocated.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Martin Jordan, an engineer, his wife, Mary, and their infant boy, were asphyxiated by gas in their home Saturday night. The bodies of the three were found yesterday. A leak in a gas pipe in the basement delubed the hause with gas, and when found the members of the family had been dead for several hours.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's family Pills are the best

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

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r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

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NCOCK STREET and NORFOLK
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till 10.30 P. M.
LASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and
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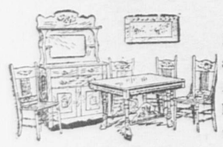
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TELEGRAPHIC.
3 O'CLOCK.

POSITION OF BULLER

Is Again Proving a Source of Great Anxiety In London.

All Northern Cape Colony May Be In Danger.

Nimberly Reported to Be In as Desperate a Plight as Ladysmith.

London, Feb. 13.—There is an ominous lull in the dispatches from South Africa, and once more London is beginning to get anxious about Buller.

The stories from Durban and Pretoria yesterday to the effect that Joubert was moving with a big force to outflank him have created a great deal of uneasiness, especially taken in connection with the gloomy dispatches sent by the correspondents in Natal.

The general belief now is that all northern Cape Colony is in danger. Joubert is reported to have at least 6000 men in the body which is said to have crossed the Tugela near Colenso. Should he be able to capture Chievely and Frere, Buller would be cut off from his two most important bases and from his railroad lines.

A comparatively small force would then be able to hold Buller in check, while the main body would advance south and menace Pietermaritzburg and Durban. Already a strong force has been reported marching through Zululand with the same objective in view.

Yesterday Lord Roberts announced the appointment of General Colville, hitherto commander of the guards brigade, to the command of the ninth division, which is being formed and will consist probably to a great extent of colonial troops. General Colville will be succeeded by General Reginald Pole-Carew.

Lord Roberts tells the correspondents that when he gets down to business they shall have ample opportunity to send news. His chief press censor yesterday issued new rules and in future all written communications are to go unchecked. Only telegrams will be censored. For the next few days little news is likely to get through, but later there will be more freedom. Thus says the censor, and the last clause may be interpreted to mean that something is about to happen.

Kimberley, 20 miles away from the Modder River position, is in sore straits. Details of the December death rate shows that in a population of 14,000 whites and 19,000 blacks the mortality was 60 whites and 138 blacks per thousand. The infantile death rate was 671 per thousand among the whites and 912 per thousand among the blacks. Enteric fever was prevalent.

This frightful state of things in December cannot have improved much, if at all, since, and the fighting power of the garrison must have been greatly diminished.

Meanwhile the bombardment by the Boers has increased and there is imminent danger of the town falling under the very eyes of Lord Roberts. It is believed in circles close to the war office that he will move at once. Scouts have approached within 1000 yards of the Boer intrenchments at Magersfontein. They have found these strong and ascertained that they are used as dwelling places. Naval gunners are constantly watching the enemy's lines with strong glasses, and they declare that there is an appreciable diminution in the Boer forces.

In Natal the Boer commandoes south of the Tugela occupy Bolds farm and several mines west of Chieveley. Two thousand Boers, with three guns, are advancing through Zululand toward Natal.

The war office is making preparations to continue the stream of troops for South Africa. Four large steamers have been chartered. Japan agrees to let the Armstrongs transfer to England four naval quick-firers that were built for her, consenting to wait for the execution of her own order until the hostilities in South Africa are over. Several European powers, by similar consents as to guns being constructed by Vickers Sons, and Maxim, enable England to secure 100 Maxims.

Two thousand men are constantly employed at Woolwich arsenal; and all the gun and ammunition factories are working night and day to execute government orders. The weekly output of four firms is 4,000,000 rounds.

Spenser Wilkinson, discussing the military situation in The Morning Post today, refers to a Cape Town letter, dated Jan. 23, which asserts that Lord Roberts will allow no movement until the transport organization is complete, and says:

It is probable, therefore, that the transport is now ready and that the arrival of Lord Roberts at Modder River is the signal for action. It is possible that, before beginning his move, he wishes to ascertain from Lord Methuen how matters stand in his part of the theater of war; and this would account for a pause of a few days.

Possible Storehouse of Mineral Wealth.

Winnipeg, Feb. 13.—The Canadian government is equipping a large party for the survey of the immense territory lying between the Great Slave lake and the Hudson bay. This runs from the Rockies to the Atlantic. It is 200 miles wide and is supposed to contain rich mineral stores.

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MOLINEUX HAS A YEAR TO LIVE.

Record on Appeal In His Case Will Consume Many Months In Preparation.

New York, Feb. 13.—Molineux has at least one year to live. His appeal from the verdict pronounced against him probably will not be heard until next October. The calender of the court of appeals is crowded with capital cases in which judgment and sentence of death long preceded the trial of Molineux.

Five men are in Sing Sing under sentence of death whose appeals precede Molineux's. There is a possibility, however, that Molineux's appeal may be allowed to go ahead out of its regular turn. The record on appeal in Molineux's case will be a long one. The testimony includes 2,500,000 words. It will take a long time to prepare and print this record for the higher court. It is hard to see how the court could find a decision sooner than next January.

Bartow S. Weeks, attorney for Molineux during the recent trial, yesterday said: "I shall move on Friday, before Recorder Goff, for a new trial of my client before sentence is pronounced. From a denial of that motion, I shall appeal on the following grounds:

"First, that the verdict of guilty was not justified by the evidence. Second, that the testimony with reference to the death of Barnet was improperly admitted. Third, that the testimony of certain experts, upon which the conviction apparently rests, was not sufficiently corroborated. Molineux will finally be acquitted. The finding of the jury on Saturday night will not stand. The court of appeals, will, I am sure, grant a new trial, and my client's acquittal will follow."

Trial Considered Unnecessary

New York, Feb. 13.—The New York Presbytery yesterday decided, by a vote of 77 to 39, not to try Dr. Arthur G. McGiffert of the Union Theological seminary on the charges of heresy preferred by Rev. G. W. Birch at the January meeting. The action of the Presbytery when it decided not to try Dr. McGiffert for heresy, but to disavow his teachings, was deemed sufficient under the circumstances, and the opinion of the Presbytery was that the charges should not be considered.

Another Big Gift Coming.

New York, Feb. 13.—It is expected that at a dinner to be given at the Hotel Manhattan next month John B. Rockefeller will announce a further donation of $1,500,000 to Chicago university, making his total gifts to that institution $8,500,000. Mr. Rockefeller, it is said, promised some time ago that if other friends of the university would raise a certain sum he would give $1,500,000. The friends have done their part and are satisfied Mr. Rockefeller will do the rest.

Coal Miners Want More Pay.

Halifax, Feb. 13.—The executive council of the Provincial Coal Miners' association has decided to demand an increase of wages to date from May 1 next. The advance named is 5 cents per ton on coal mined and 10 percent on the pay of other labor employed. The resolution of the workmen affects between 5000 and 6000 men.

Shot a Woman and Killed Himself.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 13.—An attempted murder and suicide occurred three miles from Caribou late Monday. Norman Campbell shot Mrs. Whitehead in the face and back and then shot himself. He died immediately. The woman is still alive. Jealousy is the supposed cause of the tragedy.

Placed Behind the Bars.

Boston, Feb. 13.—In the superior court yesterday John Carter, a housebreaker, received a six-year sentence, and Charles M. Hutchins, and all-around lodging house worker, got 10 to 12 years. Charles H. Clarke, for forgery, goes to the house of correction for four years.

Leslie Decides to "Peach."

New York, Feb. 13.—District Attorney Clark of Brooklyn authorizes the statement that Cecil Leslie, press agent for the Franklyn syndicate, will surrender to the authorities and give evidence for the state. Leslie was indicted jointly with Miller in November for conspiracy.

Woman and Six Children Cremated.

Petersburg, Va., Feb. 13.—The home of Maria Smith, colored, near Stony Creek, was destroyed by fire. The woman and her six children lost their lives.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

William H. Beard, the famous painter of animals, is dying at New York. He is 75 years old. About the first of the year his constitution began to weaken and on Jan. 27 he suffered an apopletic shock.

The gold premium in Brazil has declined to the official conversion rate and large sums have already been exchanged at the conversion office.

Samuel C. Foraker, who represented the Second congressional district of New Jersey in the Forty-third congress, died at Edgewater Park, N. J. He was born in 1821.

David C. Hall, a well-known musician, and leader for many years of a famous band, died at a Boston hospital from a complication of diseases. Mr. Hall was born in Lyme, N. H., about 80 years ago.

National Commander-in-Chief Albert Shaw of the G. A. R., who was to attend G. A. R. encampments in New England the present week, was called home to Watertown, N. Y., by the illness of his wife.

The melting of the snow on the mountains has flooded the river Douro, Portugal, with unprecedented suddenness and shipping casualties have ensued.

Lincoln's birthday was celebrated by banquets in many of the large cities of the country, at which Lincoln was praised as a man, a leader, a president and a martyr.

MILES MADE PROMISES

Whereby Our Army Was Ably Aided by People of Puerto Rico.

General Stone Says Our Word Should Now Be Kept

To the End That the Island May Enjoy the Blessings of Liberal Government.

Washington, Feb. 13.—"When General Miles landed in Puerto Rico with 3000 men," General Roy S. Stone is quoted as saying, "the island was defended by 9000 Spanish regulars and nearly as many well-armed volunteers. Its 1,000,000 people then had no great grievance against Spain, having just been given a large measure of self-government, with universal suffrage and a voting representation of 19 members in the two houses of the cortes at Madrid. They had free trade with Spain and a fair degree of prosperity. To our little army of invasion the question whether these people were to be friendly or hostile was a question of life or death. If hostile in their mountain fastnesses they could make bloody work for 100,000 men. General Miles very wisely sought their friendship. He assumed to speak for the government and the people of the United States and his authority has never been repudiated nor questioned. He issued his proclamation, saying among other things, 'we have come to bestow upon you the blessings and immunities of the liberal institutions of our government.'

"How the people responded with help and welcome everyone knows. They had no arms and we had none to spare, but every man who could get a gun came to our camps, and thousands offered themselves to meet the Spanish rifles with their bare machetes. And these were fighting men. General Schwan found reason to praise the 'skill and daring' of his Lugovina scouts, and my own experience was the same. Can we now afford to break our solemn promise to these people at the outset of our rule? Shall we give them three-quarters or some other fraction of what is due them, and that not as a right but as a concession, which the next congress may revoke? If the conscience of the nation could consent to such an iniquity it might still be wise to consider that we may have any day to defend that splendid possession against a foreign foe; that it is now the grand outpost and guard over our coast and commerce and canal that is to be, and that when such an occasion comes, if our dealings with these people have shown kindness and liberality or even fairness and common honesty, we might raise 50,000 fighting Puerto Ricans to defend the island against our enemy."

General Stone believes that the government will make a serious mistake if it fails to extend the benefits of free trade to the people of the islands and in every other way treat them as citizens of the United States. In discussing fear of competition with our products, he said: "What is the plea on which we are ready to sacrifice the honor of the nation, embitter a million of warm-hearted friends, and risk a failure in expansion, a general overturn in politics and a loss of present prosperity in the country? It is not the fear of competition in sugar or tobacco, for our producers themselves say there are no such fears; it is the 'need of revenue in the islands' and 'the danger of establishing a precedent.' But the Puerto Ricans say they would rather pay direct taxes for revenues than be outsiders and inferiors in the nation; and if there is any danger of a precedent, congress has only to base action giving the fullest citizenship to the Puerto Ricans upon the contract under which we took them; their acceptance of our formal proposal in order to segregate them entirely from the Filipinos, Cubans or any other people who may come to us in a different manner."

Opposition From Belgium and France.

London, Feb. 13.—The Berlin correspondent of The Standard says: According to a dispatch from Brussels, Belgium and France intend to protest against any treaty which would completely hand over the Nicaragua canal to the United States alone, as their treaties with Nicaragua stipulate that they shall share in the control of all waterways connecting the oceans.

Crowd Was Dissatisfied.

New York, Feb. 13.—At the Herculese Athletic club in Brooklyn last night George Gardiner of Lowell, Mass., knocked out Jimmy Handler of Newark in the third round with a right on the jaw. One of Handler's seconds threw up the sponge and the referee declared Gardiner the winner. Cries of "fake" and "Put on another bout" were heard on all sides.

End Must Be Near.

Kingston, Jam., Feb. 13.—There are persistent reports current here that the Colombian insurgents are closing in on Bogota for the purpose of forcing a crisis, which the government is anxious to avoid on account of the disaffection among the military as well as in the civil service. The end, however, is thought to be very near.

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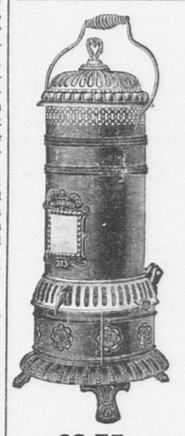
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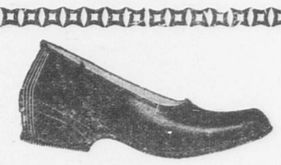
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THE Quincy Grocers' Association hold their Ninth Annual Banquet, WEDNESDAY Evening, February 14th. Any of the Quincy Business Men wishing to attend can procure tickets of the Committee.
GEORGE H. WILSON,
JOHN W. NASH,
JOSEPH W. JOHNSON.
Quincy, Feb. 5. 9t

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Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts. lb.
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts. lb.
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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	48	9	48	26
Monday,	48	39	5	51	27
Tuesday,	60	33	12	41	29
Wednesday,	—	37	30	48	40
Thursday,	—	45	30	43	44
Friday,	—	43	40	27	41
Saturday,	—	41	50	28	42

New Advertisements Today.

Public Hearing.
Lost—Mink Scarf.
Found—A sum of money.
Prof. Coffey—Magnetic Healer.
Quincy Music Hall—Mosher's Vaudeville Co.

Drift of Opinion.

☞There are some 26 members of the United States senate who are reported to be worth over a million. Should Clark of Montana get in, he would make the 27th. Strange that the comparatively small salary of a senator should have such a fascination for very rich men.—Bridgeport Post.

☞A writer in the Milton News wants the town to vote a larger salary for the selectmen, as the present compensation "is not sufficient to remunerate them for the work which they are obliged to perform." It is quite true that the town is large enough and wealthy enough to pay the officials better salaries, but the correspondent has evidently overlooked the fact, as set forth in the columns of our contemporary from week to week, that less than $50 has thus far been contributed by popular subscription in Milton towards building a new public library building. A town that betrays a lack of interest and enterprise in this important matter is not likely to be in a hurry regarding an increased salary for its overworked officials.—Hyde Park Gazette.

☞There can hardly be a dissent from General Buckner's declaration that a first step toward the restoration of good government in Kentucky is the repeal of the Goebel law and the restoration to the people of the rights of which it deprived them. The people are to be trusted. That is the boast of the Democratic party, but today in Kentucky they are nullifying this. They are denying the spirit which they have always claimed animates their party by a law which takes from the people the right of self-government. There is no way back, but the way by which these things have come, and the way ought to be taken. The question as to who shall be governor of Kentucky is trivial compared with the question whether Kentucky is to have a Republican form of government, or whether there is to be an oligarchy of desperate politicians. —Indianapolis News.

☞Ridicule disturbs even the philologists and makes them go slow. Only a few short weeks ago the authorities of Chicago university decided to substitute program for programme, tho for though, altho for although, thoro for thorough, thorofare for thoroughfare, thru for through, thruout for throughout, catalog for catalouge, prolog for prologue, decalog for decalogue, demagog for demogogue, pedagog for pedagogue, and so on. But now the scheme has been given up because so much fun has been made that the professors have concluded the time has not yet come. The latest decision is wise. Spelling reforms, like all other reforms, make the best progress when they make deliberate progress. The time may come when the superfluous ue will disappear; in point of fact the process of disappearance has been going on for some time, but if it goes on naturally and without any attempt at forcing, it will go more surely.—New Bedford Standard.

—Hon. Oliver H. Durrell bequeathed $5,000 in trust to the Cambridge Y. M. C. A., and also $2,000 to the endowment fund of the State Executive Committee of the Y. M. C. A. of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

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THE ADVANTAGES.

Why H. G. Fay Favors Board of Three Assessors.

A Three-Year Term Would Secure Settled Policy.

Many Flaws He Says in the Present System of Assessors.

Mr. Henry G. Fay of Wollaston, who served on the Board of Assessors for 1899, and who is the author of the bill now before the legislature to have the board hereafter consist of three members, said Saturday in an interview with our Wollaston correspondent: Quincy is the only city in the Commonwealth with one exception which does not have a Board of Assessors consisting of three members who serve for three years. The exception is Boston which has a board of nine. Mayor Quincy, who was one of the committee to draft our City Charter, in his valedictory recommended that Boston reduce this number to three.

The bill before the legislature makes the Board of Assessors for Quincy consist of three members serving for three years one new man being appointed each year after the first year. The board is now made up of seven members serving one year.

Briefly stated some of the advantages of having the change made are as follows:

The entire city would be assessed by three men appointed to represent the whole city, the same judgment would then pass on each piece of property. Now three men assess three wards and three other men assess the three remaining wards. The ideas of these two sets of men may be entirely different in regard to values, consequently one-half the city may have a low valuation and the other half a high valuation.

Three men devoting their whole time can make a study of their work and reach a more intelligent conclusions than seven men devoting a couple of hours a week to office work during the year.

A three-year term of service would make the board more stable, and thereby settled policies could be pursued;—for example, a systematic reduction in values of buildings to be made until a sum is reached that represents a fair value. Many buildings are now valued the same as when built years ago.

It would take out of politics six offices, for after the first year under the amendment but one assessor would be appointed each year.

As to the expense in case a change is made. The bill to amend the charter has nothing to do with it, salaries of city officials are fixed by ordinance by the City Council. If the change is made, the salary account can be lowered or raised at the City Council's discretion.

Anyone who will carefully investigate will find that the present system is full of flaws and possibilities for errors with no advantages to counterbalance.

Prize Drill.

Co. A of Charlestown, Fifth Infantry, M. V. M., held its annual prize drill Monday evening in its armory. The judges were Lieut. Col. William H. Oakes, Capt. Francis Meredith, Jr., of the Fifth Infantry, and Capt. D. Percival Sawyer of the Ninth Infantry. Almost every man in the company entered the competition The squads were drilled by Capt. W. W. Stover and Lieut. R. W. Bray. The medal was awarded to Sergt. W. H. Wilson, and was pinned upon his coat by Mrs. J. F. Good, representing the donor. Dancing followed the drill with Sergt. A. A. Learned in charge of the floor. Sergt. Wilson will soon be promoted to First Sergeant to fill the vacancy caused by the election of former First Sergeant Smith to be First Lieutenant. Plans are already under way for the annual drill under the auspices of the non-commissioned officers of the company, open to the militia of the State and to be held by March 23.

In Holbrook a movement is advocated by the selectmen to have the selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor chosen, one for three years, one for two years and one for one year, at the next annual election of town officers for 1900.

PUBLIC HEARING.

THE Committee on Streets will give a public hearing to all parties interested, on FRIDAY Evening, February 16th, 1900, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 8 o'clock, on the petition of Herbert M. Federhen and others, to ask the Massachusetts Highway Commission to release to the City of Quincy all right acquired over Washington street, between Chubbuck street and the Quincy Point bridge.
Per order of the Committee,
CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR, Clerk.
Feb. 13-2t 13-15

DIVORCE CASES.

Four From Quincy at the Norfolk Superior Court.

Four divorce cases in which Quincy parties were principal were before the Norfolk Superior court at Dedham, Monday an unusually large number for our little city. The Globe reports them in brief as follows. Decisions are expected today:

Mrs. Ida E. Watkins of West Quincy wanted the court to sever the ties that bind her to her husband, Henry A. Watkins of Wrentham. She said that in addition to failing to properly support her and their minor children, he had deserted them in the year 1892. They were married at Franklin, March 1, 1886, and had lived in Franklin, Medfield and Walpole.

On the alleged ground of gross and confirmed habits of intoxication, united with cruel and abusive treatment, Mrs. Pauline L. Maloney of Quincy asked for complete separation from her husband, John J. Maloney of Boston. The husband denied it all and contested the application. They were married at Boston, June 6, 1892, and have lived in Boston and Quincy. There is a minor child, the custody of which was asked by Mrs. Maloney.

"He will drink all hthe time," were the words used by Mrs. Lena Goven of West Quincy when she was telling the court why she wanted release from her husband Joseph Goven of West Quincy. She had left him in January, 1896, 13 years after they had been married.

On Aug. 25, 1881, Daniel W. Lane of Boston was married at West Quincy They started their married life at Quincy, but according to the story of Mr. Lane it did not last very long, for he said she left him on May 13, 1884, and has not lived with him since.

There were 15 cases on the list, Milton, Weymouth, Brookline, Wrentham, West Medway, Hdye Park, Franklin, Stoughton and Sharon all being represented.

As William Welling is in parts unknown to his wife Jessie Welling of Milton, the court was asked to free her from him. From the time they were married at Boston, April 4, 1894, up to the time he had left his wife, they had resided in several places, among them being Boston, Cambridge, Medfield, Roxbury and Milton. Mrs. Welling also alleges cruel and abusive treatment and asked for the custody of minor children.

George E. Bicknell of Weymouth told that on Nov. 23, 1884, he was married to Miss Arianna E. Hatch. A home was established at Weymouth, but as the result of evidence he secured in Boston on the night of Sept. 22, 1899, he asked for a divorce.

NOT A CANDIDATE.

Ex-Governor Wolcott Has Other Plans for 1900.

It is the intention of ex-Governor Wolcott and Mrs. Wolcott to spend several months abroad this year, and therefore Mr. Wolcott feels that he



should not be a candidate for Congress in the Tenth District.

Representative Republicans of Quincy and Milton have urged him to enter the field, and hope he may yet allow the use of his name.

—William F. Miller, the manager of the notorious "Franklin syndicate," in Brooklyn, which promised to pay 520 per cent. interest on invesments, has been caught in Canada and taken to New York. What will the New York courts do with him? Miller boasts that in all his dealings he has kept within the pale of the law; that he promised no more than he has performed. This is very much the position taken by Mrs. Howe of the "women's bank," some years ago in Boston. But Massachusetts justice found a way for treating this form of swindle.

—The Somerville Journal says, "In view of the fact that Taylor had a plurality of nearly 2,400 votes over Goebel in Kentucky, it is hard to see at this distance what right Goebel had to take the oath as governor."

PIPE WAS FILLED.

Supt. Ball of Wrapper Factory Appreciated by Employes.

Mr. Alfred Ball, Superintendent of the Wrapper factory at West Quincy, was tendered a surprise party at his residence, No. 39 Crescent street, Saturday evening, by the lady employes of the factory and his numerous friends of the ward, and presented with an elegant smoking jacket, cigars, tobacco, and pipe which was filled ready for use.

The presentation was made by Mr. Charles L. Badger, one of the oldest residents of West Quincy. Mr. Ball was so completely taken by surprise that for a moment he hardly knew what to say, accepting the same in a few modest well chosen words. Mr. Badger in his remarks said that it showed the kind feelings existing between the employes and their superintendent and that they appreciated the gentlemanly treatment which they always received from him, both as employes and friends, and hoped that he would enjoy many comfortable and pleasant evenings with his jacket and pipe. After the presentation, all enjoyed music, dancing and singing also readings by some of the young ladies. During the evening refreshments were served, and at a late hour the guests wended their way home, all having enjoyed a very pleasant time.

The committee having the affair in charge consisted of the following lady employes of the factory: Miss May Sweeney, Miss Mary Amet, Miss Arminia Bernier, Miss Mary Burkard and Miss Annie Wuthrich.

Among the company present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Badger, Dr. and Mrs. John H. Ash, Mr. and Mrs. John Keast, Mrs. Monroe, Mrs. M. McDonald, Mrs. B. Malcolm, Mrs. H. Parrock, Miss Frances E. Schatzl, Miss Frances Schatzl, Miss Rose Reed, Miss Frances Seider, Miss Emma Sweeney, Miss May Bremier, Miss Mary Maglott, Miss Louisa Maglott, Miss Minnie Schneider, Miss Annie Schneider, Miss Mary J. Drohan.

Albert Neveux, William Corcoran, Russell Badger, Fred Badger, Lewis Badger, Charles Wenzel, Charles Gustavson, John McGowen, Joe McGowen, John Murphy, Dan Murphy, Archie Rogers, Dan Mahoney, Michael Mahoney, Harry Campbell, Joe Schatzl, Markus Schatzl, Miss Jennie Cislaghi, Miss Nellie Mahoney, Miss Selina Martelli, Miss Lillie Griesman, Miss Emma Griesman, Miss Lora Biganness, Miss Annie Katza, Miss Annie McGowan, Miss Mary McGowan, Miss Minnie Harris, Miss Carrie Dorman, Miss Ella Dorman, John Duane, Lawrence Shaw.

ALARMS OF 1899.

Two Boxes Pulled Seven Times Each and Twenty Not Once.

Fire Marshal Warren W. Adams gives the following interesting facts relative to fire alarm in Quincy in 1899: Bell alarms 95; still alarms, 48; fires with no alarms 9. Of the fires 86 had a loss reported, and one-third were for grass or brush fires, needless or false alarms.

The alarms by months are shown by the following table:

	Bell.	Still.	Reported.	Total.
January,	3	5	0	8
February,	3	2	0	5
March,	3	1	1	5
April,	13	16	0	29
May,	10	4	0	14
June	10	1	2	13
July,	16	13	3	32
August,	10	0	1	11
September,	6	3	0	9
October,	2	0	0	2
November,	7	1	0	8
December,	12	2	2	16
	95	48	9	152

It will also be interesting to note the boxes from which bell alarms were sounded and the number sounded from each. Box 23 and 171 had seven each; 32 had six; 49 and 138 had five each; 37, 43 and 45 had four each; 26, 27, 46, 47, 52, 56, 72, 74, and 172 had three each; 28, 41, 42, 61, 75 and 146 had two each; 12, 21, 25, 29, 36, 39, 51, 53, 58, 63, 71, 76, 151 and 173 had one each. Twenty boxes were not pulled during the year.

OUR FOREIGN COUSINS.

The czar is credited with fearing a world's war, but he doesn't express any fear that he won't be in it.—Kansas City Times.

The powers are nearly agreed that the open door policy is the proper thing for China even if the door has to be kicked in.—Chicago Record.

It is not by neglecting its army and navy that Germany is able to pick up so many geographical bargains without firing a gun.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Turkey has been engaged in war often-er and has a record for more time spent in fighting during the present century than any other power. The results would seem to indicate that the way of the pugnacious is hard.—Baltimore Herald.

The presiding officer in the French senate rings a bell to suppress disorder instead of tapping with a gavel, as in America and England. From all accounts of parliamentary proceedings in France he ought to be equipped with a brace of 6 pounder rapid fire guns.—St. Louis Republic.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Rainy today.

How it did rain last night!

No school because of the storm.

The pupils of Miss Corlew's dancing classes enjoyed a Valentine German on Saturday.

The Ladies' Social Union of the West Quincy Methodist church will meet in the vestry Wednesday evening.

The Valentine party to have been given at the Wollaston yacht clubhouse this evening has been indefinitely postponed.

L. T. Furnald, one of the clerks at E. H. Doble & Co.'s store, severed his connection with that firm Saturday evening.

Miss Florence Howe of Bigelow street had a candy pull Saturday evening, attended by twelve young ladies and gentlemen.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Hatch entertained a large whist party at their home on Lincoln avenue, Wollaston, on Monday evening.

That Quincy patient who borrowed a pair of crutches from a hospital and ran away on them must have a seared conscience.—Transcript.

A petition will probably be presented to the City Council next Monday evening, asking that something be done to make Furnace avenue passable.

Warren B. Stetson of Middleboro is the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. O. Studley. He will attend the Grand Army encampment in Boston this week.

The banquet of the Quincy Grocers' Association will be held tomorrow evening in Wilson hall at 8.30. The advance sale of tickets ensures a large attendance.

The trustees of the City Hospital organized Monday afternoon with William B. Rice as president; Henry M. Faxon as treasurer; and Timothy Reed as secretary.

A reception will be tendered the Holy Name society of St. Mary's church on Sunday evening. The address will be by Rev. Fr. McDonough of Cohasset.

At a meeting of the gentlemen connected with the Universalist society it was voted to hold a Men's banquet at the vestry of the church on Wednesday evening, March 7, at 6.30.

Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., was represented at the Grand Army Encampment in Boston today by Commander William H. Warner, Isaac M. Holt and Andrew W. Gardner.

The Ladies' Association of the Universalist society will serve a supper at the church vestry Wednesday, Feb. 14th, at 6.30 P. M. which will be followed by a social. Everybody welcome.

The Woman's Relief Corps was represented at the Relief Corps Encampment which opened in Boston today by Mrs. Laura E. Holt Past President, Mrs. M. A. H. Crane, and President Mrs. Kate A. Hayden.

The pleasing comedy, "Lend Me Five Shillings," made famous by Joseph Jefferson will be presented at the Universalist vestry, Friday evening, Feb. 16th, at 8 o'clock, by young people from Braintree, under the auspices of the Dorcas society.

Hose 2 was summoned to the ruins of Stuarts boat house Monday afternoon. about 4.30, as the fire of the night before had rekindled. A stream was played on the ruins for about three-quarters of an hour, to the delight of about 500 boys who assembled.

Speaker Myers appointed the following committee on Monday to attend the funeral of the late Representative Rivers, and to prepare suitable resolutions upon his death: Messrs. Dean of Brookline, Reed of Taunton, Whalen of Weymouth, Carleton of Haverhill, Roads of Marblehead, Whall of Boston, Belden of Gloucester and Crosby of Arlington.

DIED.

SIMPSON—In Quincy, Feb. 11, Mrs. Mahala L., widow of John A. Simpson, aged 88 years and 4 months.
Funeral Wednesday, at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, 194 Willard street.
DAMON—In Houghs Neck, Feb. 12, Mary J., widow of Mr. Collins Damon, aged 49 years, 4 months and 20 days.
RIVERS—In Milton, Feb. 11, Mr. George R. R. Rivers in h's 47th year,

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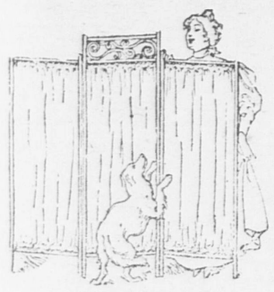
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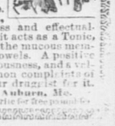
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MATRON AND MAID.

Mrs. W. Y. Atkinsen, widow of the late governor of Georgia, has taken up insurance work, being state agent for a well known company.

Ellen Terry's hobby is keeping anniversaries, and it is said she never forgets the birthdays and wedding anniversaries of her intimate friends.

Mme. Sardou is a woman of much literary ability. She is a recognized historical costume expert and has been a great help to her husband in mounting many of his plays.

New York state has two women commissioners of deeds acting outside the state. Miss Irene Brackett of Chelsea is one, and the other is Miss Edith Blaisdell, at Havana.

Olive Schreiner is said to be quite ill at Cape Town. It is further stated that she has received many anonymous communications denouncing her for her sympathy with the Boers.

Mme. Modjeska expresses confidence that the decree of the Russian government which banished her in 1894 will soon be revoked. The decree was caused by words uttered by her in public during the Columbian exposition.

Mrs. James Brown Potter, who seems to have become a fixture in London society and stage life, has adopted the fashion of wearing the red rose of England always in her hair at public functions and another in her corsage.

Mrs. E. M. Laferriere of Minneapolis, a teacher of the French language, has been selected by the governor of New Mexico to go to the Paris exposition and exploit the wonderful turquoise mines of New Mexico. She is a sister of A. Demeules, the "Turquoise King," who was murdered about eight months ago.

By the will of Caroline Brewer Croft, who died in England some time ago, almost $100,000 goes to Harvard university, to be devoted to the investigation of the disease of cancer. Mrs. Croft was much impressed with the horrors of incurable diseases and during her life had given much money for the treatment of cancer.

The first Mormon woman to enter polygamy died recently in Salt Lake City. Her name was Mrs. E. D. P. Young, and she was the widow of t[illegible] prophets. She was born at Painesville [illegible] in 1824. She married Joseph Smith, [illegible]rst Mormon prophet, at Nauvoo, Ills., with the consent of Smith's first wife. This was shortly after the revelation commanding polygamy was handed down. After the death of Joseph Smith she married Brigham Young.

TODAY'S COURT.

Francis J. Kierman was fined $7 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

William F. Macullar was arraigned for forgery at Quincy. Case continued until Wednesday.

The continued case of Herbert W. Sullivan for using profane language at Holbrook was called and placed on file.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Feb. 10: Master Byron Foster (pkge.) Mr. C. C. Everett. Lewis Law. Miss Nellie Donglas. Miss Mary McKinnon.

TWO PROPOSITIONS.

Under Consideration by Granite Manufacturers.

Meeting Today of the New England Association.

A Hope That Work May Continue Pending Settlement.

The annual meeting of the New England Manufacturers Association was held at 10 o'clock this morning at Wesleyan hall, Boston. The meeting is one of unusual importance, for aside from the election of officer's action was taken looking to a settlement of the impending labor trouble the crisis of which is expected by March 1. Everybody knows that last December the cutters served notice on all granite manufacturer, that after March 1, eight hours must constitute a day's work, and that the minimum price should be $3 per day for day work. No reply has been received up to the present time by the Cutters' Union, looking to a settlement as the cutters claim.

The eight-hour-$3-day clause is a part of the constitution of the National Cutters' Union, and the manufacturers thought the matter was out of the hands of the Quincy Union.

On the other hand the manufacturers have left the settlement of the matter in the hands of the New England Association.

The demand of the cutters means an advance of from thirty-five to forty per cent. over the present price, which the manufacturers say is entirely unreasonable.

It is believed that they are willing to grant an increase of ten per cent. and it is believed that proposition will be adopted at today's meeting.

It is understood that two propositions came up today. One, that eight hours shall constitute a day's work, and that the minimum price shall be 31 1-2 cents per hour. For piece work, the proposition proposes to increase the present bill of prices about ten per cent.

The second proposition, that eight hours shall constitute a day's work; that the average pay for day work shall be 34 cents per hour; that if a man is not capable of earning the average price, he shall work a few days during which the amount of work he can do shall be figured up, and then be submitted to a joint commit ee representing both Association and union who shall fix the amount the man shall receive per day. It also purposes to increase the price for piece work accordingly.

Should either of these proposition be accepted they will probably be submitted to the National Cutters' Union, and in turn submitted by the Natinonal Union to the several branches throughout the country. This of course will take time, but there may be an agreement to continue work pending the vote.

Forgery Charged.

William F. Maculla was arrested in Boston Monday by Inspector McKay, on a warrant charging him with forgery. Maculla formerly lived in Wollaston. While there he contracted a bill with Albert W. Fay for $39. Sometime later he called upon Mr. Fay with a check for $26.20, signed by George W. Christopher. He gave the check to Mr. Fay, to make a payment of $20 on his bill, receiving the balance, $6.20 in cash. Mr. Fay put the check through the bank where it was discovered to be a forgery. It is alleged that Maculla had issued several of these checks and for some weeks past has been in jail in Boston awaiting trial. Meantime his friends have been busy trying to settle, and in all cases, including that of Mr. Fay, restoration has been made. The cases against him in Boston have been placed on file, and it is probable that the case here will be disposed of the same way. This morning, however, Chief Ripley received a telephone from the Waltham police, inquiring about Maculla, and when that was made known to the court the case was continued until Wednesday morning.

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Q. Y. C. CUP RACES.

Will Be Sailed This Year During Week of July 16.

The first meeting of the season of the executive committee of the Quincy Yacht club was held at the Adams building on Monday evening. Commodore Davis was elected chairman of the committe and Harold B. Faxon, secretay.

Walter E. Burke, Arthur B. Holden and C. Allen Howland, Jr., were



elected members of the membership committee for the ensuing year. Ex-Commodore Rice was elected committee on the Challenge cup for the ensuing year.

The committee took action on tickets for the Pi Eta play.

The committee took the question of dates for the open race under advisement. The Hull-Massachusetts club requested that the Quincy club hold its open race on Saturday, Aug. 18. Labor day was also suggested as an excellent date for the race.

Ladies' day will be held this year on Friday, July 6.

The first race for the Challenge cup will be held this year on Monday, July 16.

The Late George R. R. Rivers.

Representative George R. R. Rivers, who died suddenly in Milton Sunday, was well known in Quincy, having been a Democratic candidate for Senator in 1898. He was born in Providence, May 28, 1853, and was taken to Milton by his parents in 1854. He spent the years of 1866-70 in Europe, and entered Harvard College in 1871, being graduated with honors in 1875. He entered the Harvard Law School in 1876, and pursued a two years' course. He afterward studied law in the office of Thomas M. Stetson of New Bedford, and was admitted to the bar of Bristol County in April, 1882. In politics he was a Democrat and represented the Fourth Norfolk District in the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1892 and 1893, and was again elected from the same district last fall. He twice ran for senator from the First Norfolk District, but was defeated. Since the death of Hon. Edward L. Pierce some years ago he had been moderator of the Milton town meetings, the only town office that he ever held. He was the author of two books, entitled "The Governor's Garden" and "The Count's Snuff Box." A widow and two children survive him.

School Attendance.

The average daily attendance at the public schools of the city for the four weeks ending Jan. 26 was 4241, an increase of over 300 over the same month a year ago. The per cent. of daily attendance was 92 plus, the High school leading. Supt. Lull makes the following report:

	Whole Number at Date.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per Cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissals.	Truants.
High	434	410.5	95.5	18	17	0
Adams	409	373.2	91.7	39	24	0
Coddington	454	418.0	92.5	5	22	0
Gridley Bryant	321	299.2	93.7	10	24	0
John Hancock	480	441.9	93.9	13	30	2
Lincoln	397	369.4	94.8	9	31	0
Mass. Fields	295	270.8	93.9	7	37	0
Quincy	353	316.2	89.1	13	26	2
Washington	302	271.9	92.7	7	29	1
Willard	833	752.5	90.5	12	34	0
Wollaston	345	317.7	94.5	10	21	0
	4,623	4,241.3	92.8	143	295	5
COMPARISON.						
1898,	4,257	4,074.0	96.4	128	362	9
1899,	4,387	*3,902.4	92.3	179	335	5
1900,	4,623	4,241.3	92.8	143	295	5

* { New law / Unusual illness.

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HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

High winds prevailed at noon.

Vaudeville at Music hall, Thursday evening.

Prof. Coffey is effecting some cures in this city.

Willet Safford of Botolph street is ill with the grip.

This is rough weather for drying clothes outdoors.

The no-school signal was sounded at 7.30 this morning.

Miss Gertrude Hall of Newbury avenue is still confined to the house.

Probate Court for Norfolk County will be held in Quincy tomorrow morning.

Plans are being made for a new hose house at Wollaston, and for remodelling of City Hall.

The Randolph steamer is at the Central Fire station, taking the place of Quincy's steamer which is being repaired.

The offices at City Hall were open Monday evening for business. The callers who had business with the officials were not numerous.

The Meadow Brook Ice Co. have succeeded in housing some ice this week although it is not as thick as the company would like to have it.

The Sewer Commissioners meet Monday evening and organized with Frederick L. Jones as chairman and A. F. Schenkelberger as secretary.

Mrs. George Sherwin of Clive street entertained the Botolph street whist club Friday evening. Mrs. Bruce and Mrs. Chase were the winners of dainty prizes.

A freight car had one set of its trucks forced off at the Quincy depot Monday night, by being forced too hard against the bumper on the freight switch.

The alarm from Box 36 at 9.58 this morning was for a slight fire in the house of Joseph A. Trepanier at 121 Water street. There was but little fire but a lot of smoke. No damage was done.

Billings road was in a much better condition before it was rebuilt than it is now, for then it was passable. The clay and loam that was used as a top dressing makes the street something awful for mud.

Mrs. J. A. Kendall of Walker street entertained a few acquaintances Friday evening, Feb. 9. There were three tables of whist and the prizes were taken by Councilman W. P. Hill and Miss Maud Gray. Ices and cake were served at the close of the game.

Officers Elected.

Mount Joy Royal Black Preceptory No 21, held a regular meeting Monday evening. A goodly number of the sir knights were present, and the following Officers were elected for one year:

W. P.,—W. F. McCalder.
D. P.,—Daniel McKinnon.
Chaplain,—John D. McKenzie.
Reg.,—F. Tinney.
Treas.,—M. A. Campbell.
1st Lecturer,—M. McLeod.
2d Lecturer,—W. B. Jones.
1st Censor,—Thomas Ross.
2d Censor,—M. Gunderson.
Standard Bearer,—H. Hamilton
Pursuant,—A. Stewart.

The installation will take place on Feb. 26, and the Supreme Grand Master will be present to install the officers elect.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Horses or cattle should never be pastured in an orchard.

The best time to prune the peach tree is early in the spring.

Too large and too thick heads on fruit trees should always be avoided by proper pruning.

An ounce of nitrate of soda dissolved in four gallons of water is an excellent food for bulbs.

There is no danger in turning under clover and planting the land to strawberries and raspberries, planting in the spring.

A good way to destroy plant lice is to dip the affected parts of the plants into a bucket of strong tobacco water or else syringe with this solution.

An orchard plowed every year has most of its seeding roots just below the reach of the plow, while one in grass runs its feeding roots near the surface.

In applying wood ashes scatter them out underneath the tree as far as the branches extend. They should not be applied close up around the stem.

As a general rule, after the orchard comes into full bearing it is best to let the trees have the benefit of the whole ground. Clover, however, may be grown. —St. Louis Republic.

A Card.

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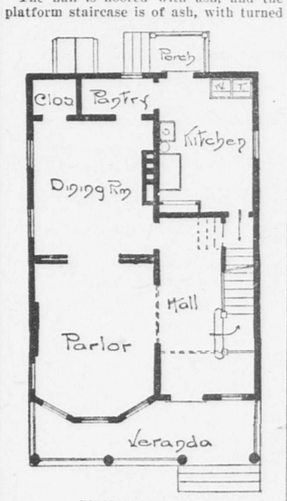
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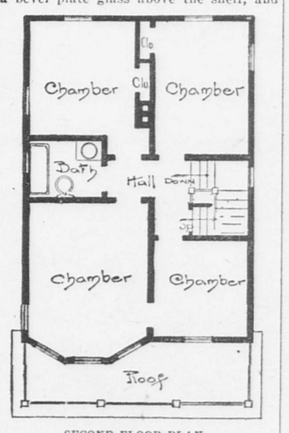
rior and a convenient interior. There is a good cellar under the entire building seven feet deep, with a wall, built of good hard burnt brick, 12 inches thick below grade and 8 inches thick above. The cellar floor is concreted 3 inches thick. The veranda extending across the front is 7 feet wide, with colonial columns, making a very comfortable and homelike appearance from the front.

The hall is floored with ash, and the platform staircase is of ash, with turned



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

and fluted newels, spindles and balusters. The hall is lighted by an art stained glass window and is separated from the parlor by portieres. The parlor has a large bay window in front and sliding doors connecting with the dining room. It is finished in white and gold and has a pretty colonial mantel, finished in the same way. The dining room is finished in hard wood antique finish, and is provided with a carved oak mantel having a bevel plate glass above the shelf, and



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

with a tile hearth and an ornamental summer piece. It has a large china closet. The pantry is fitted up with dressers. The kitchen is also fitted with all the modern improvements.

There are four bedrooms on the second floor, all provided with ample closet room. The bathroom is large and well ventilated by a large art glass window. The fixtures are all open set, with nickel trimmings. The attic can be finished with either two or three rooms, as desired. This comfortable little suburban home was built in Brooklyn last spring for $2,100.

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Put into a wide mouthed bottle, in the order named, the following articles: One gill each of powdered tripoli, powdered rotten stone, cold drawn linseed oil, turpentine, naphtha, a strong solution of oxalic acid, half a gill of alcohol and three gills of cold water. Shake well and keep well corked. To use: Pour a little on a piece of an old felt hat and rub the furniture with a circular motion, being careful not to press so hard as to cut through the varnish. Finally finish by rubbing with the grain of the wood. Clean off the polished surface. Then go over it with a soft cloth and a dressing made of one pint of paraffin oil, half a gill of turpentine and half a gill of alcohol. Let the oiled surface remain undisturbed for an hour. Then rub quite briskly with a piece of soft, old linen.

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LOST—This morning, between 8 California avenue and the West Quincy station, a Mink Scarf. Finder will please return to K. LANE HEATH, 8 California avenue. Feb. 13. 3t

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FOUND—In Wollaston Park, a sum of money. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. Address S. Box 325, Wollaston. Feb. 13-1t

WANTED.

WANTED—A Young Man who has been some time at stone cutting, to learn to cut moulding and to finish stones. Must be smart and willing. Steady employment. Address "A. A.," Ledger Office. Feb. 9-6t

WANTED—A place by a strong competent girl to do general housework. Apply at No. 9 Station street, West Quincy. Feb. 8. 6t

WANTED—Man Competent to take charge of and manage large granite quarry, located near Little Rock, Arkansas. An opportunity will be given manager to invest a few thousand dollars in quarry if he so desires. Address, GEORGE H. MEADE CO., Little Rock, Arkansas. Jan. 26-30t

WANTED—A partner in the Granite Business in Quincy. Must be fast Stone-cutter, not over 40 years old. Address Ledger Office. Jan. 24-tf

FOR SALE.

NEW MILCH COWS For Sale or Exchange. JAMES MOORHEAD, 20 Curtis street, Quincy, near Hospital. Feb. 9. 6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also hall-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises. Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.

Quincy, April 25. tf

TO LET.

Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.

Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address I. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314. Dec. 28. ft

YOU WRONG YOURSELF

If you think you are making the most of your opportunities and do not advertise liberally in the Quincy Daily Ledger, which reaches most of the families of Quincy, Wollaston, Atlantic, Norfolk Downs, Quincy Point, Quincy Neck, South and West Quincy. It also circulates in Weymouth, Braintree and Milton.

JOHN WANAMAKER,

The millionaire of Philadelphia, who made his fortune by store advertising, says "I never in my life used such a thing as a poster, or hand bill, or dodger. My plan for 20 years has been to buy so much space in a newspaper and fill it up as I want it."

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Mother and Doctor Too

Until the doctor comes, and for minor ills and accidents, the mother must doctor her family. Tens of thousands of mothers have relied upon JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT, and have found it always reliable. It is used both *externally and internally* and it is *the* remedy for inflammation from any cause. Used continually for 90 years as a household remedy, its sustained popularity and increasing use every year are the best possible testimonials to its curative powers.

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is of greatest value in treating colic, cramps, diarrhœa, cholera morbus, bites, bruises, burns, stings, chafing, colds, coughs, croup, catarrh, bronchitis, la grippe, lameness, muscle soreness and pain and inflammation in any part of the body. Sold in two size bottles, 25c. and 50c. The larger size is more economical. If your dealer hasn't it send to us. Ask first.

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FINE LAWN, FINE EMBROIDERY,

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NO BETTER CANNED GOODS.

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139 Hancock Street, Quincy.

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Furniture and Piano Mover, in and out of Town.

JOBBING OF ALL KINDS.

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Carpets taken up, cleaned by hand and relaid. Residence 9 Bennington street. Orders may be left at Page's Pool Room, Hancock street, and at Freight Office Quincy Adams Depot.

Quincy Aug 26 lp tf

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Carriage, Wagon and Harness MAKERS.

First-class Repairing in all Branches.

HORSE SHOEING A SPECIALTY.

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A Full Line of Horse Medicines.

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April 29—1y mayl tf

H. A. HAYDEN,

Piano Tuner.

Quincy Office, C. F. Pettengill's Jewelry Store, 126 Hancock street.

Residence, No. 5 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point.

Oct. 6 tf

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Jan. 24 tf

RED LIGHT.

The red light is used as a warning of danger ahead, so the one to be seen burning at 20 Franklin street, is only to remind you of the danger there is in paying too much for your Christmas Goods, such as Toys, Sleds, Rocking Horses, Dolls and Doll Carriages, Fancy Crockery. Headquarters for Skates and skate sharpeners. We have a fine lot of Rugs to select from. Don't be deceived, but call and be convinced that this is the place to trade.

QUINCY SECOND HAND

Variety Co., 20 Franklin St.,

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Aug. 25. ly

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and at the following places:

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A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
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WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
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NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
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EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter 6 11:23 a. m. | Full Moon 14 8:56 a. m.
Third Quarter 22 11:44 a. m.

In Behalf of Mrs. Maybrick.

Norfolk, Feb. 13.—Efforts are again making here to secure freedom for Mrs. Florence Maybrick, now serving a life sentence in England for the murder of her husband. The Maybricks lived here at one time. President McKinley will be asked to intercede in Mrs. Mayorick's behalf with the British authorities.

Taxed From Two to Five Percent.

Berlin, Feb. 13.—The text of the government bill specially taxing department stores in Prussia was published yesterday. This shows that sales from 500,000 marks upward are to be taxed 2 percent, rising to 5 percent with each increase of 1,000,000.

Mulvihill Lasted Two Rounds.

Lynn, Mass., Feb. 13.—At the Kirtland Athletic club last night the bout between George Byers of Lynn and Martin Mulvihill, a former naval pugilist, scheduled for 15 rounds, was stopped at the end of the second to save Mulvihill from further punishment, Byers having clearly the better of it.

Three Fires In High School Building.

Gardiner, Me., Feb. 13.—An investigation into the cause of the recent fire in the high school building was held yesterday, and a verdict was rendered that it was incendiary. There were two previous fires in the same building.

In Navy Department's Hands.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The president has issued an executive order placing the island of Tutuila under the control of the navy department. Assistant Secretary Allen is charged with the administration of this and other islands under the jurisdiction of the navy department.

Western Baseball Clubs Organize.

Des Moines, Feb. 13.—At a meeting here yesterday the organization of the Western League of Baseball clubs was perfected. The league consists of six instead of eight clubs, as first intended. The towns are Des Moines, Sioux City, Omaha, St. Joseph, Denver and Pueblo.

Bullet Through Her Lung.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 13.—Mrs. Bertha Harrington, 30 years old, fatally shot herself through the left lung yesterday in the attic of her home. A 38-calibre revolver was used. Mental aberration caused by long illness resulted in the shooting.

Caused by Impure Water.

Dunkirk, N. Y., Feb. 13.—Typhoid fever, supposed to originate in organic matter in the city's water supply, is spreading so rapidly as to be almost epidemic. At one hospital there are 25 typhoid patients.

Reward of $100.000 Offered.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 13.—In both houses of the legislature yesterday, a bill was introduced offering a reward of $100,000 for the detection of Goebel's murderers.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The weather yesterday was generally cloudy in all sections of the country, except on the Pacific coast, with scattered rains falling in Atlantic coast and gulf states. Fair and cold weather will prevail in New England.

☞ Carpets Cleaned—Taken up and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Famine Stricken India.

London, Feb. 13.—The India office has received a dispatch from Lord Curzon, the Indian viceroy, in which he says that the distress arising from the famine is steadily increasing, and that those now in receipt of relief number 3,784,000.

GRAIN-O! GRAIN-O!

remember that name when you want a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it. Grain-O is made of pure grain, it aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder and the children as well as the adults can drink it with great benefit. Costs about 1-4 as much as coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package. Ask your grocer for Grain-O.

CURRENCY PROBLEM.

Wolcott Says Gold Will Always Be the Standard Unit of Value.

Bimetallism Injured by the Followers of Bryan.

People Ceasing to Pay Attention to the "Prophets of Dispair and Doom."

Washington, Feb. 13.—The debate on the financial bill attracted a good deal of interest in the senate yesterday. Mr. Elkins addressed the senate on the financial bill, and referred to the speech delivered Saturday by Mr. Chandler, which, he said, would be distributed by hundreds of thousands, not by his own political associates, but by his political enemies. Mr. Wolcott of Colorado spoke at length on the measure.

Mr. Wolcott's position as chairman of the international bimetallic commission of 1897 made his utterances of more than usual interest and importance. Referring to the first section of the senate bill declaring the gold dollar should continue to stand as the standard unit of value, he said:

"Of course it will—and it would so continue if this section were eliminated from the bill. We might as well gravely pass a law providing that a yard shall continue to be three feet in length.

"The enactment of this measure into law without at the same time accompanying it with a reaffirmance of the position of the Republican party respecting international bimetallism would be an aparent abandonment of the principles and policy of the party, and the amendment reported by the finance committee conveys a positive assurance to the world that this country, able to hold its own among the nations of the earth with gold as its standard, is still ready to meet and treat with the other leading commercial countries looking to an international agreement to open the mints of the world to silver as well as gold.

"In this country bimetallism has received its greatest injury and suffered its severest blow at the hands of the Bryan Democracy. In close alliance with the Populist party, which still demands an irredeemable and inflated paper currency, clamoring for free silver at 16 to 1 by the United States alone, to the exclusion of other settlement of the question, advocating openly depreciated money, ridiculing all idea of international agreement, associating their demands with a snarling protest against every policy which seeks the enforcement of law and order and the maintenance of the honor of our country and the fulfilment of our obligations to mankind, it is not surprising that they have so clouded the minds of men that many of them see no difference between the free silver of Bryan and bimetallism, are inclined to seek an end of the whole matter and hesitate to deal with the subject in any form.

"But we can be honest and win. There is a radical change taking place, not only in Colorado, but in all the far northwestern states. Our people are tired of hearing only a gospel of hate and sectionalism. We don't pay as much attention as we formerly did to the prophets of despair and doom who are eternally warning us against the wrath to come, that somehow don't come."

In conclusion he said: "It is my sincere conviction that in our day, and I believe soon, a genuine and united effort will be sought by the leading commercial nations to restore the bimetallic system."

Mr. Butler closed the debate for the day, advocating the adoption of his amendment providing for an issue of paper currency by the government.

The senate confirmed the nomination of Mrs. Bertha Honore Palmer of Illinois, to be a commissioner to the Paris exposition.

The house passed a resolution to print 15,000 copies of the report of the Philippine commission. The house committee on mines and mining reported favorably on a bill to establish a department of mines, its head to be a member of the cabinet.

An important bill was passed by the house which makes universally applicable the law that now permits the transit of goods in bond through certain ports of the United States. Under it goods in bond can be shipped through any port of the territory of the United States to foreign ports. It is principally designed to give the transportation companies of the United States a share of the trans-continental trade to the Orient. The bill also repeals the law of March 1, 1895, prohibiting the shipment of goods in bond to the Mexican free zone. The latter provision was fought by Mr. Stephens of Texas.

The remainder of the day was occupied in passing the private pension bills favorably acted upon at last Friday night's session and in District of Columbia legislation.

Two Men Killed.

Boston, Feb. 13.—Two more victims were added last night to the list of fatalities in the yard of the new South Terminal station, when the bodies of John Middleton of South Boston and another man, whose name is not yet known, were picked up, horribly mangled, just outside the train shed. From the position of the men found, it is believed that they were standing on the track facing the shed, when an inward train came suddenly upon them.

Protest From Tobacco Growers.

Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 13.—The Lancaster County Tobacco Growers' society adopted resolutions stating that the action of the majority of the ways and means committee in congress, in deciding upon a tariff of 25 percent of the present tariff upon all goods imported from Puerto Rico, is placing the tariff too low to prevent the importation of the products complained of, and that it will not protect the American farmer.

CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS.

Promoters of New Baseball Association Meet at Chicago to Fix Up a New Circuit.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Promoters of the American Association of Baseball clubs are in this city in the endeavor to fix their circuit. Upon their efforts hinges the life of the organization, which is proposed as a rival of the National league. The men backing the association acknowledge that the failure to settle matters at this meeting means possibly the end of the attempt, at least for this year.

The promoters say there will be little or no trouble in getting sufficient backing for a circuit of eight clubs. Seven clubs have been secured that have the backing needed, and the eighth is thought to be available. Some difficulty may be experienced in balancing the circuit, getting four western and four eastern clubs, as there are two applicants for the fourth place on the western side, while Providence is looked upon only as a possibility for the east. It is expected, however, that representatives will be present from Providence, and if sufficient backing is shown by the other cities, Providence may come in also. Washington is also looked upon as a possibility in the event of the default of Providence.

Louisville is making a strong play for the fourth place on the western circuit. Whiteside of Louisville is making a hard fight. There is considerable speculation over who will probably be the president of the new organization. Some delegates favor a younger man than Anson, and there is talk of Zack Phelps of Louisville.

Bay State Legislature

Boston, Feb. 13.—Upon the assembling of the house yesterday Mr. Saunders gave notice that when the McNary order relative to the Boston and Albany should be reached in the orders of the day he should move to amend by the substitution of an order which he would offer. This order will make the second to be proposed in substitution for Mr. McNary's, and there also are propositions in the air pointing to a diversion of the original order to the judiciary or the railroad or some other committee.

The Cape Cod canal fight was precipitated in the house by the motion of Mr. Engstrom to discharge from the orders of the day the bill relative to the Boston, Cape Cod and New York Canal company. Mr. Francis, chairman of harbors and public lands, opposed this action. Mr. Horgan supported the motion, saying that the bill was in violation of the stock-watering laws of the commonwealth. The house approved the motion, and voted to lay the bill on the table.

Miss Gonne at Fall River.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 13.—The Irish societies of this city tendered a reception to Maud Gonne at the Casino last evening. Miss Gonne's speech was on the same lines as those delivered elsewhere since her arrival in this country and dealt chiefly with England's tyranny, alleging disregard for the flag of truce and the massacre of her enemy's wounded. She made great stress of the cruelties said to be practiced on Boer prisoners by the English army.

Atkinson's Views.

Boston, Feb. 13.—Edward Atkinson, the economist and anti-imperialist, in a lecture before the Knights of Columbus last night said that the advertising given him by the attacks made upon him had done him good financially. On the matter of the Boer war, which he denounces primarily, he spoke harshly against the Boers, accusing them of extreme brutality to the blacks and general ignorance.

An Opportunity For Americans.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Consul General Stowe at Cape Town serves notice on American manufacturers that as soon as the war in South Africa is over there will be a boom which will afford many opportunities for the introduction of American goods and American enterprises. The country will then be short of supplies, he says, and will want the countless things required by one emerging from a war.

Considered by Business Men.

Boston, Feb. 13.—At a meeting of the Boston associated board of trade last night, a resolution was adopted favoring the lease of the Boston and Albany railroad to the New York Central, and the Fitchburg railroad to the Boston and Maine, and a committee of five was appointed to appear before the legislature to see that the interests of the state and of Boston are duly protected in these leases.

Deserved a Better Fate.

Bennington, Vt., Feb. 13.—Andrew Howe, 61 years old, an inmate of the soldiers' home, is dying from a wound in the head inflicted by shooting himself with suicidal intent. Howe was a member of company F, First Vermont cavalry, in the Civil war, was in 12 battles, was wounded five times and twice made a prisoner.

Clerkship Deadlock Broken.

Boston, Feb. 13.—In the board of aldermen yesterday Edward J. Donovan was elected city clerk in concurrence with the common council by a vote of 10 to 3, Frank J. O'Toole got the three votes. This ends a deadlock over the city clerkship, which has lasted nearly six weeks.

Postmaster Feared Assassination.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The postoffice at Wilmuth, Tex., has been ordered discontinued from Feb. 14 next. This action was taken as a result of representations by the postmaster there that he wished to resign because of open threats that he would be assassinated.

Police Stepped In.

Troy, Feb. 13.—Louden Campbell of Pittsburg got the decision over Larry Burns of Cohoes last night before the Manhattan club in the 14th round. The bout was to have gone 20 rounds, but was stopped by the police.

Ended Life With Laudanum.

New Haven, Feb. 13.—Joseph J. Schoen, aged 67, committed suicide yesterday by taking laudanum. He leaves a widow and a son. Despondency, owing to ill-health, is believed to be the cause.

OPPOSITION TO TRUSTS.

Chicago Conference Considered by Some to Be Opening of National Campaign.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Whether the conference called by the Anti-Trust league will, by its deliberations, add anything to the already large mass of conceptions and misconceptions on this great subject, seems to be a serious question. The delegates who are now on the spot are with few exceptions, allied with the parties opposed to the national administration, and it is charged that this conference is to be simply an adjunct to the Democracy, and a preliminary opening of the national campaign of this year. President Lockwood, however, says that nothing of a partisian nature will be permitted, and he will attempt to hold the convention to the definite and broad objects outlined in the call.

The chief results of the conference held here last fall under the auspices of the Civic Federation might be stated as follows: Trusts which are a monopoly are evil, and so far as they owe their existence to transportation and tariff discriminations ought to be abolished by removing such discriminations. That these discriminations exist is a tangible and admitted fact, and if this conference can show any other way of dealing with these problems, it will have accomplished much. The wholesale denunciations which are promised are more than likely to react even upon those who utter them, and just as the previous conference grew in conservatism and caution, this one may have a similar trend.

The resolutions formulated by the committee covered the following points: Government ownership of all railways and telegraph lines, the abolition of all special privileges by legislative enactment, placing on the free list of all trust goods and direct legislation by petition from the people.

Bullet Intended For Goebel.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 13.—Detectives working on the Goebel assassination have discovered a bullet imbedded in one of the trees on the south side of the capital square. It struck the tree about 20 inches from the ground and almost on a line from the executive building and the spot where Governor Goebel fell. A block of wood containing the bullet was cut from the tree and is now in the possession of the prosecuting attorney.

Adams For Vice President.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Ex-Congressman George E. Adams of Chicago was last night named enthusiastically as the candidate of the Marquette club for vice president of the United States on the Republican ticket. When William McKinley was congressman and a guest of the club, he was proposed for president at one of the annual banquets.

West Is Insane.

Boston, Feb. 13.—Judge Gaskill committed Charles G. West to the state lunatic hospital at Danvers. West assaulted three persons with an axe in a house on Parker street some time ago. He was held for the grand jury on a charge of assault with intent to kill. The grand jury returned no bill by reason of insanity.

On the Road to Recovery.

New York, Feb. 13.—Roland Reed, the actor, who has been ill at St. Luke's hospital for many weeks, suffering from cancer of the stomach, was so much improved yesterday as to be permitted to take a short carriage ride. The physicians now expect that Mr. Reed will fully recover without another operation.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

☞ Bicycles. Our 1900 models on exhibition now. The handsomest bicycles that Quincy has ever seen. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Brown Is Very Sick.

New York, Feb. 13.—Since the termination of the Molineux trial, Manheim Brown, who was juror No. 10, has been confined to his home, very sick. Dr. Tynberg says that his patient is in a state of collapse. He refused to say whether or not he thought Mr. Brown was going to die.

It's Worse For a Woman



To suffer with skin disease than it is for a man, for a smooth skin and a clear complexion are essential elements of female beauty. When the taint of scrofula is in the blood it will be sure to show itself soon or late. Often its manifestations are as repulsive as they are painful. Many people have been cured of scrofula in its most malignant forms by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This remedy is remarkable for its power to purify the blood. It absolutely eliminates the corrupting elements. It makes the blood clean and rich. It increases the action of the blood-making glands, and so increases the quantity of pure blood supplied to the body.

"I will forever thank you for advising me to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery," writes Mrs. Jas. Murphy, of Fonda, Pocahontas Co., Iowa. "It has cured me of chronic scrofula, of twelve years' standing. I had doctored for the trouble until I was completely discouraged. I also had chronic diarrhea for twelve years. I am in good health now—better than I ever was in my life, owing to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took several bottles of the 'Discovery' before I stopped."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, a work for every woman, is sent free, on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps (to pay cost of mailing *only*), for paper edition. Cloth-bound, 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Last Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.50 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

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ROAST BEEF,	6 to 12 1-2 cts. lb.	PLAIN TRIPE,	5 cts. lb.
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Washouts on Railroads and Loss of Life Reported.

Manufactnring, Logging and Ice Harvesting Interests Will Suffer Heavily.

Boston, Feb. 14.—An excessively heavy rainfall, after wiping out what few evidences there were of snow and ice, has brought to a climax the most unseasonable winter New England has known for a great many years.

Tributary bodies of water, which a few weeks ago were so low that the almost unheard of condition of drought in midwinter was threatened, have been changed into torrents of more threatening volume than in the usual spring freshets. From drought to flood, with all of the damage done at both extremes to the manufacturing, logging and ice harvesting interests, is now added the cost of replacing bridges swept away, and of replacing railway and highway beds torn up. More serious still, there has been loss of life at several points.

In this section the rainfall exceeded 1 1-3 inches, and as the unfrozen ground was sodden from moisture, precipitated during a long spell of mild weather, most of the fall ran off into the natural drainage channels.

In the northern section, where there was snow on the ground, the rain was absorbed to some extent, and will scarcely be noticed, as colder weather will serve as a check. With the end of the winter approaching, New England has not yet seen an old-fashioned snowstorm, which emphasizes the out-of-place nature of yesterday's storm.

The most extensive damage reported is along the Merrimac and Connecticut rivers. The blow was fierce along the coast, but shipping, usually less in volume at this section of the year, had ample warning of the storm. A big fleet of coasters, chiefly the coal fleet, was anchored off the Cape Cod shore, but it was safe, as contrary winds for many days had made the ship masters keep their anchors down and hold on tight for a shift to more favoring winds.

At Manchester, N. H., Almer H. Jackson, a second hand in a mill, attempted to jump over a riverlet, but fell into the water and was washed away and drowned. He leaves a widow and four children.

Washouts stopped traffic on the Boston and Maine main line with Nashua, and on the Manchester and North Weare branch.

Siona Martin, 12 years old, was drowned in the Nashua river at South Fitchburg, Mass., during her attempt to leave her home, which rising water had surrounded. The current was so swift that she was carried off her feet.

Dispatches from various sections in Vermont and Maine place the rainfall at over three inches. The Connecticut river at Bellows Falls rose nearly five feet during the day, and as most of the smaller streams are running wild a further rise of six to eight feet is looked for.

In the Champlain valley rain has continued nearly five days, so that the after effects are expected to be more serious than now appears.

At North Adams, the Hoosac river runs stronger and higher than at any time for 30 years, several mills having their lower floors flooded, with damage exceeding $10,000. The great pressure of water at the temporary dam of the metropolitan water board at Clinton, which reservoir in the Nashua river supplies the Boston district, is so great that the workmen are preparing for emergencies.

Along the Kennebec river in Maine the ice is so weak that it is likely to break up today and with the ice goes all prospects for a harvest this season.

From all points come reports of heavy damage to mill property and the destruction of small bridges by ice jams.

The suburban electric car service is suffering greatly owing to slides of earth under the rails. It is pretty generally agreed that no February storm of its nature for more than a generation has done greater damage than that which is giving way to cooler, clearer, westerly weather.

The rain storm has done an incalculable amount of damage throughout New Hampshire, the railroads suffering extensively. Trains are delayed in all parts by washouts or mud piled on the tracks. The Suncook valley branch suffered three big washouts, one being 40 feet long and 15 feet deep. At Peterboro, the three trestle bridges were jammed out of shape by packed ice, and the Contoocook river is higher than ever before.

The heaviest rain storm for a year, according to official reports, threatened to create much damage throughout Connecticut, and though reports come from all sections of the state of rivers and tributaries overflowing their banks, no casualties are reported and but little serious damage. The deluge has been effective in increasing the water supply in reservoirs that have for a long time been almost exhausted, and towns that have been inconvenienced for months from an inadequate water supply are again rejoicing that all danger of a water famine has been removed.

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BAY STATE VETERANS' ENCAMPMENT.

Two Posts and 933 Comrades Dropped Out During the Year—Election of Officers.

Boston, Feb. 14.—When Department Commander John E. Gilman called the 34th Grand Army encampment to order yesterday at Faneuil hall the seats reserved for the delegates and representatives were well filled and there was a fair percentage of the strength usually seen at these gatherings. The storm affected the morning attendance to some extent, but comrades dropped in at intervals and took their seats.

The departmental reports occupied the earlier part of the day and were attentively listened to. Department Commander Gilman's report showed the number of comrades Dec. 31, 1899, to be 19,227, a net loss during the year of 933, and 211 posts, a loss of two.

The principal business of the afternoon was the election of department officers for the ensuing year. On the first ballot Peter D. Smith of post 99, Andover, was elected department commander. Other officers elected are: Senior vice commander, Silas Barton, post 29, Waltham; junior vice commander, General W. W. Blackmar, Kinsley post 113, Boston; medical examiner, Dr. E. P. Pierce, Springfield; chaplain, Rev. D. W. Davis, post 12, Amesbury, Mass.

At the meeting of the women's relief corps the committees to which were referred the reports of the various officers made their reports and all their recommendations were adopted. The name of Mrs. Mary G. Deane of Fall River was presented as a candidate for the office of national president, and several speeches in her support were made. The convention voted to give Mrs. Deane its support.

Bay State Legislature

Boston, Feb. 14.—The lower branch of the legislature yesterday passed an extensive order requesting the attorney general and the railroad commissioners to furnish considerable information regarding the proposed lease of the Boston and Albany railroad to the New York Central railroad.

The initiative order was introduced last week by Mr. McNary, but was opposed by the committee on railroads as requiring of the railroad commissioners answers to judicial question. The order adopted yesterday takes both judicial and questions of fact, and includes certain questions as to the cost to the state should the legislature decide to approve the purchase of the road by the commonwealth.

Somewhat of a sensation was created by the introduction of a resolve by Representative Mellen, expressing confidence in Senator Hoar. Mr. Mellen stated previous to the session of the house that the order was the result of an attack made on Senator Hoar at the Middlesex club Monday night by Representative Cushman of Washington. The order is in the hands of the committee on rules.

Mystery Partially Solved.

New York, Feb. 14.—On Aug. 3 of last year, Charles Beirne, 11 years old, and his playmate, Martin Loefler, 9 years old, disappeared. Yesterday, within a stone's throw of their homes, in a vacant house, the bodies of the two lost boys were found. Plumbers found the bodies in a closet in the upper part of the house. The door fits tightly, and is equipped with a spring lock, having no knob on the inside. Once shut it can be opened only from without. At the time of their disappearance this house was occupied by Cornelius A. Hearn, a dissipated man. He treated his two sons brutally and the Gerry society warned him. The next day Hearn's boys disappeared. He would not say what he did with them.

Washington May Join New League.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—The baseball magnates yesterday elected permanent officers for the new organization. Adrian C. Anson was chosen president and Philip Peterson of Baltimore was elected secretary and treasurer. It is said that five cities have asked to be granted a franchise in the association. They are: New Haven, Worcester, Syracuse, Washington and Detroit. It is conceded that Washington will probably be taken in as the fourth eastern member.

Strike of Granite Cutters Probable.

Boston, Feb. 14.—At a meeting of the New England granite manufacturers here yesterday resolutions were passed declaring that the manufacturers cannot accede to the demands of eight hours' labor in a day's work and at least $3 per day as wages. It is understood the manufacturers would be willing to grant the eight-hour day if wages remain at their present rate. It is not expected that the manufacturers will succeed in averting a strike.

Alleged Wrongful Appropriation.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 14.—The heirs of Edward F. Randolph, formerly a member of the firm of Randolph & Clowes, manufacturers, of this city, have brought suit against George H. Clowes and wife to recover sums aggregating over $65,000, which they allege were wrongfully appropriated by Mr. Clowes from the firm's funds, and were used in purchasing real estate which now stands in Mrs. Clowes' name.

New England's Boer Hospital Corps.

Boston, Feb. 14.—The first Red Cross hospital corps sent by the United Irish societies of New England for work with the Boers in South Africa left for New York last night over the Boston and Albany railroad. The party numbered 11, which will be augmented to 16 or 18 by additions at Springfield and other places en route.

Order is Growing.

Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 14.—General Huings, commander-in-chief of the National Association of Spanish War Veterans, yesterday issued charters to 42 camps of that order located in Pennsylvania, New York, Rhode Island, New Hampshire and other states.

AN ATTACK IN FORCE.

Boers Have Compelled British to Concentrate at Rensberg.

Driven From Colesberg District Under Pressure.

Spenser Wilkinson Says Boer Army Must Be Destroyed to End the War.

London, Feb. 14.—The light skirmishing of the past few days around Rensburg has developed into an attack of considerable proportions, since there is doubt whether the town can be held. Rensburg has been for nearly two months the headquarters of French's operations against Colesberg, and until this commander was detached, presumably to command Lord Roberts' horse, the Boers, though re-enforced, had been kept strictly on the defensive. Clements is now in command at Rensburg.

The operations which now appear to be coming to a head began last Friday, when the Boers began flank movements east and west that gave the British much worry. They were set down as reconnoissances in force, and resulted only in the picking up of stray patrols and outposts and the capture of 1000 sheep. When renewed Monday and yesterday it became apparent that the Boer activity might portend more important movements, and the reconnoissances have developed into an attack in force.

The news of the day is the enforced retirement of the British from the Colesburg district under heavy Boer pressure and probably after brisk fighting. Thus at a time when Lord Roberts is apparently about to push an army into the Free State, the Boers make a counter stroke in an unknown but seemingly great force, not far from the vital line of railway connecting De Aar and Orange River.

Military observers do not regard this as more than a menace. Nevertheless the news produces an unpleasant impression here. General French had maneuvered the Boers out of Rensburg in December. In January it was reported he could take Colesberg in two days with reinforcements. These were sent, but the Boers also were reinforced. Since then the British lines have been extended east and west, so that at the opening of this week they constituted a great horseshoe, 35 miles in length. The lines were not continuous, but all the strong positions were held.

General French, when joined by Lord Roberts, presumably took most of his cavalry. General Clements was left with the infantry to hold the Boers in check, but Commandant Delarey, with a double turning movement, has compelled the British to concentrate at Rensburg, besides threatening Lord Roberts' communications.

The Boer mastery of the district has caused a spread of the insurrection, but this, no doubt, will be promptly repressed, as large British forces are available not far away.

Spencer Wilkinson, in The Morning Post, discussing the news from Rensburg, says: This intelligence is the natural price paid for a blow elsewhere. The concentration at Modder River is apparently accomplished by a weakening of the force at Colesberg, and of this the Boers have taken advantage, to assume the offensive. Meanwhile it looks as though the enemy had withdrawn their forces from Magersfontein to reinforce those at Colesberg, where a Boer victory would threaten British communications between Cape Town and Modder River.

Reviewing the whole campaign, Mr. Wilkinson says that the type of the coming operations recalls that of the American Civil war. Developing this thought, he remarks:

British strategy must be to crush in succession each of the three principal Boer forces near Kimberley, Colesberg and Stormberg by bringing against them greatly superior numbers. Much depends on what happens in Natal. General Joubert is not likely to abandon his present enterprise against Ladysmith until disaster to the other Boer armies compels him. The opinion that the invasion of the Free State will suffice to bring the Free State troops out of Natal and will induce the Free Staters to submit is not based on a true estimate of the nature of the Boer. The two republics are fighting for national existence; and they will stand or fall together. This war will not be ended by strategical maneuverings or by the occupation of geographical points, but by the destruction of the Boer army—taking the word destruction in its military sense, of decisive defeat involving dispersion of an army as an organized fighting force.

Congressman Chickering's End.

New York, Feb. 14.—Congressman Charles A. Chickering of Copenhagen was killed by falling or jumping from the fire escape on the fourth story of the Grand Union hotel. He was found dead from a fractured skull on the sidewalk, directly under the window of his room. The window was open. There is no means of ascertaining how he came to get over the four-foot railing of the fire escape.

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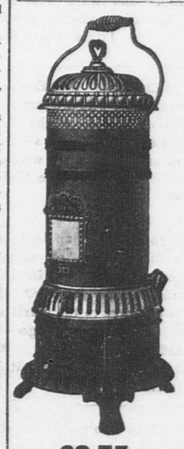
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Feb. 5. 11t

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Feb. 13. 3t

Grocers' Annual Banquet.

THE Quincy Grocers' Association hold their Ninth Annual Banquet, WEDNESDAY Evening, February 14th. Any of the Quincy Business Men wishing to attend can procure tickets of the Committee.

GEORGE H. WILSON,
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Quincy, Feb. 5. 9t

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Jan. 29. tf

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Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	48	9	48	26
Monday,	48	39	5	51	27
Tuesday,	60	33	12	41	29
Wednesday,	38	37	30	48	40
Thursday,	—	45	30	43	44
Friday,	—	43	40	27	41
Saturday,	—	41	50	28	42

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—P. E. Island Girl.
Hearings—State House (2).
Wanted—Girls for general housework.

Good Afternoon.

There was a meeting in Boston Tuesday, which lasted nearly all day, between the granite manufacturers and granite cutters in regard to prices demanded by the cutters the first of March. Nothing could be agreed upon and there will be a strike, without a doubt, by the granite cutters the first of the month.

If the matter could be settled by the granite cutters and manufacturers in this city it would be done without a doubt; or if the granite cutters and manufactuers of New England had the power in their hands they would come to an agreement. But it appears to be a national affair. All the granite cutters associations in the United States are linked together and what the organization agrees to, each separate association has got to live up to.

The granite cutters demand three dollars a day for eight hours' work, instead of $2.50 for nine hours, which they are now receiving. If they had asked for an eight-hour day, with a nine hours' pay, there is little doubt but they would have brought the manufacturers to their demand; but they have demanded so much, there seems to be no possibility of coming to an agreement. There will now be a strike of one or two months at least, as it will take that time to make any change in the constitution of the granite cutters in the many states in the union, and it will possibly last all summer. It only remains to be seen how long the merchants and storekeepers are willing to trust the workmen who have no money or work.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Another devastating discussion is impending. It is between those who say "differ from" and those who say "differ with." Why should people always differ?—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

☞ It is unfortunate for England that all the strategists who are familiar with the methods which might have been employed to assure easy victory over the Boers are engaged in writing for the newspapers.—Milwaukie Evening Wisconsin.

☞ What is the use of apologizing for slavery or the "system of vassalage" or whatever the peculiar institution of the Sulu Islands may be? In any guise it is contrary to the spirit of America, and it will have to go if American influence controls. We might as well be honest about it.—New Bedford Standard.

☞ The first man who made all the parts of a machine (like a watch or a locomotive, interchangeable in all machines of the same grade) made such machines cheaper for all men, and added immensely to the wages of American working men. Such a simple thing in mechanics may reach farther in results for the amelioration of human wretchedness than the most elaborate plan of the most ambitious organizer of society. — Christian Register.

☞ There is a great deal of senseless talk about an ideal and Christian daily, mainly from people who know the least about editing papers. We deny emphatically the imputation that there are now no clean and excellent daily papers. There are many that are practically Christian. They stand for the higher moral ideals, pure literature, pure politics, pure homes, honest business. They are the bulwarks of righteousness, and condemn all forms of wrong and evil unsparingly. In looking for an impracticable and visionary ideal we must not forget the excellent daily press which we now possess.—Zion's Herald.

☞ The investigation of the Clark bribery case, by the committee of the United State senate, has developed some very curious conditions. The fact is that the citizens of Montana who have taken up the case against the senator have badly damaged their own side by the sort of witnesses they have introduced, but the whole business is a revelation of a very peculiar state of affairs in that section. The men active in public affairs in the state seem to have a shady side to their record very generally, and it is impossible to attach much weight to the testimony of men who admit that they are liars, embezzlers and gamblers.—Bridgeport Standard.

☞ Representative Arthur Clark of Dedham is up to his neck in legislative business. We do not believe the county will take kindly to his bill relative to the election of special county commissioners, as it removes from the people the election of those officials. The affairs of Norfolk County are well managed, and we do not see the advantage of having special commissioners act with the regular board.—Hyde Park Gazette.

☞ What has become of that Filipino patriot and statesman, Agoncillo, who skedadled out of this country and sought refuge in Paris early in the beginning of the Tagal rebellion? He must be getting quite enamored of Parisian life, for certainly he is doing nothing to advance the interests which are paying his bills in Europe Why doesn't he return home and help Aguinaldo?—Taunton Evening News.

☞ All those who know them claim that the Boers are ignorant, dirty, lazy and shiftless. They seemed to know how to get ready for war in good shape and how to carry it on. War is a dirty job, but success in it is not won by laziness or ignorance.—Taunton Gazette.

Public Installation.

Merrymount lodge, A. O. U. W. held a public installation of its officers Tuesday evening. Although the weather was not favorable for a large attendance, the hall was well filled. The work of the installing officers was very fine and evoked much applause. The installing officers, who came from Allston lodge, were all in full evening dress and the suite was as follows:

G. M. W.,—A. B. Gillpatrick.
P. G. M. W.,—W. P. Preble.
Foreman,—F. J. Jacquith.
Overseer,—F. A. Smith.
Receiver—O. J. Raycroft.
Financier,—J. E. Gallagher.
Recorder,—C. H. Davis.
I. W.,—J. R. Mahoney.
G. Guide,—W. H. Squire.
Pianist,—P. F. DeLang.

The officers installed were:

P. M. Workman—G. C. Ela.
M. W.,—J. E. Bean.
Foreman,—G. A. Wardwell.
Overseer,—G. H. Gifford.
Recorder,—Dr. A. H. Gilson.
Receiver,—N. O. Parker.
Financier,—C. H. Johnson.
Guide,—J. W. Kemp.
Inside W.,—R. T. Fisher.
Outside W.,—C. H. Geddes.
Trustee for three years,—Dr. C. W. Garey.
Representative to Grand Lodge,—G. C. Ela.
Alternate,—Dr. A. H. Gilson.

After the installation, George C. Ela the retiring Master Workman was presented with a Past Master's Jewel by the lodge.

Next in order came refreshments which was followed by whist, at which prizes were awarded as follows: Lady's silk umbrella to Miss Leila Parker of Wollaston; gentleman's smoking set, F. A. Smith of Wollaston.

☞ Furniture reupholstered and repaired, hair mattresses made over, hair renovated and ticking washed. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Fire in Greenhouse.

The alarm from Box 59, Wollaston, at 3.05 o'clock this morning was for a fire in the head-house of a greenhouse on Beale street owned by Samuel Brown and occupied by Wm. C. Ward. The fire had considerable headway when it was discovered by Frank S. Merrill. The fire caught from the boiler. Mr. Brown's loss will be $700; insured for $600. Ward's loss is the destruction of countless pinks, sweet peas, etc., valued at several hundred dollars.

☞ Furniture reupholstered and repaired Mattresses made over. Carpets cleaned. Window Shades to order. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

DIED.

LJUNGQUIST—In West Quincy, Feb. 13, Mrs. Hannah K., wife of Mr. Eric Edward Ljungquist, aged 35 years, 1 month and 1 day.

MOORE—In South Braintree, Feb. 11, Mrs. Maria Moore, aged 76 years, 3 months and 20 days.

OVERTURES FOR CONFERENCE

Renewed by the Granite Manufacturers' Association of New England.

Resolution Adopted at Largely Attended Meeting Says Manufacturers Cannot Pay $3 for Eight Hours Work.

The following resolution was adopted at the conference of the Granite Manufacturers of New England in Boston on Tuesday:

"Whereas, the Granite Cutters' National Union has, through its officers, informed the Granite Manufacturers of New England that under its constitution no negotiations for wages and hours of labor will be had with said manufacturers or any committee by them raised for that purpose which does not provide in advance a concession and agreement for eight hours' labor in a day's work, and at least $3 per day as wages.

"Now, believing that such a scale of prices will prevent the manufacture of granite, we, the undersigned hereby agree with each other that we cannot accede to said demands so required to be complied with.

"Resolved, That the Granite Manufacturers' Association of New England indorses and approves the action of its executive committee relative to a conference by committee with the National Granite Cutters' Union, and authorizes and directs its committee to renew such overtures as have hitherto been made to the national committee of Granite Cutters' Union to the end that business may not suffer or labor be unemployed."

(Signed)

Bodwell Granite Company, by George M. Brainerd, president.
Norcross Brothers.
John Peirce: Cape Ann Granite Company, per Jonas H. French, president.
Maine & New Hampshire Granite Company, by Payson Tucker, treasurer.
Booth Bros. & Hurricane Isle Granite Company, William Booth, president.
Hallowell Granite Works, by Joseph F. Bodwell, president.
Rockport Granite Company, by Charles S. Rogers, treasurer.
Mt. Waldo Granite Works, by Albert Peirce, treasurer.
Pigeon Hill Granite Company, by F. Scripture, treasurer.
The New England Granite Works, by J. G. Batterson, president.

It was the annual meeting of the association, called principally to take action on the demand of the cutters for an eight-hour day and a minimum price of $3 after March 1.

Every granite center in New England was represented and nearly the entire day, from 10 o'clock in the morning until 5 o'clock in the afternoon was given up to a discussion of the question.

It was expected that the meeting would vote to submit a proposition to the Cutters' Union. This was advocated by some, but failed to pass.

The members expressed themselves as willing to grant an advance but that demanded was impossible.

At the last meeting of the Association a committee was appointed to confer with a committee from the National Union, but up to the present time they had been unable to obtain a meeting, and therefore nothing whatever had been accomplished looking toward a settlement.

The attitude of the National Union is refusing to meet the Manufacturers until after the latter had conceded the demand, was commented upon, as the Manufacturers could see no need of meeting after the demands had been granted.

It was proposed that, inasmuch as it had been intimated that the National Union was now ready to meet a committee from the Manufacturers, that further efforts be made for a conference.

Some opposition was expressed, but as it was desired to do everything possible to avoid a strike, it was decided to make further overtures, in that direction.

With this end in view the above resolutions were adopted:

After the regular meeting of the Association had adjourned, the executive committee held a meeting, and appointed a committee to meet with the National Union for a conference.

The election of officers resulted in the election of a Quincy manufacturer as president, the list being:

President, William H. Mitchell, Quincy.

Vice Presidents, W. S. White, Rockland, Me., James Mackay, Barre, Vt., William Booth, New London, Ct., Ola Anderson, Concord, N. H., A. T Farnum, Providence, R. I., C. B. Canfield, New York.

Secretary, J. W. Frost, Boston.

Treasurer, Isaac F. Woodbury, Boston.

Executive Committee, Payson Tucker Portland, J. F. Bodwell, Hallowell, J. G. Batterson, Jr., Concord, N. H., Seward W. Jones, Barre, William Alexander, Barre, J. A. Cross, Northfield, O. W. Norcross, Worcester, Charles S. Rogers, Rockport, Benjamin McNamee, Watertown, Henry Murray, Boston, John L. Miller, Quincy, James Gourlay, Westerly, Calvin S. Davis, Niantic, Henry Gardner, Williston.

Advisory committee, W.H. Mitchell, Quincy, William Booth, New London, Seward W. Jones, Barre, Isaac F. Woodbury and Henry Murray, Boston.

THREE ASSESSORS.

That Seems to be the Universal Custom in the State.

In view of the interest which the poposed amendment to the charter in reducing the board of Assessors from seven to three members, has created among our citizens, the following figures taken from a legislative document will prove interesting:—

City.	Prin. Assessors.	Term.	Compensation.
Beverly,	3	3 years.	$600 00
Boston,	9	3 "	3000 00
Brockton,	3	3 "	900 00
Cambridge,	3	3 "	2000 00
Chelsea,	3	3 "	550 00
Ch'copee,	3	3 "	400 00
Everett,	3	3 "	——
Fall River,	3	3 "	135 00
Fitchburg,	3	3 "	900 00
Gloucester,	3	3 "	400 00
Haverhill,	3	3 "	400 00
Holyoke,	3	3 "	1000 00
Lawrence,	3	3 "	800 00
Lowell,	3	3 "	2250 00
Lynn,	3	3 "	1200 00
Malden,	3	3 "	500 00
Marlboro,	3	3 "	300 00
Medfield,	3	3 "	650 00
New Bedford,	3	3 "	1100 00
Newburyport,	3	3 "	500 00
Newton,	3	3 "	1000 00
North Adams,	3	3 "	400 00
Northampton,	3	3 "	350 00
Pittsfield,	3	3 "	——
Salem,	3	3 "	1000 00
Somerville,	3	3 "	800 00
Springfield,	3	3 "	1200 00
Taunton,	3	3 "	700 00
Waltham,	3	3 "	500 00
Worcester,	3	3 "	1500 00

In number of cities these the assessors are assisted by "Assistant Assessors" who draw $2.50 per day, their employment generally averaging 15 days each year. Their duties consist largely in taking poles and dogs. The principal assessors thus being relieved of this onerous duty can devote their entire time to the great problem of real and personal estate asessments.

Park and Downs Entertainment.

The entertainment held by the young ladies of Mrs. Lewis Shay's class of the Park and Downs Congregational church, Tuesday evening was a great success considering weather, as about a hundred were present. The programme opened with a piano solo by Mrs. Ernest Shay, followed by a dialogue called the "Theory of natural development." A solo by Mrs. Ernest Shay followed, and a reading by Miss Ethel Johnson and a piano duet by Mrs. Ernest Shay and Miss Alda Shay, another dialogue called "Why Mrs. Gaston did not hire a cook," and a Swedish solo by Miss Agnes Headman. The programme closed with National Anthem by the class, the congregation joining in the chorus. Refreshments of coffee and cake were served.

King's Daughters.

The annual supper of Unity Circle of King's Daughters was held Tuesday evening at Bethany chapel. A business meeting was held at 5.30 o'clock, at which the following officers were elected: Leader, Miss Leila Miller; Vice Leader, Mrs. Bessie Hall; Secretary, Miss A. L. Tupper; Treasurer, Miss May Purdy. Fourteen members have been admitted during the year, and the service was given them by Miss Saville.

Then came the supper, which was followed by an address by Miss Cotes of the Willard Y settlement. There was also a solo by Mrs. Buckingham, and a vocal duet by Misses Isaac and Merrill.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

St. Valentine's day.

The washerwoman may get her clothes dried today.

The Singing School met at the Point church, Tuesday evening.

It cleared suddenly and unexpectedly last evening, and was a beautiful night.

Elmer E. Paine had the misfortune to have his ulster stolen at Wilson hall on Tuesday evening.

The improved appearance of Howard street should be noted. May a part of South street soon have the same improvement.

There will be a Valentine party at the Washington Street Congregational church under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E., Thursday evening.

Rev. Mr. Hardy of Bethany Congregational church will address the meeting in the First United Presbyterian church on Thursday evening.

Cars have stopped running on the Norfolk Downs loop, and the reason given is that the tracks have spread. The residents of the Park and Downs fare hard for regular transportation.

The current issue of the New England Grocer contains sketches of City Treasurer Gray and Assessor Johnson, both of whom were at one time grocers.

Attention is called to the fact that there is an excavation in the sidewalk on Howard street, Quincy Neck. This may be the cause of an accident if it is not immediately attended to. "A word in time," etc.

The car leaving Quincy shortly before 7 o'clock this morning left the rails on Washington street, Braintree, nearly opposite the residence of Dr. Dearing. All of the wheels left the rails and the car brought up against a stone wall and across sidewalk. No one was injured as far as known.

A gang of workmen begun laying the crossing at the corner of Canal and Washington street this morning. The stone has been piled up by the side of the road for more than a year. It now looks as if it would be completed within a few days, thanks to the new Commissioner.

In the Superior Criminal court in Boston Tuesday before judge Gaskill, J. F. Lyons, of Quincy, alais John Sullivan, was sent to the house of correction for five months for the larceny of a pocketbook from Elizabeth Weston. Lyons was mentioned at the last municipal election as a candidate for Mayor of the city.

The fence on the north side of the Dimmock street bridge was carried away by the high wind Tuesday afternoon, and was landed on the railroad tracks. It was discovered and removed by railroad employes before any train passed. It was very fortunate that the fence did not fall when a train was passing, or in the night, or serious accident might have followed.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

Accident.

John Lyons, driver of one of Chief Engineer Williams' teams, was thrown out Tuesday afternoon at the corner of Franklin and Water streets and severely bruised. The young man was driving down Franklin street at a rapid gait, and when Water street was reached he turned suddenly to the right. The wheels of the wagon struck the railroad tracks and the wagon was overturned. Lyons was thrown heavily to the ground. It was at first thought his leg had been fractured. He was taken to Mr. William's residence where he was attended by Dr. Sheahan, and later removed to his home. Fortunately no bones were broken.

O'Brien—Haley.

Mr. James P. O'Brien, one of Quincy's young business men, and Margaret E. Haley, a teacher in the public schools of Quincy, were united in marriage this morning at St. John's church. The bride was attended by Miss Nellie O'Brien, a sister of the groom, and Mr. T. J. O'Brien a brother of the groom as best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. P. Cuffe, and was followed by nuptial mass. The bride wore a blue travelling dress and the bridesmaid was gowned in brown.

City Complimented.

Mayor Hall was the guest of Commissioner Knowlton at the meeting of the State Highway Association at the Parker House, Tuesday. His name was not on the list of speakers, and he was unexpectedly called upon to speak at the banquet, but he made one of the best addresses and Commissioner Knowlton received many congratulations that the city of Quincy was fortunate in having so able a Mayor.

☞ We save you from $25.00 to $50.00 on any make of piano. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

AUCTION SALE

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GRANITE QUARRY,

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WESTERLY, R. I.

The well known

DIXON GRANITE QUARRY,

at Westerly, R. I., will be sold at Public Auction on

TUESDAY, February 20, 1900.

At 11 o'clock in the forenoon. The sale includes the quarry and its tools of every description, including whatever is necessary to begin work at once. A railroad switch runs into the yard from the main tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad. This is a rare chance for parties understanding the granite business. Intending bidders will be given an opportunity to inspect the property at any time. For further information address

WESTERLY SAVINGS BANK,
Westerly, R. I.

Feb. 12. 6t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 12, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 573, (petition of John L. Mather) for legislation relative to the watering of streets in cities, at room No. 444, State House, on FRIDAY, Feb. 16th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
FRANK E. WETHERELL,
Feb. 14-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 12, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 617, (petition of Benjamin A. Ham) relative to issuing permits for blasting, at room No. 444, State House, on FRIDAY, Feb. 16th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
FRANK E. WETHERELL,
Feb. 14-2t Clerk of the Committee.

HOURS AT CITY HALL.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Mayor's Office, Feb. 7, 1900.

ON and after MONDAY, February 12, the City Hall will be open for business from 8 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. continuously, except on Saturdays when it will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M.

City Hall will also be open on Monday and Thursday evenings of each week, excepting when holidays occur on these days, from 7.30 to 8.30 P. M.

The Mayor and some of the officials will be at City Hall every evening.

JOHN O. HALL, Mayor.
Feb. 8-9t 10-2w

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178 Devonshire St., Boston.

Goods on exhibition at H. L. Paige's variety corner Hancock and Beach streets, Wollaston.

Feb. 1. tf

RED LIGHT.

The red light is used as a warning of danger ahead, so the one to be seen burning at 20 Franklin street, is only to remind you of the danger there is in paying too much for your Christmas Goods, such as Toys, Sleds, Rocking Horses, Dolls and Doll Carriages, Fancy Crockery. Headquarters for Skates and skate sharpeners. We have a fine lot of Rugs to select from. Don't be deceived, but call and be convinced that this is the place to trade.

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Variety Co., 20 Franklin St.
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Committee on Cities will give a hearing parties interested in House bill No. 573, of John L. Mather) for legislation re the watering of streets in cities, at 444, State House, on FRIDAY, Feb. 0.30 o'clock A. M.
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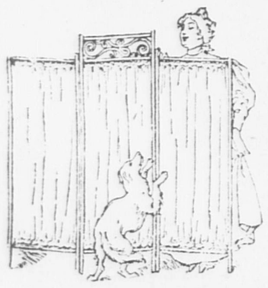
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THE CITY PROBLEMS.

The Subjects at the Granite City Club Banquet.

Mayor Hall Opens the Discussion.

Several Prominent Citizens Express Opinions Thereon.

The annual banquet of the Granite City club was held Tuesday evening, at the United States Hotel, Boston. Owing to the very stormy day there were not so many present as usual; but a very pleasant and jolly time was enjoyed.

The hour for the banquet was six o'clock and a few moments later Mayor Hall put in his appearance and the members marched into the large dining hall, where the following bounitful bill of fare was served.

Oysters on Half Shell.
Ox Tail, with barley.
Olives.
Broiled Shad, anchovy butter.
Iced Cucumbers. Parisienne Potatoes.
Turkey, cranberry sauce.
Fillet of Beef, mushroom sauce.
Delmonico Potatoes. Green Peas.
Chicken in cases, Toulouse.
Timbales of Fruit, brandy sauce.
Wine Bavarian Cream.
Harlequin Ice Cream. Creme de menthe jelly.
Frozen Pudding.
Assorted Cake.
Fruits.
Water Wafers. Edam Cheese
Coffee.

After all had enjoyed the rich food served, there were speeches. The president of the club, Mr. Dexter E. Wadsworth, welcomed the members and thanked them for being present on so rainy an evening. It was a pleasure to see them and he hoped they would all enjoy themselves on this occasion. He said the annual banquet of the club was one of the fixtures that could not well be missed. After speaking a few moments of the success of the club, he expressed the hope that each member will endeavor to get as many good citizens to join as possible, as the larger the club the more good work could be done.

The president then introduced His Honor, the Mayor of Quincy, John O. Hall. Mr. Hall, needed no introduction, being a member of the club, and well known to all present. Although not seen often at the club rooms he was always welcomed. Mr. Hall made quite a lengthy speech, calling the attention of members to the important things before the city the present year. Never since the town became a city has there been so much that required the careful attention and consideration of its citizens. He spoke of a number of them briefly, but time would not permit of any extended details. Among the things alluded to were the Metropolitan Sewerage system which was to go through the city from Milton to Nut Island, and the question was, at what point it should be permitted to empty into the bay off our shore.

The Mayor also spoke of the parkway which was to be built along our shores to the Blue Hill Reservation. It was big a thing for the city and should receive the encouragement of our citizens that it may be of the greatest advantage. The Commission has taken land for the same, and most of the route had been decided upon; a small portion between the Greenleaf estate on Hancock street, and the Eaton estate on Adams street, has not been determined, owing partly to what action the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad were to take in regard to lowering their tracks through the city.

Abolishing railroad crossings, the Mayor said was a very important matter, and should receive the attention of the club; also the new stations to be erected in the city.

The building of the boulevard from the centre of the city to the shore at Houghs Neck, was an important advance. The Mayor said that there were many who thought that a great mistake had been made in cutting through the embankment at the Almshouse. More land should be taken for the cemetery which would soon be needed, and as it could not be sold, or used to great advantage for any other purpose, it should be connected with the cemetery.

Another important matter, and one that required the immediate attention of the club, merchants and citizens generally, was the present unsatisfactory condition of the granite industry in our midst.

Short addresses were made by John Q. A. Field, Andrew Milne, Dr. Hallowell, R. F. Claflin, J. Percival Sears, Joseph C. Morse, Herbert M. Federhen, George Harvey Field, C. C. Hearn and others.

It was finally decided that the club would hold meetings once in three weeks and perhaps oftener, to discuss the many important matters now before the city.

PROBATE BUSINESS.

Several Wills Allowed and Administrations Granted.

Judge Flint held Probate court for Norfolk County at Quincy this morning and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Margaret H. Babcock, late of Milton; Charles F. Babcock executor, bond $86,000.

Of Bernard McCormick, late of Stoughton; Michael F. McCormick executor; bond $25,000.

Of B. Loxley Clark, late of Randolph; Lucy A. Clark executrix; bond $5,000.

Of Ann Gerry, late of Quincy; Ellen L. Granahan executrix; bond $3,000.

Of Catherine Cohan, late of Weymouth; Thomas Henesey executor; bond $1,000.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Helen M. Ellsworth on the estate of Lydia D. Morrison, late of Braintree bond $3,000.

Erastus B. Badger, on the estate of E. Watson Arnold, late of Braintree; bond $10,000.

Erastus B. Badger, on the estate of Maria V. Arnold, late of Braintree; bond $25,000.

George P. Macaulay, on the estate of Matthew Macaulay, late of Weymouth; bond $1,500.

Catherine Chisholm, on the estate of Alexander Chisholm, late of Cohasset; bond $400.

John J. Mahon, on the estate of James Mahon, late of Franklin bond $4,000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First and final of John Raymond, executor of will of George Bates, late of Weymouth, for $2,602.65.

First of William H. Litchfield, executor of will of John H. Litchfield, late of Quincy, for $6,977.20.

First and final of John A. Raymond, executor of will of Susan M. Young, late of Weymouth, for $361.98.

TRUSTEES APPOINTED.

Abbie J. Higgins was appointed trustee of certain estate of Elizabeth Baxter, late of Quincy, for the benefit of Eunice Mary Wrisley and her children; bond $5,000.

GUARDIANS APPOINTED.

Henry W. Britton was appointed guardian of Nora J. and Raymond Courtney, minors of Stoughton; bond $2,400.

PETITIONS GRANTED.

John Everett, executor of will of Earl Gannett, late of Canton, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $9,905.09.

John H. Colby, administrator of the estate of Susan D. Pratt, late of Quincy, was granted permission to mortgage real estate to the amount of $1,800.

INVENTORIES.

On estate of George W. Pratt, late of Weymouth; real estate, $101.

BRITON AND BOER.

There's a lion would rather fish than hunt.—New York World.

It is noticed that General Roberts has not directed his baggage to Pretoria.—Baltimore American.

Oom Paul is enough of a diplomat to be willing to quit fighting and resume the original quarrel.—Washington Star.

There are several British generals who have not suffered defeat yet; but, then, they have not been to the front.—Chicago Record.

The English carry the Bible in one hand and the sword in the other, but Kruger, it seems, carries the Bible in his head, thus leaving both hands free for the sword.—Puck.

It is a strange fact that, while Irish sympathy is with the Boers, England should have to fall back on Irishmen for its best fighting men and best generals.—Watertown Times.

If the Boers only had a navy, they might make things interesting for the British by declaring Australian mutton and Canadian fish contraband of war.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

THE WRITERS.

It is said that Miss Mary Cholmondeley, the author of "Red Pottage," which is now being so widely read, took three years to write her famous book.

By invitation, Louis Honore Fechette and Dr. William Henry Drummond, two Canadian poets, have recently visited Chicago and given readings from their poetical works.

Jerome K. Jerome takes his vacations on a farm, where he becomes one of the day laborers. He has studied agriculture both from a theoretical and practical point of view and expects to establish a model farm of his own next summer.

Hall Caine has taken a magnificent flat in Rome and intends passing the winter there. There have been indications for some time past that he is making a close study of the conditions of Roman life, with a view to reproducing it in a novel.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Henry D. L. McIntire for drunkenness at Quincy, was called and he was fined $7. In default of payment he was committed.

The continued case of William F. Macauley for forgery was called and the case dismissed for want of probable cause.

Home Made.

ANYONE Wishing Brown Bread and Baked Beans Saturdays, please leave their order at Woman's Exchange by Thursday afternoon.
Feb. 12. tf

LARGE SUM OF MONEY REALIZED.

High Priced Drinks Were Among the "Attractions" at Mrs. Langtry's Concert.

New York, Feb. 14.—Society and the stage represented by women of wealth and beauty crowded the ball room at Sherry's yesterday, patronizing the "Concert," arranged by Mrs. Langtry, to raise funds for the American hospital ship Maine, now in South Africa. Although pretty young women did not sell cocktails and other cheering refreshments at the "American Bar" there was a big crush, and it was impossible to follow the program, in which the best known people of the stage took part.

Women were in a great preponderance and they were to a large extent women of the stage. There were several police officials present also, sent to the affair by Chief Devery in response to the demands of members of the Women's Christian Temperance union. The police were present for the purpose of watching the "American Bar" and if necessary preventing the carrying out of the original plans of Mrs. Langtry and other organizers of the entertainment to have young women dispense drinks.

Instead of young women, the Earl of Yarmouth and several professional bartenders served liquors at 50 cents a drink, including those with such names as "The Degenerate Smile," "A Surprise of Love" and "The Dum-Dum."

There was no mistaking the fact that the entertainment had been planned to raise money, even the programe selling at $2 apiece. Something over $6000 is said to have been taken in.

By Direct Popular Legislation.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—After a heated debate the resolutions committee of the anti-trust conference last night decided to report in favor of government ownership of railroads and for their seizure on payment of actual value and without payment for "watered stock or other fictitious values." There was a sharp discussion brought on by an effort to make the platform declare that the government should seize the railroads on payment of actual value "and without payment for franchise values." Unanimous action was finally obtained by cutting out the words "franchise values," inserting instead the phrase "watered stock or other fictitious values." The committee also unanimously favored direct popular legislation as a means of obtaining the result.

Cotton Brokers Were Excited.

New York, Feb. 14.—The wildest excitement prevailed at the cotton exchange yesterday. No official record was kept of the transactions, but it is estimated that they reached close to 800,000 bales. The fluctuations of prices were frequent and violent. Numerous periods of reaction gave the market at times the appearance of going to pieces under liquidation and efforts to secure profits. From the highest to the lowest point of the day there was a difference of 10 to 18 points.

Netted a Handsome Sume.

London, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Arthur Paget's entertainment of stage tableux at Her Majesty's theatre, which concluded this morning, netted more than £6600 for the benefit of the household troops. The theatre presented a beautiful sight. It was filled with well known people, the ladies being fairly ablaze with jewels. In the front row of stalls sat the Prince and Princess of Wales, and all the principal members of the English royal family, except the queen.

Strikers May Return to Work.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 14.—As the result of a conference yesterday, indications point to an amicable settlement of the trouble at the factory of the Waterbury Clock company. The strike was started about a week ago by the employes in the adjusting department and as a result upwards of 500 men were thrown out of employment.

He "Got the Mitten."

Stamford, Conn., Feb. 14.—William Carpenter, 21 years old, who recently enlisted in the marine corps, returned here on a 48 hours' furlough. It is said that he learned that a young woman on whom he had centered his affections no longer cared for him. He thereupon swallowed a dose of laudanum. He may recover.

Woman Suffrage Gets a Start.

Des Moines, Feb. 14.—The house committee on suffrage yesterday reported, without opposition, a resolution looking to a constitutional amendment to admit women to vote on the same terms as men. The suffragists claim they will pass it in the house, but are not so confident of the senate.

Bookkeeping Methods Criticised.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 14.—The expert accountant who has been examining the accounts and books of the city treasurer and collector made his report to the city council last night. He found the accounts correct, but criticised the methods employed in the office and the manner of keeping the books.

Engine and Two Cars Wrecked.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 14.—As a result of a washout a Boston-bound passenger train went off the track about a quarter of a mile west of the Quinapoxet station last night. The engine and combination smoker and baggage car are total wrecks. Five trainmen were seriously injured.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Carver B. Cline, the theatrical manager, died at New York. He was 41 years old. When 18 years old he became a member of Joseph Jefferson's company.

George R. Cooley and wife of New Haven have sold to Yale university property in the block which is to form the new quadrangle, the proposed site of the new administration buildings, for $25,000.

The betrothal of the Crown Prince of Japan to Princess Sadako, fourth daughter of Prince Kujo, is officially announced.

United States Consul Donaldson at Managua reports that there are no knit goods manufactured and no machinery of that kind used in Nicaragua.



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THE DRESSY WOMAN.

Besides the prettily draped "dress" gowns are some new and attractive models with kilted skirts.

French designers are sending out some very beautiful evening toilets, with the soft, clinging draperies arranged in "Neo-Greek" style.

The milliners this season are making greater use than ever of rich furs of various kinds, and all sorts of combinations of velvet, tulle, net, chiffon, fur, lace and flowers are shown.

Rose colored chiffon, cream tinted renaissance lace and black velvet ribbon compose a symphony of colors and a mixture of fabrics that go to make up the fashionable Queen Anne bertha of the moment.

Satin matching the gown is still considered the proper foot wear (if black satin is not chosen), with the finish of unobtrusive little satin bows, which may or may not be enhanced by a small sparkling buckle.

Corduroys and uncut velvets are stylishly used for skating costumes for young girls this season, and the handsome manner in which they are made up and fur trimmed renders them entirely appropriate for various other winter uses.

Dressmakers still continue to recommend the handsome peau de soie silks to those who do not admire the solid, rather garish luster of satin. Peau de soie has rich half lights on its surface, and, being twilled, the silk is more durable than taffeta.

The close, trim little French walking coat, with all superfluous fabric eliminated; the bolero or a bolero effect produced by various modes of decoration, and the use of box plaits at the back of the skirt or long overdress will all be prominent features of coming spring styles.

Many of the hats that milliners consider their masterpieces are even larger than the elaborate summer models, and their width across the front is excessive owing to the long, full ostrich plumes curving right and left above the brim, exaggerating the width of the hat itself.—New York Post.

TOWN TOPICS.

St. Louis has the distinction of being the only city on earth in which philanthropists can donate light.—St. Louis Republic.

The Chicago river will no longer be able to exercise its ancient prerogative of coming in out of the wet.—Baltimore News.

It would be slanderous to say that in Philadelphia the twentieth century will not begin till Jan. 1, 1910.—Boston Globe.

It is said there have been 2,000 mysterious disappearances from Philadelphia during the last year. Could you blame them?—Buffalo Express.

Grade crossings must go, and the sooner the railroad companies undertake to co-operate fully with the city the better it will be for them.—Cleveland Leader.

So bear tracks have been found in the suburbs of Louisville. Well, there are rumors that considerable of the population have been swallowed by bears lately.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

By way of beginning the new year aright New York reformers have inaugurated a crusade against vice. They have undertaken a contract that is likely to afford them innocent amusement for some months to come.—Minneapolis Times.

Chicago will not tolerate any histories in her schools which refer to England as "the mother country." Chicago may have vague and indefinite views about its paternity, but it is very sure that England isn't its mother.—Brooklyn Times.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

A newspaper is a capital thing to rub with. It absorbs the grease and polishes at the same time.

Shake rugs by holding them by the middle part, never by the ends. They will last twice as long when the strain is thus evenly divided.

Light satin shoes can be easily cleaned with spirits of wine. Use a piece of new flannel, turning it when it gets soiled, and rub the shoes lengthways.

An old method to get rid of cockroaches is both simple and efficient. This is by the use of the common red wafers that may be had at any stationer's and which are, it seems, a food much esteemed by the insects. They eat them greedily and die from the effects.

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WANTED—Girls for general housework, second work and nursery work, at City Employment Office, 160 Hancock street, Quincy, Mass., directly opposite Post Office. C. M. LAPHAM. Feb. 14-3t

WANTED—A girl for general housework. P. E. Island preferred. Apply at 19 Chestnut street, Quincy. Feb. 14-6t

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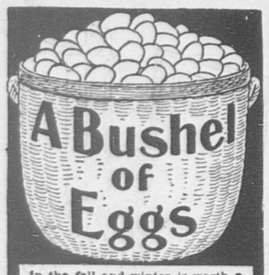
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A lady in the presence of the writer told this great healer that she never closed her eyes in sleep without first asking God's blessing upon him who had saved her from a life of misery and death. Words fail to give the reader an idea of the esteem and adoration with which he is regarded by his hundreds of patients. No invalid should give up hope until they have had consultation with this wonderfully successful specialist. Take no one's word, except that of a cured patient. Let no prejudices stand in the way of reason, but whatever your complaint may be, it will be to your interest to consult Prof. Coffey. Magnetism is the greatest boon of this age, and it is fast supplanting the old-fashioned, and obsolete methods of our grandfathers by making permanent and lasting cures when all other systems have utterly failed. One thing greatly to the credit of the professor is his fees are much less than any first-class specialist in the state.

A well known Stone Engraver (wearing a plaster paris jacket) was treated in Faxon Hall for extreme pain in chest and arm; his sister-in-law reported last Friday that he went home from the hall, had the plaster cast removed, and went to work at his trade.

Mrs. M——, a well known Quincy lady, who was a perfect cripple from sciatica, reported Saturday that after Prof. Coffey had given her three treatments she had done a large washing and had felt no inconvenience from the effort.

If you are afflicted, having exhausted the skill of doctors of all schools, and found no relief from taking medicine, it is time you should consult with Prof. Coffey. He will help you sure.

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QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
J. P. O'Brien, 38 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—Loring's Pharmacy.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.
First Quarter 6 11:23 a. m. | Full Moon 14 8:50 a. m.
Third Quarter 22 11:44 a. m.

Bryan Talking to Southrons.

Raleigh, Feb. 14.—W. J. Bryan arrived here last evening from Richmond. Short stops were made en route, and Mr. Bryan spoke to large crowds. On his arrival here he was met by a crowd of 10,000 persons, headed by the local militia organizations and cadets, and was driven to a large tent where he spoke for an hour and a half, mostly on familiar lines. Later he spoke in the Academy of Music. Hundreds were unable to gain admittance.

Spaniards Sympathize With Boers.

Madrid, Feb. 14.—Senator Davilla, in the senate yesterday, questioned the government on the subject of the reported sale to Great Britain of Maxim cartridges manufactured at the Placentia arms factory. He said that public opinion in Spain was entirely favorable to the Boers. Premier Silvela replied that he could not give a definite answer. He promised, however, to endeavor to obtain the desired information.

Yale Seinors Have a Grievance.

New Haven, Feb. 14.—A petition was presented to the Yale college faculty last evening, signed by 250 of the seniors of the academic department, praying for faculty action abolishing the sophomore secret societies, so called, upon the ground that they are destructive to the democracy of Yale student life, which in and out of college is the boast of Yale men.

Must Answer to Murder Charge.

Portland, Me., Feb. 14.—Deputy United States Marshal Hasty arrived here last evening from Halifax with Elmer Maxwell, alleged murderer of Captain Baisley of the schooner J. B. Vandusen. The prisoner will be arraigned before United States Commissioner Bradley and will doubtless be held to await action of the grand jury.

High Up on Beach.

Moriches, L. I., Feb. 14.—Steamer Gate City has been forced high up on the beach, and the wreckers are of the opinion that she cannot be gotten off. Although she is being pounded by the breakers, she is making very little water and appears to be in good condition. It is thought that her cargo will be saved.

Horton Law May Be Abolished.

Albany, Feb. 14.—In the assembly yesterday the bill to repeal the so-called Horton law, which permits prize fights in the state, was advanced to the third reading without objection or debate.

Advance Hasn't Materialized.

Plymouth, Mass., Feb. 14.—The weavers at the Standard worsted mills have struck for an increase in pay. They want the prices weavers are getting in Providence and Philadelphia mills. The men claim such an advance was promised some time ago, but has never been made.

Fitz Anxious For Another Fight.

New York, Feb. 14.—Bob Fitzsimmons yesterday posted $5000 with the sporting editor of the New York Journal as a forfeit to bind another match with Jim Jeffries, and issued an open challenge to meet any fighter in the world.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Committee Opposed to Government Ownership of Pacific Cable.

Shipping Bill to Be Shelved Because of Politics.

Senate Hears the Last of the Long Speeches on the Financial Bill.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The house committee on inter-state and foreign commerce decided yesterday in favor of the 20-year subsidy of $400,000 a year for a Pacific cable, rather than government construction. Mr. Corliss (Rep.) of Michigan, who championed government construction, says he is not ready to announce his policy of opposition until the committee has decided to report the full bill, of which this is only the opening paraprapn.

The vote in the committee does not commit the committee to the Sherman bill as drawn, but only to the general idea which it contains—private ownership, with a government subsidy for 20 years. The bill authorizes the postmaster general to contract with an American cable company for the payment by the United States of not to exceed $400,000 per year for 20 years for the transmission of government messages from the Pacific coast to Honolulu, Guam, Manila, Hong Kong and such points in Japan as the contractor, with the approval of the government of Japan, may select.

There is a general impression that the shipping subsidy bill is dead for this session, although its abandonment is not to be openly admitted. Republican leaders think it would not be good politics to pass the measure on the eve of a national campaign.

Work upon the bill, however, will not be allowed to drop, and no open acknowledgement of its abandonment will be made. In fact, to "let Frye and Grosvenor down easy' and also to give the bill party standing in another session, the hearings will continue, and a bill may be reported from the committee. This is the meaning of General Grosvenor's amendments submitted yesterday to the committee, of which he is chairman, and his declared purpose to take up the bill as thus amended on Friday.

It was evident at the meeting yesterday that the subsidy advocates were in a listless condition; they consumed much time upon petty measures with no apparent purpose of taking up the long-delayed subsidy bill. Finally Mr. Fordney (Rep.) of Michigan, a new member, and not an enthusiastic subsidy man, said he wanted to have the committee do something with the shipping bill. It was then that General Grosvenor somewhat reluctantly presented his amendments. These are intended to allay western Republican opposition, but it is not hought it is sufficient to revive the bill.

The first two amendments, Mr. Grosvenor says, are "in the interest of the vessels of moderate speed and large cargo capacity, which are specially relied upon to convey our products across the Pacific to the new markets in the Orient." Another amendment limits the appropriation for vessels of the highest speed to a sum not exceeding $2,000,000 a year, "in order to secure to the slower and principal freight carrying vessels a fully adequate share of the whole appropriation."

The financial debate in the senate reached its climax yesterday. Two speeches, one in favor of the pending senate substitute measure and the other in opposition to it, were delivered. The first was delivered by Mr. Allison (Ia.), the ranking member of the finance committee. He had been an attentive listener to the speeches delivered on the other side, and in the course of his argument he presented his answers to the points raised against the pending senate bill.

Mr. Jones of Nevada declared that the bill was vicious and unwarranted, conferring too great power upon national banks and fastening the country to a gold currency. He discussed the question from a historical and philosophic view point.

Today the senate will begin the consideration of the bill and amendments under the 10-minute rule.

Discouraging to Fishermen.

St. John's, Feb. 14.—The last American herring vessel has left Placentia bay, having abandoned the fishery in consequence of the mild weather. About 40 vessels have failed to secure cargoes. This result will largely cripple American dealers concerned in the industry. Moreover the coast fishermen will lose nearly $100,000.

Rioters In Full Sway.

Port de France, Martinique, Feb. 14.—The riotous disturbances in this island continue. A mob of about 1200 rioters invaded La Mentin and La Soudor, where they obstructed the thoroughfares. Three hundred rioters occupy Morne Pavilion, and there is an uprising at Riviere Salee, which has no troops to protect it.

Philippine Commissioner Wanted.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The only subject discussed at the cabinet meeting yesterday was that of the personnel of the Philippine commission. It was stated that the president is in search of a southern man as a member of the commission, but that up to this time he has not decided to whom the place will be offered.

Macrum Has Nothing to Say.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Mr. Macrum, ex-consul to Pretoria, yesterday completed the settlement of his account with the state department. He gives no sign of a desire to communicate with the public respecting the conditions which caused him to leave Pretoria.

LOVE FOR SENATOR HOAR

Outweighs His Present Attitude Toward Certain Affairs of the Nation.

Boston, Feb. 14.—The keenest interest in the speeches at the dinner of the Pine Tree State club, at the Brunswick last night, centered in the remarks of Attorney General Knowlton and State Senator Huntress, who spoke strongly in defense of Senator Hoar against the attack made upon him by Congressman Cushman of Washington, at the Middlesex club Monday night.

Attorney General Knowlton said: "Three things—courage, honesty and patriotism—mark the careers of great men. These three attributes I find in a Massachusetts man whose record has been assailed recently by visitors. This is the first public opportunity I have had of hurling back these criticisms. Our senior senator, George F. Hoar, may not voice the sentiment of the whole state, but whatever he does we believe him honest in doing it. He is wise and patriotic, and we believe he has the courage of his convictions. Even if we don't agree with him, we love him. He is the leading statesman of Massachusetts, if not of the nation, and no attacks upon his record car. lessen our respect and love for him."

Senator Huntress declared that: "Though just now out of accord with the Republican party, his great deeds for a generation in its behalf will outweigh his present attitude. When the history of this epoch is written, Senator Hoar will get due credit for his many and faithful public services."

Mrs. Catt Succeeds Miss Anthony.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The National American Woman's Suffrage association yesterday elected Mrs. Carrie C. Catt of New York president of the association for the ensuing year, to succeed Susan B. Anthony, who has been active in the battle for woman suffrage for nearly



MRS. CARRIE CHAPMAN CATT.

half a century and declined re-election. With the exception of the president, all of the old officers were elected. The retirement of Miss Anthony caused genuine and heartfelt regret among the members of the association.

Miles Laid the Cornerstone.

Philadelphia, Feb. 14.—Major General Miles yesterday laid the cornerstone of the tower and gateway to be erected at the dormitories of the University of Pennsylvania in honor of the university men who served in the war against Spain. The ceremonies were opened with prayer by Right Rev. W. H. Hare, D. D., of New York. The cornerstone was put in place by General Miles and the introductory remarks by Provost Harrison followed. General Miles made an eloquent address.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The storm which occupied the lower Ohio valley has moved northeastward to the St. Lawrence valley, attended by rain and followed by clearing and much colder weather. Along the New England coast high northwesterly winds will diminish in force. Storm signals are displayed from Boston to Eastport.

Shot Himself Through the Heart.

Hillsborough Bridge, N. H., Feb. 14.—Arthur A. Farrar, aged 26 years, committed suicide yesterday by shooting through the heart. It is believed that ill health was the cause of the act.

Goddard Had to Quit.

Philadelphia, Feb. 14.—Tom Sharkey and Joe Goddard met here last night in what was to have been a six-round bout. Goddard, however, was clearly outclassed, and was saved in the middle of the fourth round from an almost certain knockout by his trainer throwing up the sponge.

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Savings Bank Building, Quincy.

HE GOT A SCARE.

And Probably Won't Take a Drink In the Dark Again.

An east end man had a scare the other night. He was going out with his wife and was ready to start when it occurred to him to step into the bathroom and get a drink of water. The room was dark, but he had no trouble in feeling out the glass and holding it under the cold water faucet.

"Come, Henry!" his wife called from below.

"Yes, my dear," he answered, and he put the glass to his lips and took a hasty gulp. As the liquid slipped down his throat he almost dropped the glass. Something went down with the water—something that didn't belong there, something that squirmed and wriggled, something alive!

He spilled the contents of the matchbox in getting a light. But of what use was a light? The thing was gone. He fancied he could feel it worming its way down the long, red alimentary lane.

He tried to steady his voice.

"Jennie," he called down the stairs, "get me some mustard and water quick! I've swallowed a snake!"

Instead of getting the mustard and water his devoted helpmeet came flying up the stairs.

"What did you say?" she cried.

"I said I'd swallowed a snake," he groaned. "Don't look at me like that. Can't you see how I'm suffering? Get me the mustard, quick!"

"You swallowed a snake!" she blankly repeated.

"Yes, a snake!" he cried; "snake, snake, snake! Do you want me to spell it? You know what a snake is, don't you? Get me that mustard."

"But why should you swallow a snake?"

"I don't know why. It came out of the faucet into the glass. Please get me"—

"Be quiet, Henry. Don't alarm the house. Let me think. Oh, I have it!"

And to the disgust of the suffering man the wife of his bosom leaned against the wall and giggled delightedly.

"What's the joke?" he feebly demanded.

"Let me get my breath," she cried. "It's too funny! Listen. I was at the dentist's today, and he gave me some fine rubber bands to use between my teeth. I brought them in here, and one of them must have dropped in the glass. That's the snake you swallowed."

And she had another attack of the giggles.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Irony of Fate.

"I declare I don't know what to do with that boy!" exclaimed the discouraged mother to one of the neighbors who had dropped in. "He's gone hunting again. I've tried to raise him right, but he isn't good for anything in this world but just to hunt!"

Poor, patient mother! The world has never heard of her!

But her son grew up to be the mighty Nimrod.—Chicago Tribune.

Oppressive Silence.

"There is character shown in the way people say things."

"Yes, and in the way they don't say things. Once I called on a girl, and her father came in the room. He didn't answer anything I said to him for so long that I got stage fright and left."—Detroit Free Press.

Occasion For Surprise.

"I am surprised," she said, "that more Danish girls do not come to this country."

"Why?" he asked.

"Because," she replied, "in Denmark a plain gold band is made to do duty both as an engagement and a wedding ring."—Chicago Post.

Skill and Experience.

"You say the gentleman is an expert witness?"

"Yes."

"What is his specialty?"

"Why, testifying, of course. He is one of the expertest witnesses in the country."—Washington Star.

Business Gifts.

"What's the difference between tact and talent?"

"Tact makes a man resign before he's discharged; talent helps him hold on to his job after he's discharged."—Chicago Record.

Quite Bostonian.

He—To prove the sincerity of my intentions I have brought this solitaire adornment for your engagement ring.

She—I must say, my friend, that your speech has the true ring.—Boston Courier.

Sadly Realized.

The Maid—Ol've kim in to give yez war-rnin.

The Mistress (sighing)—You should have given it before you came, Bridget. —Kansas City Independent.

A Good Scheme.

"Is it true that Bilson came off the Atlantic liner in full evening dress?"

"Yes; yes he had to get his new diamond studs through the custom house." —Chicago Record.

Justifiable Circumstances.

She—Don't you think it is better to marry for love than for money?

He—Certainly—if the contracting parties are both wealthy.—Chicago News.

Not a Reputable Guide.

"Yes, the dog follows him everywhere."

"That looks bad for the dog's morals."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Difference in Fluency.

"Do you believe all men are liars?"

"No, but some men have more elastic vocabularies than others." —Chicago Record.

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:
Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.
Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.
Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.
Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.
Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.
☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.
Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M. 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)
Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.
Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.
Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.
Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.
The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.
Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour hroughout the day.
Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.
Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

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r 7 12 abc		7 32	7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 7 26 ad		7 45	8 28 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 02	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	2 28 cba		2 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 32	3 28 cba		3 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 32	4 28 cba		4 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 32	4 58 cba		5 19 r
r 1 12 abcd		1 32	5 15 da		5 36 r
r 2 12 abc		2 32	5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 3 12 abc		3 32	5 45 da		6 06 r
r 4 12 abc		4 32	5 58 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 32	6 15 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 32	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abcd		7 32	6 58 cba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 07	7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 32	8 28 fedcba		8 53
r 9 12 abc		9 32	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 9 34 abcdefghi		10 02	10 28 fedcba		10 53 r
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r 9 33 a		9 51	4 28 cba		4 49 r
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r 5 12 abc		5 32	6 58 cba		7 19 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figure stand for different stations and indicate the trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston.	t, Harrison Square.
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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:
Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and ery 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.
Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK OWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past hour until 10.10 P. M.
Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and ery 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour til 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and ry hour until 10.00 P. M.
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Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 5 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.
Cars leaving Neponset on the even r and half hour run to Braintree, brook and Brockton without change, 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Hol ok only.

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Quincy and East Weymouth.

eave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from ncy Point and 22 minutes later from North ymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednes. and Saturdays.)
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aves QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. P. M.
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Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

eave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.
eave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

ave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every utes of and 25 minutes past the hour until . M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.
ave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

ave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and kton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 0 minutes past the hour until 9.50 The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Brain dy.

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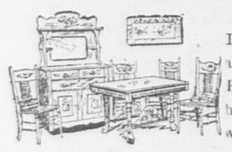
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

IN BOERS' TERRITORY.

Forces Under Roberts Turn the Magersfontein Lines.

French Forced a Passage Across Modder River.

Relief of Kimberley Now Considered Within Measurable Reach.

Remarkable Skill Shown by Kitchener In Handling the Field Transport.

London, Feb. 15.—The war office has issued the following message from Lord Roberts, dated Dekiel's Drift, Feb. 14, 8:10 a. m.:

"General French left this point at 11:30 yesterday morning with three brigades of cavalry, horse artillery and mounted infantry, including several colonial contingents, in order to seize a crossing of the Modder, distant about 25 miles. He reports, by dispatch dated 5:35 p. m., that he had forced a passage at Clip Drift and occupied the hills north of the river, capturing three of the enemy's laagers, with their supplies, while General Gordon of the Fifteenth Hussars, with his brigade, who had made a feint at Rondeval Drift, four miles west, has seized it and a second drift between that and Clip Drift, together with two more laagers. General French's performance is brilliant, considering the excessive heat and a blinding dust storm which raged during the latter part of the day.

"Owing to the rapidity of his movements, General French met with but slight opposition, and his losses were small. Lieutenant Johnson of the Inniskilling Dragoons is the only officer reported severely wounded.

"The sixth division was last night on the north bank of the Riet, at Waterval Drift.

"Four officers and 53 men had to be sent last evening in the returning ox wagons to the railway line, prostrated by heat and exhaustion."

The British army, for the first time since the war began, is inside the Boer frontier. Lord Roberts, with at least 40,000 infantry, 7000 cavalry and 150 guns, has turned the Magersfontein lines, before which the British forces have been encamped for 10 weeks, and, with half of his corps, he is already operating on Free State territory.

A battle has not yet been fought, but large tactical advantages have been gained. The relief of Kimberley is within measurable reach, and the way to Bloemfontein is appreciably easier.

The dispatches of Lord Roberts sketch three days' work. The forward movement began on Sunday, when Colonel Hannay set out, with a brigade of mounted infantry, for Ramah, on the Riet, eight miles from Jacobsdale, one of the Boer supply bases.

On Monday, General French, with the cavalry division, seized the crossing of the Riet river, at Dekils Drift, south of Jacobsdal, and 18 miles east of Honey Nest Kloof. He skirmished with the Boers, and cleared the way for 20,000 infantry, who followed across.

On Tuesday, with his three cavalry brigades and the horse artillery, General French rode to the Modder river, a distance of 25 miles, and took three fords, with high ground beyond the river, and five Boer camps. He had a few casualties in brushes with the Boer horse. General French has now fixed himself on General Cronje's main line of communication with Bloemfontein, and 20,000 infantry, with 72 guns, are being pushed up to support him there.

Lord Roberts' dispatches, wired from inside the Free State and on the Riet river, left him Wednesday morning. His advance had not been opposed by the Boers in force. Their patrols melted away as the British moved forward. The Boer army is likely to be felt in a day or two, and a battle is consequently imminent.

As to what forces General Cronje has now at his disposal and as to where he purposes making a stand against the invaders, no one here connected with the war office knows anything. The date for conceptions are wholly wanting.

The forces immediately at the disposal of Lord Roberts are placed at 50,000 in a general way. These figures are revealed by the commands mentioned in the dispatches as having been added to the divisions known to be with Lord Methuen. Quite possibly, Lord Roberts has 10,000 or 20,000 more.

It is now realized that the incidents at Rensburg have been seen out of all proportion. Merely skeleton lines were maintained there, while troops were being secretly and rapidly concentrated on the Modder river. The facility with which 30,000 men have already been sent beyond the rail terminus shows that Lord Kitchener has been fully successful in organizing transport. He is now supposed to be down the line, sending forward more troops and getting together more transport. About five miles of ox and mule wagon trains are estimated for each division, so that Lord Kitchener, who is reputed to have more skill than a circus manager in handling field transport, has immense labors in hand.

The London morning papers take rather sober views of the situation, but are greatly pleased and hopeful of what is to come. They have been fed, however, on such a low diet of British successes that they are disposed to caution and given to measuring developments with considerable reserve. They fully realize that serious fighting is yet to come.

The total British casualty returns up to today are: Officers killed, 152; wounded, 380; missing, 112; men killed, 1477; wounded, 5050; missing, 2781; other fatalities reported, 563.

"INTERNATIONAL PIRACY."

Yale Professor Talks of Causes Leading Up to the War in South Africa.

New Haven, Feb. 15.—In the course of an address before the Men's club of this city last night, Professor Wheeler of the department of history at Yale outlined what in his opinion were the causes of the present war in South Africa. The body of the address was confined to a careful statement of history leading up to the organization of the great corporation, the British South Africa company. Its capital of £1,000,000 was divided into 1,000,000 shares.

"To sell the stock it was necessary to have influence. Blocks of stock were distributed and money was thrown right and left. Anything that the Prince of Wales patronizes goes in London and his influence and that of the swell set was sought," said the speaker.

"Jameson was engaged in international piracy in his famous raid. The telegrams which he received from Cecil Rhodes have never been produced because it was said it would not be public policy to publish them. It is also said that through the influence of the Prince of Wales they were not demanded. In France it is spoken that if this scandal were unearthed it would be a bigger one than the Panama scandal.

"The English will probably win this time. But the Boers will rise again and yet again until England will learn that the war does not pay. Good government is not possible if morals are divorced from politics. Good government is not possible if hands are dirty."

Three Victims of Flood.

Albany, Feb. 15.—The flood in the Hudson river reached its height at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when it registered 20 feet above the ordinary level. At midnight it had gone down two feet. Three men have lost their lives and $500,000 worth of damage has been done to property along the river by the freshet. The police are aiding poor families along the river front where the water reached the second floors.

The Kentucky Mixup.

Cincinnati, Feb. 15.—In the circuit court of the United States Judge W. H. Taft yesterday denied the motion for a preliminary injunction in both of the cases from Kentucky. While the court held that no injunctions would be issued under these bills, yet it also held that after the cases had been heard in the state court they could get in on error for review in the United States supreme court.

Denies Collusion.

Hartford, Feb. 15.—James P. Shelley, an attorney of Winsted, was arrested yesterday upon a charge of having entered into a contract with David W. Owen to secure him a pension for which he was to receive $100, the legal fee being $10. He was admitted to bail in $500. Shelley denies any collusion in the matter, saying that the fee was to be "that prescribed by law."

To Suppress Privilege Trading.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Resolutions calling for a federal law to suppress bucket shops were adopted at yesterday's meeting of the board of trade, delegates representing 13 cities. A standing committee was appointed to take up the matter. The delegates agreed to do all in their power to discourage privilege trading among members of their exchanges.

Formalities Will Be Dispensed With.

Washington, Feb. 15.—At the request of Mrs. Chickering, wife of the late Representative Chickering of New York, there is to be no congressional funeral in connection with the interment of the deceased congressman, and the senators and representatives named as an escort have been notified that the congressional party will be abandoned.

Work at Navy Yards to Be Resumed.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The navy department is to resume work upon vessels at navy yards which was suspended by exhaustion of repair funds. The deficiency appropriation bill carries about $2,500,000 for this purpose and orders have gone out to yards to resume work. The order will result in the employment of many men.

Subscriptions Coming In Slowly.

New York, Feb. 15.—Formal subscriptions to the fund for the perpetuation of the Dewey arch in marble have now attained the sum of $164,327, and the amount desired, in order that only the best and most enduring material may be employed, is $1,000,000.

Youth Charged With Forgery.

Clinton, Mass., Feb. 15.—Arthur Payne, 15 years old, was arrested last night on a warrant charging him with forging his father's name. He presented a check for $25 at the Clinton National bank, and payment was made without question.

Wrong Diagnosis Alleged.

Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 15.—Mrs. Isabella R. Downing has begun suit against Dr. Mary T. Moss, an attache of the homeopathic hospital in Providence, for $5000 damages, the claim arising because of the death of plaintiff's husband by reason, as she alleges, of a wrong diagnosis by defendant.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

DANGER POINT PASSED

Flood Damage Has Resolved Itself Into Question of Repairs.

Embargo on Traffic In Towns on the Lowlands.

New Hampshire and Massachusetts Appear to Be the Greatest Sufferers.

Boston, Feb. 15.—The damage in New England caused by an unusually heavy rainfall is being repaired, except at points on the large rivers where great masses of debris or gorges of ice blocked the natural channels and caused abnormal flowage over usually well-protected territory.

The most interesting of these floods was at Montpelier, Vt., where the Winooski river, at the confluence of a small tributary above the city, by reason of two miles of blocked ice, was turned into the city streets. Montpelier is built on the sides of a valley, and the chief thoroughfare is State street. On this street stands, on one side, on the crown of a little eminence, the capitol, and on the other an interesting cottage, the birthplace of Admiral Dewey. Behind the latter structure are lowlands through which a little brook runs. The lowlands overflowed and the torrent swept down State street in the dead of night, flooding fully half the business blocks and residences. The clanging fire bell awoke the citizens to the danger from flood and for hours all sorts of expedients were adopted to save perishable property. The financial loss throughout the city will be heavy, but further danger is expected to be averted by use of dynamite on the ice gorge.

In Maine the rampage of the rivers was mild compared with anticipation.

The rain falling on snow and ice in the White mountains and Winnepesaukee regions in New Hampshire loosened the bonds of winter most effectually there, and the Merrimack and Connecticut rivers rose rapidly all Tuesday night and yesterday, doing great damage to the industries along their banks.

In central Massachusetts many streams which have only local reputations for flowage have done surprising damage through inadequacy of natural channels to carry away the surplus. This was particularly the case along the line of the Fitchburg road in this state, and it will probably be many days before a full accounting of the property loss will be known.

At Orange, Clinton, Fitchburg and in the Deerfield valley the flood reached its height yesterday morning and successfully placed an embargo on nearly every form of traffic in the vicinity of the lowlands.

Reports continue to come of interrupted railway communications, chiefly in trolley service, from all the New England states, but the danger point has passed and the damage has resolved itself into a question of repairs. One fatality occurred during the day, indirectly due to the flood, at Exeter, N. H., where a mill officer fell into a raceway.

Dissatisfied With Provisions of Bill.

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 15.—At a meeting of the Textile council last night it was voted to wash its hands of the bill now pending in the legislature, providing for representation of the labor unions and the city council on the textile school board of trustees. This action is taken because the bill makes it incumbent upon the city to make an annual appropriation to the school.

Soldier and Inventor Dead.

Atlanta, Feb. 15.—Major Austin Leyden died suddenly yesterday, aged 74. He served in the Civil war as an artillery commander, and during that time invented a revolving rifle which he patented with the Confederate government. A combination lock, used by the United States government on its registered mails, was invented and patented by him.

Concessions on Both Sides.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 15.—The strike at the factory of the Waterbury Clock company has been settled and all the men returned to work today. The strike was precipitated a week ago, when 100 adjusters went out. The conditions of the new arrangement were not given out, but it is said that both made concessions and both won many points.

Fate of Crew Unknown.

Boston, Feb. 15.—Advices received here announce the loss last October of the whaling schooner Enola C, which sailed from here in September, 1897, on a whaling cruise to the South Atlantic. No details are given and nothing is said regarding the fate of the crew. The report of the discovery comes from Valparaiso.

Nabbed by the Police.

New York, Feb. 15.—Three men and two women were arrested in a building raided by the police yesterday. Seventy thousand green goods circulars were seized. One of the prisoners is Frank Brooks, an old-time green goods man, the police say. The women were addressing wrappers containing the circulars.

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FRESH PORK,	9 cts. lb.	HAMBURG STEAK,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEGS OF MUTTON,	10 cts. lb.	PIGS FEET,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
FORES OF MUTTON,	5 cts. lb.	HONEY COMB TRIPE,	10 cts. lb., 3 lbs. for 25 cts.
LEG and LOIN LAMB,	10 cts. lb.	PLAIN TRIPE,	5 cts. lb.
FORES OF LAMB,	6 cts. lb.	FRANKFORTS,	10 cts. lb.
ROAST BEEF,	6 to 12 1-2 cts. lb.	FRESH SHOULDERS of PORK,	8 cts. lb
SIRLOIN STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.	SMOKED SHOULDERS,	8 cts. lb.
RUMP STEAK,	15 and 20 cts. lb.		
MUTTON and LAMB CHOPS,	12 1-2 to 20 cts. lb.		

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PUBLIC HEARING.

THE Committee on Streets will give a public hearing to all parties interested, on FRIDAY Evening, February 16th, 1900, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 8 o'clock, on the petition of Herbert M. Federhen and others, to ask the Massachusetts Highway Commission to release to the City of Quincy all right acquired over Washington street, between Chubbuck street and the Quincy Point bridge.

Per order of the Committee,
CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR, Clerk.
Feb. 13-2t 13-15

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Choice Geese,	12 cts. lb.
Choice Fowl and Chickens,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Short Leg Lamb,	12 cts. lb.
Loin of Lamb,	10 cts. lb.
Leg of Mutton,	10 cts. lb.
Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts. lb.
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts. lb.
Round Steak,	16 cts. lb.
Good Steak,	2 lbs. for 25 cts.
Beef Liver,	8 cts. lb.
Pigs Feet and Tripe,	8 cts. lb.
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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	48	9	48	26
Monday,	48	39	5	51	27
Tuesday,	60	33	12	41	29
Wednesday,	38	37	30	48	40
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New Advertisements Today.

Notice—Course of Lectures.
Assessors' Notice.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ The United States will always be able to keep enemies from using the isthmian canal. Fortifications are barred by the new treaty, but they will not be needed there more than at Port Said and Suez. Nature affords the United States distinct strategic advantages completely protecting the use of the canal by American warships.—Providence Journal.

☞ There never has been an annexation except in the case of Hawaii and Texas where the will of the people of the annexed territory was consulted. It is simply amazing that the advocates of anti-expansion repeat, parrot-like, the exploded arguments advanced against annexation in 1803, 1819 and 1848, without reference to their truth or to their application to the development of the republic.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

☞ Duke de la Torre, a lieutenant colonel in the Spanish army, is in this country for the purpose of studying our military institutions and becoming acquainted with our military men. Had he been at the front in the summer of 1898 he could have been saved the long voyage, for he would have seen our war implements in operation at close range and doubtless have received a call from our officers for his sword.—Schenectady Union.

☞ The growth of sobriety among the working classes is one of the most promising features of the social conditions of today, and it has been enforced by the immense development in the responsibilities of daily life. Never were intoxicating liquors and paralyzing drugs more in the reach of the people, but their excessive use is confined to very few. There can be no doubt that the use of powerful and dangerous physical forces in the ordinary operations of life, like steam and electricity will constantly increase, and the need of sober, reliable and competent men become so urgent that no man of irregular or intemperate habits will be able to secure employment of any sort.—Brockton Times.

Surprised.

A very pleasant surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Mayo of Charles street, Tuesday evening, the date being their fifth anniversary. A bountiful collation was provided. Many useful and ornamental presents were bestowed by the guests, completely overwhelmed the host and hostess. The guests were, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Farrington, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Fogg, Mr. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hobbs. After a most enjoyable evening, the guests departed in the wee sma' hours.

Turkey and the Turks

The lecture delivered by Mr. William Milwitzky at the Washington Street Congregational church, Monday evening was largely attended. The subject was "Turkey and the Turks as I saw them." Mr. Milwitzky proved an entertaining speaker and having been recently in Turkey told many pleasing and interesting facts about the Turks and their customs. Speaking of the lecturer himself, it can be said that he is a very talented linquist, speaking over twenty different languages fluently. He is a Russian by birth and at present is in the Union Library, Harvard University, Cambridge. Many hope to have the pleasure of hearing him again at some future time.

☞ Furniture reupholstered and repaired, hair mattresses made over, hair renovated and ticking washed. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

HAD MANY FRIENDS.

Grocers Banquet Very Largely Attended.

Mayor Hall The Principal Speaker of Evening.

The Menu Served by Nash—List of Those Present.

The ninth annual banquet of the Quincy Grocers' Association was held Wednesday evening at Wilson's hall. It was the largest attended of any ever held by the association. Many Quincy business men, other than those engaged in the grocery and provision trade were present, as well as members of the Old Colony Grocers' Association who were guests.

That the affair was a success in every way was due to the untiring efforts of the committee, headed by George H. Wilson, President of the Quincy Grocers Association.

During the first part of the evening there was a business meeting of the Old Colony Association, presided over by President John W. Nash, at which reports were received from the delegates to the National convention at Cleveland and the transaction of routine business.

At 9 o'clock the outer doors were thrown open and the guests who had arrived were invited to enter. Seats



GEORGE H. WILSON,
President Quincy Association.

were immediately taken at the tables. Then it was found that a second table would be necessary. Prayer was offered by Mr. Sampson of Braintree, and President Nash gave the command to fall to.

A. E. Nash furnished the supper, the following being the menu:

Providence river oysters.
Roasts.
Roast Turkey-Cranberry Sauce. Roast Chicken
Roast Duck-Wine Jelly.
Fillet of Beef with Mushroom.
Saratoga Potatoes. French Peas.
Salads.
Lobster Salad. Chicken Salad.
Entrees.
Providence River Oysters Escalloped.
Relishes.
Celery. Pickles. Olives. Saltine Crackers
English Cheese. Plain and Fancy Cakes.
Ices.
Vanilla and Strawberry Cream.
Frozen Pudding. Roman Punch.
Fruits.
Oranges. Malaga Grapes. Bananas.
Coffee. Rolls.

At the conclusion of the banquet President Nash called order, and introducing Mayor Hall, said:

"Gentlemen, business associates and friends:—It affords me great pleasure to extend a cordial greeting to all who sit around our festive board. More especially we extend a cordial greeting to those who do not belong to our association, for it tells us they are interested in the welfare and prosperity of our city. One thing I would like to call your attention to, and that is that more of our members would make an effort to be punctual in their attendance at the call of the regular monthly meetings of the association. Let us all put our shoulders to the wheel and accomplish more work in the year nineteen hundred than we ever did before.

The sessions of the National Convention held in Cleveland, Ohio, in January, were most interesting. All are interested in the New England Grocer, and one can find between its pages every detail connected with the work of the convention.

In closing allow me to say as president of the association, I always enjoy seeing a large number of this associati n at the meetings. It is a great help to all. I also thank you for all your kindness and thoughtful consideration during the past year.

I now have the pleasure of introducing His Honor Mayor Hall of Quincy.

Mayor Hall said he was pleased to meet such a company of gentlemen. He had been associated with many on many different occasions. It brings up many recollections, quickens and causes the cords of memory to vibrate. There were many faces that were fresh before his vision that missed tonight, which came to him with throbbing memory. He hoped to meet them on the other side, and enjoy a more lasting friendship than here. There came to his mind many recollections of kindly service rendered one to another



JOHN W. NASH.
President Old Colony Association.

to make this something more than a passing moment. His early boyhood was passsed in the same line of business. Five o'clock in the morning was the hour he was expected to open the store for breakfast trade. It was hard to get to a Quincy store at that hour but he had been down town as late as 7.30, and had to wait for a store to open. Hard work never killed anyone yet, and in general trade it never made anything but a man. He knew of no business community which had more anxiety than the grocer. It was a question of steady hard work and diplomacy, from one year's end to another. He regretted that there was an element that seemed to think it was perfectly right to cheat and defraud a grocery dealer. It seems to be a feeling that you are the legitimate man to provide groceries, and not be paid. He was sorry that this was growing to an alarming extent in Quincy.

Mayor Hall then spoke of the impending labor trouble, and if there was any means by which it could be averted he hoped every individual would use what influence he could that there should be no suspension of work. He hoped that if by March first an agreement had not been reached, that work would be continued while propositions for settlement were in progress.

President George H. Wilson of the Quincy Association was called upon and said he was pleased to see so many present, and asked to be excused from making any extended remarks.

During the evening Hanson's orchestra furnished music, and later the company were entertained by Galen Vinton Bowditch, with vocal selections. Those present were:

J. Marcus Arnold,
H. M. White,
G. H. Wilson,
J. W. Johnson,
Osborne Rogers,
Horace F. Spear,
J. J. Keniley,
Charles W. Hollis,
Richard Talbot,
Daniel Desmond,
James Nicol,
W. E. Howe,
A. L. Litchfield,
John H. Dinegan,
Albert Keating,
F. W. Tirrell,
Robert Johnson,
A. A. Macleod,
George Phinney,
Walter Wilson,
F. F. Green,
J. W. Stancomb,
W. H. Hall,
Joseph Bruce,
A. W. Newcomb,
John W. Nash,
John O. Hall,
C. L. Keon,
C. E. West,
Josephus Sampson,
C. H. Hobart,
Henry W. Mansfield,
Edward J. Sullivan,
Elisha Packard,
John W. Walsh,
P. J. Williams,
William O. Collyer,
John W. Hersey,
Howard Rogers,
Andrew McNeil,
Frederick Humphrey,
O. A. Bridgham,
Amos E. Damon,
Walter J. Stoddard,
Charles H. Johnson,
Amos C. Humphrey,
J. K. Bean,
G. F. Spooner,
Franklin Jacobs,
E. H. Doane,
J. N. Dennen,
W. H. Hersey,
W. J. Sladen,
B. B. Sylvester,
L. B. Greene,
Everett Loud,
Frank A. Damon,
Arthur T. Faunce,
J. A. Radcliffe, Rockland,
George A. Clift, Whitman,
F. H. Hayden, Randolph,
C. D. Hill, Randolph,
H. H. Newcomb, Quincy,
Gordan Willis, South Weymouth,
Ephraim T. Paty, Abington,
E. J. Pitcher, South Weymouth,
Ellis I. Howard, Holbrook,
S. F. Newcomb, Quincy,
A. A. Linscott,
C. F. Derby,
George T. Wilde, Holbrook,

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Moshers big show at Music Hall tonight.

Strand and Strand, and a host of others, will be at Music hall tonight.

The Be-Game Pleasure club held a dance at Hancock hall Wednesday night.

Charles S. Jose was called to Saco, Me., Tuesday night by the death of his brother.

At the big show at Music Hall tonight the prices are only ten, twenty, and thirty cents.

Master Charles Staples has been confined to the house for the last few days with a sore throat.

R. E. Foy & Co., the Water street grocers, are announcing goods in the grocery line at surprisingly low prices.

The Knights of Honor will have an entertainment and smoker after their meeting Friday evening, at Grand Army hall.

A number were present to enjoy the excellent supper which was served in the vestry of the Universalist church Wednesday evening.

The spreading rails on the Norfolk line were repaired Wednesday morning, and the suspension of travel over this line was but for a few hours.

It was two years ago tonight that the news was flashed over the country that the United States battleship Maine had been blown up in Havana harbor.

The ladies held a Matinee whist at the Granite City Club rooms Wednesday afternoon. Prizes were secured by Mrs. George Meade and Mrs. George W. Jones.

Louis Grossman has built a large swimming tank at his place on Water street, and the Hebrews of that section have engaged Jack Foley to instruct them in swimming.

The champion Lancashire clog dancers of the world are Win Stanley and Sullivan. They hold the champion belt and 140 gold medals and trophies—Music Hall tonight.

The question now is, what building is to be erected on the corner of Prospect and Sagamore streets? There are heaps of granite and promises of immediate steps toward building, but no one knows what.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of Memorial Congregational church held their regular monthly meeting, Wednesday, Feb. 14. It was decided to give a turkey supper next week. Those who have attended previous suppers are aware of the pleasant time in store for them.

The boys were up and a-coming Wednesday night in Atlantic. Whether their idea of an ideal valentine was to startle the inmates of every house out of night's repose, or whether they just thirsted for mischief, can never be found out; but together with beanblowers and waxed string, they succeeded in making the night anything but peaceful.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Adams gave a whist party to a number of their friends at their home on Washington street, Wednesday evening. Mrs. R. H. Newcomb captured the ladies' first prize. Mr. Thomas Lincoln, Jr., took the gentlemen's first prize. The consolation were awarded to Mrs. M. E. Wight and Mr. R. H. Newcomb. A dainty lunch was served during the evening, and a jolly good time was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Matthew Lyons, a well known resident of West Quincy, died Wednesday afternoon, at his residence on Cross street, after an illness of several months' duration, due to heart trouble. Mr. Lyons was a stone cutter by trade, which he followed up to his last illness. He has served several years as a member of the Ward Four Democratic committee, and last year was a member of the Board of Health. He was about 45 years of age. He leaves a widow and three children.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. E. J. MURPHY,
G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Alexander Pitts and family wish to extend their sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors, who so generously aided them at the time of the recent fire, at his home in Quincy Point. Such acts of kindness will not be forgotten.

Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900. 1t

MOVEMENT OF RUSSIA'S TROOPS

Causing Great Britain to Look Toward Her Interests in Persian Territory.

London, Feb. 15.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Times says that the delays in the ordinary traffic on the central Asian railway are not caused, as has been officially stated, by snowfalls, but are due to the passage of Russian troops, estimated at 20,000, who are being concentrated in the vicinity of Kushk.

The Times, in an editorial upon the dispatch, says: This may not portend any immediate action; but it can hardly be doubted that Russia has come to the conclusion that the psychological moment has arrived when pressure can be brought to bear on Great Britain.

There is no reason to suppose that the estimate of 20,000 troops is above the mark. It does not follow, however, that this implies an advance on Herat. Probably the demonstration is intended to cover movements of a more practical kind in other quarters.

Looking to the eagerness of the Germans to declare through their newspapers that they are not at all afraid of the extension of Russian influence in Persia, together with German interests in western Asia in connection with the Baghdad railway scheme, we must be prepared to defend our interests in the Persian gulf and southern Persia against the whole world.

Taylor Won't Withdraw Troops.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 15.—Governor Taylor last night sent a message to the members of the committee appointed to demand the withdrawal of the troops from Frankfort and his vacation of the office of governor, to Governor Beckham. The reply stated that the troops would not be removed, as their presence is considered essential to the preservation of life and property. Assurance was given, however, that the members of the legislature would not be molested in the discharge of their duty.

Anti-Trust Conference Adjourns.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Stormy scenes characterized the sessions of the national anti-trust conference preceding the final adjournment last night. The climax came when Delegate Joseph Parker, a middle-of-the-road Populist, surprised the conference with a resolution pledging the delegates to vote for no party that does not stand for government ownership and the people's direct legislation. The Democratic leaders interpreted this as an attack on Bryan, and finally blocked the move.

Veterans Are Thinning Out.

Portland, Me., Feb. 15.—City hall was filled with veterans yesterday when the 23rd annual encampment of the Maine department, G. A. R., was called to order. The official reports gave the following statistics: Number posts in good standing, 161, a loss of three during the year; number of members in good standing, 7067, a loss of 401; mortality during the year, 234; cash on hand, $19,867.19; relief fund on hand, $5,506.53; total value of post property, $100,033.08.

The Danish West Indies Dicker.

Paris, Feb. 15.—The correspondent of The Temps at Copenhagen says it is reported there that a bill ceding the Danish West Indies to the United States for 12,000,000 kroners will be submitted to the chambers before the end of the present session. Confidential negotiations, however, are so little advanced that not only has no price been fixed, but the principle of the cession has not been admitted.

Slept While on Duty.

Ottawa, Feb. 15.—The minister of militia has received details of the court-martial of three members of the Royal Canadian regiment at Modder river, for having been asleep while on sentry duty. The sergeant in charge of the post, who was one of the culprits, was reprimanded, one of the privates admonished, and the third sentenced to eight days confinement.

Outbreak of Yellow Fever.

Havana, Feb. 15.—Eight cases of yellow fever are now under treatment, which is unusual for this time of the year. During the first few months of 1899 there were practically no cases reported. The weather has been exceptionally warm for the last seven or eight days, and the Cuban doctors attribute the existing cases chiefly to this fact.

Maxwell Committed to Jail.

Portland, Me., Feb. 15.—Elmer Maxwell, alleged murderer of Captain Baisley of the schooner J. B. Van Dusen, had a preliminary hearing yesterday. The prisoner pleaded not guilty. Hearing was waived and Maxwell was ordered to be committed to the Portland jail until the next term of the United States circuit court, on April 23.

Slated For Philippine Commissioner.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Among the names of other persons favorably considered by the president for appointment as one of the Philippine commissioners is Bartlett Tripp of North Dakota, and there is reason to believe that, unless geographical considerations interfere, Mr. Tripp will be one of the commission.

Another Surgical Operation.

New York, Feb. 15.—Roland Reed, the actor, was again operated upon yesterday in St. Luke's hospital for cancer of the intestines. He is reported as resting easy, but the physicians say that at least 48 hours must elapse before anything definite concerning his condition or the success of the operation is known.

Pro-Boer Meeting at Brockton.

Brockton, Mass., Feb. 15.—Miss Maud Gonne spoke in behalf of the Boers last night at the City theater. Several Brockton men also made addresses which were decidedly anti-British in sentiment. Whenever Joseph Chamberlain's name was spoken it was roundly hissed.

Grieved Over Sweetheart's Death.

Hillsboro Bridge, N. H., Feb. 15.—H. M. Allen of Henniker attempted suicide yesterday by taking poison, but it is believed he will recover. The act is supposed to have been induced through grief over the death of a young lady with whom Allen was keeping company.

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First Lecture Wednesday evening at 7.30. Subject: Reasons why Christ must return to the earth; and signs that the time is near.

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Per order of the Board,
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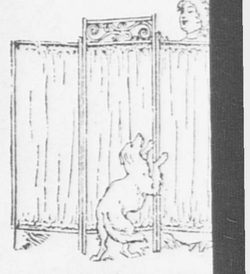
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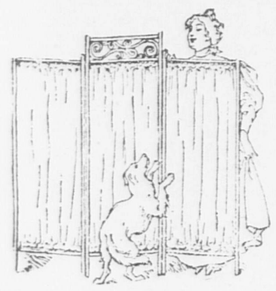
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Fresh air at night, while you sleep, means health and long life. It's not safe however, to sleep with an open window, unless you use a draught screen. With one of these screens you can have fresh air at all times and no draught on your bed. They are especially needful in sick rooms, and at the low price we are now selling them, every house should have one or more.

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This Comprises Lots of Kid Gloves, Hosiery Underwear, Laces, Corsets, Flannel Waists, etc.
TAKE NOTICE.
This Sale is not New Cheap Goods bought for the purpose of advertising. But goods actually marked down for a reduction of stock.
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If you think you are making the most of your opportunities and do not advertise liberally in the Quincy Daily Ledger, which reaches most of the families of Quincy, Wollaston Atlantic, Norfolk Downs, Quincy Point, Quincy Neck, South and West Quincy. It also circulates in Weymouth, Braintree and Milton.

TODAY'S COURT.

August Lautz was fined $5 for assault on Thomas G. Carsen at Quincy.

William Mahoney, alias Thompson, was arraigned in the juvenile court for the larceny of hens at Randolph. Case placed on Probation for one month.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

BORN.

BEAL—In Quincy, Feb. 15, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin I. Beal.

DIED.

LYONS—In West Quincy, Feb. 14, Mr. Matthew Lyons, aged 45 years.

UNANIMOUSLY ENDORSED.

Quincy Granite Manufacturers in Accord with the New England Association.

An Explanatory Letter from Secretary Duncan of Cutters' Union Relative to Proposition.

At a meeting of the Granite Manufacturers' Association of Quincy held Wednesday evening, the resolutions as passed by the Granite Manufacturers' Association of New England at their meeting on the 13th inst. refusing to concede an 8-hour day at a minimum rate of $3.00 per day, previous to the appointing of any committee, were unaniomusly endorsed. The following explanatory letter from the National Secretary of the Granite Cutters' Union was read at the meeting:

Boston, Mass., Feb. 9th, 1900.

J. W. Frost Secretary Granite Manufacturers' Association of New England:

Dear Sir,—Your letter of January 30 was received, and as we were tabulating the vote of our membership, as it came in, on the proposition contained in your previous letter, we delayed answering until we could report the result. The votes are now recorded, and I have been directed by our National Executive Committee to convey the following to your association.

When your previous letter reached us, it was sent to our membership for action and in time propositions on the subject were submitted for vote. Several branches favored a general committee representative of our whole Union, several other branches the selection of a committee representative only of our New England branches, and several other branches having in mind the previous letter of your Association, showing your chief desire to meet a committee from our side, was to arbitrate the $3.00 per day and 8 hour provisions in Section 198 of our Constitution (were opposed to a committee being selected, their intention being, that if the Union elect such a committee in face of the information we had previously received from you, it would be construed as meaning our declaration for an 8-hour day on a basis of a $3.00 minimum was subject to sectional arbitration. In these forms the subject of your letter of December 7 was voted upon, and by a large majority the motions for a committee under such circumstances was voted down, and the resolution not to send a committee, unless we had an assurance your Association would recognize the $3.00 and 8-hour position our Union has taken, was adopted.

We realize there are many interests in common between your Association and ours, which could be amicably arranged by a committee representative of both sides meeting for that purpose, and if your Association will approve of our position in equalizing hours and wages by placing them at 8 hours per day for $3.00 (or piece work based upon $3.00 per day), we see no reason why such committees should not meet at an early date to arrange the details which would add to the stability and permanency of settlements, and thereby produce the desired harmony, good will and fair dealing between employer and employe, so absolutely necessary for the best interests of the trade.

Arrangements have been made in our trade throughout the United States for the introduction of the changed conditions for this spring, and to alter those arrangements to suit one particular section of the country, would upset everything of an equitable or of a harmonious nature we have endeavored to introduce, and in fact, we are informed from many sources throughout New England that employers are satisfied and the conditions we desire are fair.

Under these circumstances, we again respectfully request your Association to approve of our position, and on notice of which it will take but a short time to get a committee to meet yours for the purpose of arrangements consequent upon the universal recognition of an established minimum in the trade.

If it is your purpose to force a conflict we deny any responsibility for, such, for we made our position known to you in a general way three years ago, and in a specific way one year ago, and if with prospects for an exceptionally brisk year your course causes many new firms to start up or diverts trade to other parts of the country the blame will not be attributable to us.

We know of no employer who believes that $3.00 is too high wages for a competent granite cutter, and as all appear to agree the 8-hour day has come to stay, we trust your Association will accept our proposition at an early date so that neither strikes nor lockouts will mar the even tenor of the trade. Respectfully,

(Signed) James Duncan.
National Secretary.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE
Who are injured by the use or coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

WOMAN DROWNED.

Escaped from Watchers and Jumped in the River.

Jane J. Smith, aged about 39 years, who has been residing with Mrs. Albert E. Morrisson on Brush Hill road, Milton, took her life early this morning by drowning herself in the Neponset river. The young lady had been ill for several weeks and has required watchers constantly.

About 1 o'clock this morning she got up and informed her watchers that she was feeling better than she had for some days. This put the tired watchers off their guard, and while they slept she stole out of the house. Her absence was soon noted, and the night officer on that route was informed. Then came a search that lasted the balance of the night. All night long they searched through the woods, but no trace could they find.

About 10 o'clock Officer McDermitt found where she had entered the river near the Hyde Park line. As she entered the water her clothing evidently got tangled in a barbed wire fence. She was unable to free herself, and either fell or threw herself into the water and was drowned.

Officer McDermitt waded in up to his waist and was obliged to cut away her clothing before he could free the body. It is thought the rash act was committed during a fit of temporary insanity.

WEYMOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tirrell were surprised by a large number of their friends on the evening of Feb. 8. The occasion was a most enjoyable one for all. Mr. and Mrs. Tirrell were presented with a very nice dining room set. Refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent in a social way.

The Epworth league of the Porter M. E. church will hold a fair on the evenings of Feb. 15 and 16.

The grocery clerks of Atlantic gave their third annual dance in Music hall, Atlantic, Wednesday evening who proved to be one of the largest parties ever held in the hall. A promenade concert was held from 8 until 8.30, when the grand march was started. It was led by Mr. P. H. Barry and Miss Bertha Cushing of Neponset, who were followed by about 50 couples. The dancing was in charge of the clerks who managed affairs very nicely. At intermission several solos were rendered by local and out of town talent. Mr. Sparrow of Wollaston served ices. Dancing was continued until 2 A. M. Sprague's orchestra furnished the music.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

Mrs. Walter Combs is gaining strength fast, after her long sickness.

☞More gypsy moths have been unearthed at the present hearing than were unearthed by the more than a million dollars spent thus far; and the singular thing about the moth is that it wears "pants" and loves a soft job at the state's expense.—Waltham News.

☞Furniture reupholstered and repaired Mattresses made over. Carpets cleaned. Window Shades to order. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

LIFE SAVING COLLAR.

A BELGIAN INVENTION TO PRESERVE LIFE IN CASE OF SHIPWRECK.

Mr. Hubert De Wilde of Ghent, Belgium, has recently invented a life saving collar which, according to the success of recent experiments, seems to be in advance of any similar device ever attempted.

Among those who have been deeply impressed with the value of Mr. De Wilde's invention is Mr. Richard Le Bort, the United States consul at Ghent, who recently sent to the state department a complete description and commended it in the warmest terms.

The invention consists of a cork collar having an exterior diameter of 16½ inches and an interior diameter of 6 inches. The neck opening has a circumference of 18 inches and is composed of two half collars fastened together with a hinge, in which there is a strong spring, destined to maintain the collar always closed and firm.

The opening is opposite the hinges. On each side of the opening there is a smaller holder, made of cork, three



HOW THE WILDE COLLAR IS ADJUSTED.

inches in height and two inches in diameter, securely fastened. When pressure is exerted on the two holders, the collar spreads open and allows the head to pass in. On letting go of the holder the collar clasps itself automatically.

The collar is formed of 30 pieces of cork, each piece having the form of an isosceles triangle, with angles rounded, of which the base is 4¾ inches and the height 5 5-16 inches.

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The points are directed toward the interior, which gives the collar an elevation at its periphery of 4¾ inches, while at its interior there is a thickness of 1 3-16 inches.

The pieces are cut radially and are strung on two heavy steel wire stems concentrically riveted to the folding shutters of the hinge.

The weight of the apparatus is about 5½ pounds and its displacement of water about 12 quarts. Consequently its ascensional strength represents constantly from 18 to 20 pounds of iron.

Confectionery In Army Rations.

Candy has been added to the regular ration of the American soldier, says The Scientific American. One New York firm has shipped more than 50 tons of confectionery during the past year for the troops in the Philippines, Cuba and Porto Rico. The government buys candy of good quality, which would retail from 30 to 40 cents a pound. It consists of mixed chocolate creams, lemon drops, cocoanut macaroons and acidulated fruit drops. These are put in sealed one pound cans of a special oval shape, designed to fit the pockets of a uniform coat. According to The Evening Post, the use of candy as an army ration originated in some experiments on the diet of the troops conducted by the German government ten years ago. They showed that the addition of candy and chocolate to the regular ration greatly improved the health and endurance of the troops using it. Since that time the German government has issued cakes of chocolate and a limited amount of other confectionery. The queen has just forwarded 500,000 pounds of chocolate in half pound packages as a Christmas treat for the troops in the Transvaal. American jam manufacturers are considering a movement to add jam to the army ration. It has been found so wholesome for the British army that 1,450,000 pounds have been dispatched to South Africa as a four months' supply for 116,000 troops.

Will Do Away With Stamps.

English postal authorities are making experiments with an automatic letter mailing device which will do away with the old style of "stick with a lick" postage stamp. The new apparatus resembles a slot machine and is an adaptation of this idea. It can be placed on the street corners or in the postoffices. By putting a penny in the slot the letter is thrust into a slot and, presto, change! a dry or ribbon stamp puts a stamp on the corner of the letter, when it can be dropped into the box. The machine cancels the stamp with the date, time of day, etc., all at one operation. There are different denominations of stamps. If this machine proves the success which its inventor hopes, it will do away with the present mucilaged stamp and prove an economical device for the postal service.

Some Staggering Computations.

A well known astronomer calculates that if an express train running 60 miles an hour day and night without stopping kept it up for 350 years it would just about complete the diameter of the circle made by the earth in its yearly journey around the sun. Now let this immense circle be represented by a lady's finger ring, and, taking that as the standard of measurement, the nearest fixed star would be a mile distant and the farthest visible through the telescope at least 20 miles.

HE WAS CURED.

But the Relief Was Perhaps Only Temporary, After All.

A northern tourist met a negro "conjurer," or "hoodoo," in Liberty county, this state, recently. He expressed some curiosity as to the "charms" employed by the conjurer in his work. The latter led him to a lonely cabin in the heart of the woods.

Arriving there, he saw a number of bones, presumably of animals, a human skull, a shelf of dusty bottles, containing various herbs and roots, and a wooden box in which a number of live snakes were coiled.

He told the man he had the toothache and wished to be "conjured" out of it.

The conjurer set the skull in the middle of the earthen floor, placed a lighted candle on each side of it and then took a blacksnake by the tail and whirled it around his head, all the while going in a circle around the skull and muttering strange words in funereal tones.

But for the lighted candles all was darkness inside.

Suddenly the snake slipped from his hands and began to wriggle toward the visitor. Two of the other snakes got out of the box and writhed over the floor.

"Is it gone yit?" asked the conjurer, his eyes closed tightly. "Is it gone yit?"

But he spoke to the unreplying darkness. Both the tourist and the toothache were gone. They had jumped through the window.—Atlanta Constitution.

An Interloper.



Pig—Darn the luck, there's a beastly man in my favorite puddle!—New York Journal.

Can't Help It.

"I wonder why Spruce is always warning his wife to beware of drafts? One would think she was an irresponsible child, the way he fusses around her, always saying, 'Look out for the draft, my dear,' or something like that."

"Oh, I guess it's merely force of habit with him. You see, he is a bank cashier."—Chicago Times-Herald.

None the Best of It.

"The audience was a trifle severe in its comments on the essay your wife read."

"Yes," answered Mr. Meekton, "but the audience hasn't any the best of it. It 'ud feel pretty small and discouraged if it only knew what Henrietta says about the people who criticised her."—Washington Star.

Wise Forethought.

Hixon—You are the only man I ever heard of who started out to build a house for $4,000 and actually succeeded in finishing it within the limit. How did you manage it?

Dixon—Oh, that was an easy matter. I had my architect draw up plans for a $2,000 house. See?—Chicago News.

The Last Hope Gone.

"I understand they called in Dr. Squibbs."

"Yes."

"Then I suppose there's no hope for him?"

"None whatever. Dr. Squibbs has called Dr. Shott in consultation."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Escaping a "Touch."

"Say, old man, lend me a V, will you?"

"Haven't it. I was just going to ask you for one."

"That's what I thought."

A little scheming now and then
Saves money for farsighted men.
—Chicago Post.

And Rainy Day Skirts.

Professor—Miss Flavilla, mention a few of the most wonderful scientific inventions of the nineteenth century?

Miss Flavilla—Yes, sir. The telephone, photograph buttons, golf caps and ice cream soda.—Chicago Record.

A Modern Test.

"He's a very great man," said the awestricken young woman.

"Oh, I don't know," answered Miss Cayenne. "I haven't seen any magazine articles written by him about himself."—Washington Star.

Her Cry of Despair.

The sky was dun and lowering.

"It threatens rain," said the man.

"Nonsense!" said the woman.

For the woman's wet weather skirt was exceedingly becoming to her.—Detroit Journal.

Indispensable.

"Somebody's been again at my writing desk! It's always so when I want to work!"

"What's missing—ink, pen?"

"No, my corkscrew!"—Unsere Gesellschaft.

Good Ground For Suspicion.

Mudge—I can't help suspecting the sincerity of a man that always agrees with me.

Yabsley—I should think you would suspect his sanity.—Indianapolis Press.

Able to Hold Her Own.

"Don't you pity these girls who marry foreign titles?"

"No; any girl who is a genuine American ought to give the man the worst of it."—Chicago Record.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
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Additional lines will be charged for pro rata Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—This morning, between 8 California avenue and the West Quincy station, a Mink Scarf. Finder will please return to K. LANE HEATH, 8 California avenue.
Feb. 13. 3t

WANTED.

WANTED—Girls for general housework, second work and nursery work, at City Employment Office, 160 Hancock street, Quincy, Mass., directly opposite Post Office. C. M. LAPHAM. Feb. 14-3t

WANTED—A girl for general housework. P. E. Island preferred. Apply at 19 Chestnut street, Quincy. Feb. 14-6t

WANTED—A Young Man who has been some time at stone cutting, to learn to cut moulding and to finish stones. Must be smart and willing. Steady employment. Address "A. A.," Ledger Office. Feb. 9-6t

WANTED—Man Competent to take charge of and manage large granite quarry, located near Little Rock, Arkansas. An opportunity will be given manager to invest a few thousand dollars in quarry if he so desires. Address, GEORGE H. MEADE CO., Little Rock, Arkansas. Jan. 26-30t

WANTED—A partner in the Granite Business in Quincy. Must be fast Stone-cutter, not over 40 years old. Address Ledger Office. Jan. 24-tf

FOR SALE.

NEW MILCH COWS For Sale or Exchange. JAMES MOORHEAD, 20 Curtis street, Quincy, near Hospital.
Feb. 9. 6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also halt-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises.
Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.
CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

TO LET.

Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.

Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314.
Dec. 28. tf

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Upon several occasions Prof. Coffey has issued a challenge to the whole world to produce his equal in healing by "the laying on of hands." This is the man that stood upon the open stage of Faxon hall, Quincy, and treated nearly one hundred people, not only to demonstrate his marvelous power, but also to bring that relief from suffering to hundreds of poor, tortured humanity, that could find no aid from any other source. Hundreds of people witnessed these cures. As a result Prof. Coffey and his associates are the hardest worked men in Quincy today.

A lady in the presence of the writer told this great healer that she never closed her eyes in sleep without first asking God's blessing upon him who had saved her from a life of misery and death. Words fail to give the reader an idea of the esteem and adoration with which he is regarded by his hundreds of patients. No invalid should give up hope until they have had consultation with this wonderfully successful specialist. Take no one's word, except that of a cured patient. Let no prejudices stand in the way of reason, but whatever your complaint may be, it will be to your interest to consult Prof. Coffey. Magnetism is the greatest boon of this age, and it is fast supplanting the old-fashioned, and obsolete methods of our grandfathers by making permanent and lasting cures when all other systems have utterly failed. One thing greatly to the credit of the professor is his fees are much less than any first-class specialist in the state.

A well known Stone Engraver (wearing a plaster paris jacket) was treated in Faxon Hall for extreme pain in chest and arm; his sister-in-law reported last Friday that he went home from the hall, had the plaster cast removed, and went to work at his trade.

Mrs. M——, a well known Quincy lady, who was a perfect cripple from sciatica, reported Saturday that after Prof. Coffey had given her three treatments she had done a large washing and had felt no inconvenience from the effort.

If you are afflicted, having exhausted the skill of doctors of all schools, and found no relief from taking medicine, it is time you should consult with Prof. Coffey. He will help you sure.

"Of all the divine or magnetic healers we have seen or heard, Professor Coffey is the fairest, frankest and most interesting. The remarkable thing about him is that he claims no supernatural power or divine endowment not given to other men. If you are in trouble or afflicted it may prove a blessing to have seen and known Prof. Coffey.

"It looks as though the reign of medicines, pills and nostrums will soon be over. The modern method as employed by Prof. Coffey leaves no shadow of a doubt as to its remarkable curative powers." Feb. 13-tf

Sheriff's Sale.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. QUINCY, Jan. 3, 1900.

TAKEN on Execution and will be sold at public auction on SATURDAY, the 17th day of February, A. D., 1900, at 9 o'clock A. M., at my residence, No. 53 Franklin street, in Quincy, in said County, all the right, title and interest which Bridget McDonough of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the 9th day of October, 1899, at eight o'clock A. M. (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following property, with the building thereon, situated in the westerly part of said Quincy and bounded as follows, viz:

Northerly on land formerly of J. W. Robertson, about 130 feet; easterly by Willard street, about 64 feet; southerly on land now or late, of one, McDavitt, about 125 feet, and westerly on land, now or formerly, of said Robertson, 64.19 feet; containing in all about 8,160 feet. Said premises being lot numbered 37 on a plan of land on Willard street, in said Quincy, made by Whitman & Breck, Surveyors, dated August, 1874.

Also all her right, title and interest in and to the following described lots of land situated in said Quincy, being lots numbered 71, 72, 73 and 87, as shown on a plan marked "B" attached to a certain petition for partition of land in said Quincy, held in common by John Swithin, Thomas Swithin and the heirs of John Jones, said partition being confirmed by decree of the Probate Court for said County of Norfolk, July 25, 1894. Said lot numbered 71 is bounded northerly on lot numbered 70, as shown on said plan, 153.25 feet; easterly on Forest avenue, 36 feet; southerly on a private way, 183.2 feet, and westerly on lot numbered 69, fifty (50) feet; containing 7,741 square feet, more or less. Said lots 72, 73 and 87, are bounded northerly on a private way, 100 feet; easterly on Forest avenue, 174.75 feet; southerly on lot numbered 88, one hundred twenty-three and 5-10ths (123.5) feet; on lot 86, thirty-five (35) feet; on lot numbered 85, fourteen and 5-10ths (14.5) feet, and westerly on lot numbered 86, fifty-two and 5-10ths (52.5) feet, and on lot 74, one hundred (100) feet; containing 18,413 square feet.

GEORGE H. FIELD, Deputy Sheriff.
Feb. 1-3t 1-8-15

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C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
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BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
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WOLLASTON PARK—Loring's Pharmacy.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marteu.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark?
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter 6 11:23 a. m. | Full Moon 14 8:56 a. m.
Third Quarter 22 11:44 a. m.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Prussian military of commerce is working on a bill providing for the control of trusts and "pools."

The Rhine spinners have raised the price of yarn 5 pfennigs a pound within a fortnight.

John Lamb, who was sent from Westbrook, Me., to the reform school at Stroudwater, has escaped and has not yet been captured.

The factory of the American Rubber company at Cambridge, Mass., has closed temporarily, throwing out of employment about 1000 operatives.

Showalter announces that he will accept Janowski's proposition to play the long-talked-about chess match under the auspices of an English club.

The census examinations in Washington will be closed tomorrow and the examining board will then go to Chicago, Boston and New York, and remain about a week at each place.

Rev. Thomas Chalmers, late of Port Huron, Mich., was installed as pastor of the First Congregational society at Manchester, N. H.

Resolutions demanding an open door with Puerto Rico were adopted unanimously by the New England Shoe and Leather association.

A company has been formed at Cologne, Germany, for the sale of English and American agricultural machinery and implements.

Taking Time by the Forelock.

Washington, Feb. 15.—In a report to the state department Ambassador White shows that the Germans are exploiting with the greatest energy the Kyao-Chau district, which they recently secured from China. A German company is vigorously prosecuting the construction of a railway which will connect the important coal districts, with a total length of about 280 miles.

Greater New York's Population.

New York, Feb. 15.—In a report of the board of health published in the City Record, the population of the city on July 1, next, it is estimated, will be 3,654,594, divided as follows: Manhattan, 2,007,241; the Bronx, 174,370; Brooklyn, 1,267,158; Queens, 136,559; Richmond, 69,266. On this estimate, the death rate is based at 18.69 per 1000.

Spinners Will Enforce Overtime Rule.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 15.—A general meeting of the Spinners' union was held last evening and it decided that the rule of the union regarding overtime work be enforced, and that all members of the union who violate the rule by working nights or Saturday afternoons shall be dropped from benefit and membership in the association.

Strikers Need Chastisement.

Fort de France, Island of Martinique, Feb. 15.—The strike situation grows worse rather than better in spite of the concessions by the employers. Work is stopped and the strikers, urged on by the ringleaders, are becoming menacing and exacting. There are upwards of 2000 rioters in the Petit Bourg district.

Old Time Minstrel Gone.

Windsor, Vt., Feb. 15.—Azro White, familiarly known throughout New England as "Hank" White, the well-known minstrel, died on Wednesday of heart failure after an illness of only a few hours. He was about 68 years old. Probably no man in the negro minstrel business was ever more popular. He was known by old and young in every New England city and town.

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HE BREAKS SILENCE.

Macrum Declares That He Has Been Unjustly Treated.

Was Placed In the Position of British Consul.

Even Official Correspondence From Washington Was Read by the Censor.

Washington, Feb. 15. — Charles E. Macrum, formerly consul to Pretoria, quit his post because of insults and humiliations, according to a statement given out by him last night. He says:

"The situation in Pretoria was such that, as an official, I could not remain there while my government was apparently in the dark as to the exact conditions in South Africa. I could not remain in Pretoria, sacrificing my own self-respect and that of the people of Pretoria, while the government at home continued to leave me in the position of a British consul, and not an American consul. There was not one request made of me through the department of state looking to the care of British interests in Pretoria which I did not fulfill. On the other hand, American interests in South Africa were in that condition which demanded that the department of state should be cognizant of them.

"I issued the statement that Americans must remain neutral. In the face of this, Americans were continually going to the front and taking up arms in the cause of the Boers. Many of these were citizens of the United States. Many of them were taking the oath of allegiance to the Transvaal. When my vice consul, Mr. Van Ameringen, took the oath of allegiance to the republic and went to the front, I thought the time had come when I should make a report of these conditions.

It was over four weeks from the time the war opened before I received a single mail dispatch from my government or a personal letter. The mail for the Transvaal had been all stopped at Cape Town. When this mail was finally forwarded to me, I had the humiliation, as the representative of the United States government, of looking upon envelopes bearing the official seal of the American government opened and officially sealed with a sticker, notifying me that the contents had been read by the censor at Durban.

"The misrepresentations which had been going on before the war and after it opened were of such a serious nature and would require such detailed explanation that, on Nov. 6 I filed a cable to the department in code, stating that I wished leave of absence in order to visit the states. I set forth that my vice consul had enlisted in the Boer army, that Mr. Atterbury, an American, whom I had known favorably for more than a year, could take charge of the office until my return. I received from the department a reply advising me that my presence at Pretoria was important to public interests. I wired again on the 11th and again urged a favorable reply. No reply was received to this. On Nov. 14 I again wired the department, stating that I could not leave without permission, that I would forfeit my post if the reasons which I would make to the department did not prove satisfactory. This cable was delayed by the censor until Dec. 2.

"On Nov. 18 I again filed a cable. I received a reply immediately, which was a reiteration of the reply to my first cable. I immediately wrote to the department accepting the refusal to grant my leave, and stating that I would attempt to convey an intelligent idea for the department's guidance of the conditions there in mail dispatches.

Dec. 4 I received a reply form the state department to my cablegram of the 14th. It read as follows: "You may come home. Put Atterbury temporarily in charge. Department will send man from here."

A few days later I received a letter from Hillis, consul at Delagoa Bay, stating that he had been instructed to come to Pretoria to take charge of my office until a man should arrive from Washington. Mr. Hillis arrived on Dec. 14, and was thoroughly posted in the routine of the office. I left Pretoria Dec. 16. I arrived in Washington on Feb. 5, and reported to Assistant Secretary of State Hill, who officially informed me that Secretary Hay's son had been appointed in my place.

I appreciated the seriousness of the conditions in South Africa to the extent that on my way to Washington, believing that I was still the consul at Pretoria, I refused to make any statement that would in any way involve the department or embarrass it. My one object was to lay the information before the department as to the true state of affairs in South Africa. If the department thought these facts were of a value sufficient to warrant the expenses of the trip I had taken I expected to be remunerated and returned to Pretoria. Instead of this I find Secretary Hay saw fit not to wait until I could present my reasons in person, and has been a silent and conniving partner to discrediting reports of my official acts. I find an attempt has been made to tear down my personal reputation. When I accepted my post as consul I knew nothing of any secret alliance between America and Great Britain, and I had seen nothing in the regulations which made the consul of the American republic subject to the whims and caprice of an English military censor at Durban.

There is not one soul who can point to a single official act of mine which departed from the strictest neutrality. My confidential dispatches to the department contained information which will show my sympathy for the republic, but which will prove to be unbiased as to actual facts.

My acts now as a private man can in no way involve the public service, and I simply make this statement in my own defense, as against those which have come from the department, secretly and officially.

FINANCE BILL IN THE SENATE.

The Measure and Amendments Considered Under the Ten Minute Rule.

Washington, Feb. 15.—There was little routine business in the senate yesterday, and after it was finished the financial bill was presented by the chair, and it was agreed that the measure should be considered under the 10-minute rule after 2 o'clock.

Mr. Teller replied to Mr. Allison's speech of Tuesday. He said he was waiting for an explanation of the house bill, which was technically the measure under consideration, but had waited in vain. He took issue with Mr. Allison on the statement that the United States was now on a gold standard, and said: "We are on what is sometimes called a limping silver standard and sometimes a gold standard." He declared that no one outside of this country has considered it on a gold standard, but, said he: "It may be said that we have been forced to proceed as if we were on a gold standard." He said the gold advocates feared someone might be chosen president who would oppose the gold standard, and the reason for forming the present bill was to get it in the statutes, where it could not be disturbed without great difficulty.

Late in the afternoon a test vote, indicating approximately the majority on the passage of the bill, was taken. Mr. Chandler offered an amendment to authorize the president to appoint commissioners to any international bimetallic conference that might be called, and it was defeated by a vote of 45 to 25.

The Chandler proposition out of the way, the discussion proceeded on the amendment brought in by the finance committee, providing that the provisions of the bill are not intended to place any obstacles in the way of international bimetallism. The Democratic senators arraigned the Republicans for reporting the amendment, declaring that they were insincere, and that the proposition was intended to hoodwink the people and to catch votes.

No vote on the amendment was reached. The final vote on the amendments and the bill will be taken sometime today.

It was the intention of the Republican leaders of the house to call up the Puerto Rican tariff bill today, but there was such a demand for time to discuss various questions during the general debate upon the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill that Mr. Payne gave notice that the Puerto Rican bill would go over until Monday. The debate upon the legislative bill strayed far from the bill, touching the question of government deposits in national banks, reckless expenditures for pensions and finally drifting into the question of election methods in Missouri.

Spanish Tales Don't Agree.

Barcelona, Feb. 15.—Steamer Alicante, from Manila, yesterday landed 1100 Spaniards. The Spaniards say that the Americans are in control only of Manila and the immediate neighborhood, being unable to take the offensive in the interior of Luzon. On the other hand, another steamer just arrived from Manila reports that when she left there was no doubt that the Americans were gaining ground materially in the interior districts.

Ready to Tackle Fitzsimmons.

New York, Feb. 15.—Tom Sharkey has accepted Bob Fitzsimmons' challenge to the heavyweights. "Sharkey is so anxious to take on Fitzsimmons," said Manager O'Rourke, "that he hurried me over here from Philadelphia to clinch the match at once. The conditions named by Fitzsimmons, the winner to take all the money and a good bet on the side, just suits Sharkey, and we will make the match whenever Fitzsimmons is ready."

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Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The temperature has fallen decidedly in the west. Fair weather has generally prevailed. The storm which occupied the St. Lawrence valley Tuesday night has moved eastward over Newfoundland. In the New England states increasing cloudiness is indicated, with probably rain in southern and rain or snow in northern districts. Along the New England coast variable winds will shift to easterly and become fresh.

After Marriage

They are going to be together just as much as before; going to ride the wheel, take little pleasure jaunts, etc., enjoying everything together. Isn't that what many a young couple promise each other? And yet, how very soon the wife begins to say "No, I don't think I care to go. You go alone, dear." Young women don't reckon on the great physical changes which follow marriage. How can they when they are allowed to grow up in entire ignorance of vital physiological facts? They feel languid, weak and nervous. Sometimes there is headache and backache. The pulse no more leaps in answer to the thought of a spin on the wheel. Women who have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, know how promptly the languor, headache, backache, nervousness and weakness are cured by this medicine. Many husbands write in gratitude to Dr. Pierce for the medicine which gives them back the wife's companionship, as it gives her back her health.



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CURTAIN RAISERS.

"Lord Byron," a romantic drama based upon the life of the poet, will shortly be presented for the first time.

Once again the rumor of a matrimonial alliance between Charles Frohman and Maude Adams has cropped out.

Mrs. Strakosch, once famous in the musical world as Clara Louise Kellogg, is now making her permanent home in New Hartford, Conn.

Among the other rumors about Maude Adams' intentions for her season in New York is one that she will play Peg Woffington and Rosalind.

Leo Deitrichstein, the author of "The Song of the Sword," was the original Zou Zou in "Trilby," in which Virginia Harned played the title role.

Henrietta Crosman will begin her career as a star next spring, using Bronson Howard's comedy, "One of Our Girls," which is being rewritten for her.

Ibsen's next play will be published simultaneously in Norwegian, English, German and French. For the most colossal bore of the nineteenth century, as he has lately been called, he holds his own very well.

Robert Taber's lease of the historic Adelphi theater in London will be only for the spring and early summer. It is expected that the old house will pass under the management of Lewis Waller, a virile and popular actor of romantic drama, next fall.

The young English Marquis of Anglesey is appearing in a lightning change act in a Munich music hall. He does it for fun and because he has a knack of making up quickly. Of course his ancestral castles are duly shocked, but perhaps when he comes to repair them with stage money they will relent and even rejoice.

TAKING THE REINS.

Dave McClary will train and drive all of the horses controlled by Ed Mills.

Princess Clara, who obtained a yearling record of 2:26½, will be raced this year. Last fall she trotted a half in 1:05¼.

Colonel Kuser, 2:11¼, was purchased three years ago for $3,800, and since then he has won about $40,000 on the European turf.

The pacer Marl, 2:12½, by Robert McGregor, was timed separately in 2:06½ in his race against Prince Alert on the half mile track at Bethlehem, Pa., last fall.

T. D. Blanchard of Palmer, Mass., has been beating a lot of horses on the New York speedway with Evelina, 2:20. He had her hitched to a three wheel pneumatic road wagon.

The owner of Lord Vincent, 2:08¾, expects that stallion to take a record of 2:04 this season. He bases this belief on the statement that he saw the horse trot a half mile in a minute last summer.

Jean de Reszke, the famous opera singer, is the leading turfman and sportsman in Russian Poland. Horses bred or owned by him have won the principal stakes in Hungary, Austria and Russia.

The former Philadelphia pacer Oscar L. 2:14¼, campaigned by J. B. McKenney, is by Alcantara, 2:23, dam Cambridge Girl, by Ben Franklin. He is looked upon as a 1900 top notcher, as he has repeatedly beaten 2:10 and paced an eighth last fall in 13½ seconds, a 1:58 shot.

THE JEWEL CASKET.

Every variety of chatelaine arrangement is in high popularity just now.

Silver monogram finger purses in seal, walrus, alligator, elephant and other serviceable leathers are decidedly convenient and useful.

Watches are mounted in bracelets, cardcases, purse tops, etc. The smallest yet noted is a bicycle watch in the form of a stud to be worn in the buttonhole. In ring watches the dial is usually set around with brilliants.

The fancy for setting diamonds or other brilliant stones in the jaws of a griffin or lion is a striking one, of which an excellent variation is to attach the gem as a pendant from the mouth, thereby affording a freer display of its beauty.

Bracelts afford two rather taking fads. One is the silver bracelet engraved with a favorite quotation from Shakespeare. The other consists in buying a plain gold band, so that favored friends and acquaintances may have the initials of their names engraved upon it.—Jewelers' Circular.

CONGRESSIONAL CUTS.

People who expect the senate as at present constituted to allow the amendment of the constitution so as to permit of the election of senators by direct vote of the people are entirely too trustful for this vale of tears. Heaven is their home. —Omaha World-Herald.

Judging from the great number of amendments proposed to the constitution of the United States the members of congress must have gone to Washington last December with their pockets stuffed with such propositions. Nearly 40 such amendments have been offered and been referred to committees of the senate and house of representatives.—Philadelphia Press.

BANK DRAFTS.

Bank cashiers have a twofold reason to be watchful of drafts.—St. Joseph Herald.

When a bank gets in trouble, everybody knew all about it six months ago.—Wisconsin State Journal.

A Boston bank never becomes so vulgar as to bust. It simply precipitates itself into a parenthesis.—Washington Post.

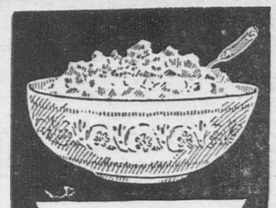
When a banker goes to a church he has not been in the habit of attending, there is great excitement among the old guard, who think perhaps they have captured him and begin to figure on how much he will give.—Philadelphia Record.

POLITICAL QUIPS.

The indications are that the movement looking to the selection of a strong running mate for McKinley is rapidly taking Root.—Boston Herald.

It isn't strange that Governor Hogg's Texas hunting party should have bagged a live panther. The governor captured a tiger single handed in New York.—St. Louis Republic.

There are some men who feel that the highest round of greatness has not been achieved until they have been tucked away in a public office with a colored gentleman stationed at the door to keep out the fellows who whooped it up for them.—Washington Post.



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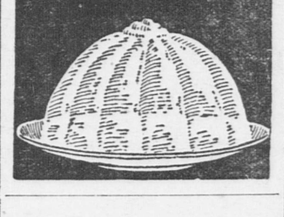
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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

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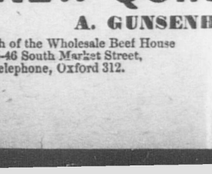
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Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 9.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

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Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M. every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.46, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesdays and Saturdays.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. and 1 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.50, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 20 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. The first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11 P. M.

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Transfer tickets from South Braintree for Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other lines at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

FROM BOSTON.			FROM BOSTON.		
To	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
abc		6 32	*5 53	ihgfedcba	6 22
abc		7 02	6 28	cba	6 49
abc		7 32	7 28	cba	7 49
ad		7 45	8 28	cba	8 49
abc		8 02	9 28	cba	9 49
ad		8 15	10 28	cba	10 49
abc		8 32	11 28	cba	11 49
ad		8 45	12 28	cba	12 49
abc		9 02	1 28	cba	1 49
abc		9 32	2 28	cba	2 49
abc		10 32	3 28	cba	3 49
abc		11 32	4 28	cba	4 49
abc		12 32	4 58	cba	5 19
abcd		1 32	5 15	da	5 36
abc		2 32	5 28	cba	5 49
abc		3 32	5 45	da	6 06
abc		4 32	5 58	cba	6 19
abc		5 32	6 15	da	6 36
abc		6 32	6 28	cba	6 49
abcd		7 32	6 58	cba	7 19
abcdefghi		8 07	7 28	cba	7 49
abcdef		8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53
abc		9 32	9 28	cba	9 49
abcdefghi		10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53
abcdef		10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27
abc		11 32	11 28	cba	11 49

SUNDAYS.

abc		8 02	6 28	cba	6 49
abc		9 02	8 58	cba	9 19
abc		9 32	12 43	cba	1 04
a		9 51	4 28	cba	4 49
abc		1 47	5 28	cba	5 49
abc		5 32	6 58	cba	7 19
abc		7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53
abcdef		8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53
abcdef		10 32			

The letters in the same line as the figure show different stations and indicate the stop, as follows:

a, Boston, f, Harrison Square.
b, Park Downs. g, Savin Hill.
c, Fields. h, Crescent Avenue.
d, Upham's. i, South Boston.
e, Hill, r, Quincy Adams.

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PICKLES vs. DRUGS.

Pickles are all right in their place but a man may understand selling pickles thoroughly and still make a very poor showing in his knowledge of drugs and medicines. I do not find time to extend my business outside of the limits of the legitimate drug business. I would make a very poor artist in the sale of pickles, but with my 20 years experience as a druggist, 11 of which I have spent in Quincy, I point with pardonable pride to the fact that I have today the largest, best appointed and most complete drug store in this city. It has been my constant endeavor to please every customer entering my store, and my success in my chosen profession can not but convince me that my efforts are appreciated by the people of Quincy.

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LEGS OF MUTTON,	*10* cts. lb.
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MUTTON and LAMB CHOPS,	*12 1-2* to *20* cts. lb.
HAMBURG STEAK,	*10* cts. lb., 3 lbs. for *25* cts.
PIGS FEET,	*10* cts. lb., 3 lbs. for *25* cts.
HONEY COMB TRIPE,	*10* cts. lb., 3 lbs. for *25* cts.
PLAIN TRIPE,	*5* cts. lb.
FRANKFORTS,	*10* cts. lb.
FRESH SHOULDERS of PORK,	*8* cts. lb
SMOKED SHOULDERS,	*8* cts. lb.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

SENATE FINANCE BILL.

The Measure Passed, 46 to 29, After Adopting Two Amendments.

Door Remains Open to International Bimetallism.

Hoar and Platt Argued For Amendment, While Morgan Denounced It.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The finance bill was laid before the senate yesterday, the question for discussion being the amendment offered by the finance committee to the effect that the measure is not meant to be an obstacle to international bimetallism if the leading commercial nations of the world concur. Mr. Hoar reviewed the question and declared there was no pretence or hypocrisy in this amendment. Mr. Morgan, however, denounced it as a "miserable makeshift," and declared the bill would return us to the British system of finance. He demanded the free coinage of silver that the national debt might be paid. Mr. Platt of Connecticut said he wanted to protest against the assumption of the Democratic side that it represented the American people, as the question had been decided against them in 1896.

The bill was finally passed by the decisive majority of 46 to 29. Only two of the amendments were adopted, viz., one offered by the finance committee keeping the door open to international bimetallism and one by Mr. Nelson of Minnesota providing for national banks with $25,000 capital in towns of not more than 4000 inhabitants.

The votes taken on the various amendments offered were practically along party lines. Mr. Chandler (Rep., N. H.) voted for the bimetallic amendment, but against the bill. Mr. Caffery (Dem., La.) and Mr. Lindsay (Dem., Ky.) voted against the committee amendment, but for the bill. Mr. Kyle (S. D.) was the only senator who did not vote and was not paired. The free silver substitute offered by Mr. Jones, the leader of the Democratic side, was defeated by a majority of 19, the vote being 47 to 28.

The bill as passed consists of 10 sections.

It provides that the dollar of 25.8 grains of gold .9 fine shall be the standard unit of value, and that all forms of United States money shall be maintained at a parity with it, and that treasury notes and greenbacks shall be redeemable in gold.

The secretary of the treasury is to set apart a fund of $150,000,000 in gold for the redemption of those notes and to maintain this fund at a figure not below $100,000,000; he is empowered to sell bonds of the United States bearing interest at not exceeding 3 percent.

It shall also be the duty of the secretary of the treasury, as fast as standard silver dollars are coined, to require an equal amount of treasury notes and to issue silver certificates against the silver so coined. Under certain provisions, too, gold certificates shall be issued against the gold held in the treasury. No United States notes or treasury notes shall be issued in denominations of less than $10 and no silver certificates in denominations of more than $10. The secretary of the treasury is also authorized to refund the bonded debt of the United States in 30-year bonds bearing 2 percent interest, the principal and interest of these bonds to be paid in gold. The 2 percent bond shall be issued at not less than par. Any national bank, by depositing in the United States treasury bonds of this country, shall be permitted to issue circulating notes to the face value of the bonds deposited, no bank being allowed to issue circulating notes in excess of the amount of the paid in capital stock of the bank.

After the passage of the financial bill the senate made the Hawaiian government bill the unfinished business.

The house yesterday completed 26 of the 124 pages of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bills without amendment. During the general debate a variety of topics were touched upon. Mr. Boutell discussed the Philippine question; Mr. Grosvenor and Mr. Gillette civil service reform; Mr. Briggs pensions, and Mr. Underwood his resolution to repeal the 15th amendment to the constitution.

Short Period of Freedom.

Dover, N. H., Feb. 16.—Harry W. Burley, who made his escape from the county officials yesterday, was recaptured a few hours later in Durham at the house of a young woman with whom he was keeping company, and who recently became a mother. Burley was charged with breaking and entering, and escaped from Deputy Sheriffs Cushman and Seavey while he was being taken back to jail after the session of the supreme court by slipping the handcuffs.

New Brunswick Will Chip In.

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 16.—The second session of the provincial parliament was opened yesterday by Lieutenant Governor McClellan. The speech from the throne expressed the loyalty and patriotism of a united people and legislation was promised in aid of a grant for the Canadian patriotic fund for the Transvaal war.

Carpets Cleaned—Taken up and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

M'GRAW GIVES IT UP.

Sees No Prospect of Successful Launching of New Baseball Association.

Baltimore, Feb. 16.—The new baseball association received a setback yesterday that will probably delay its organization for a year, if it does not entirely blast its hopes. When the meeting of the association at Chicago adjourned it was agreed between McGraw and Anson that, if Philadelphia did not post its money within a week, the two leaders would drop out. McGraw was assigned to see Mr. Gilmore, proprietor of the Auditorium theater, who was said to be willing to put up the cash. When McGraw called on Gilmore yesterday he was informed that the city of Philadelphia owned the only available ball grounds in the city, and that they were to be improved. Gilmore added that, in the absence of an option on suitable grounds, he preferred not to deposit the money. Possibly in two weeks he would see his way clear and would then make good his contribution to the Philadelphia club.



JOHN J. M'GRAW.

On his arrival in Baltimore last evening McGraw found a telegram from Gilmore awaiting him, asking that the association wait three weeks. McGraw thereupon threw up his hands and telegraphed Anson that he would withdraw from the association. He said that it was useless to try to do business with a six-club circuit, and that the loss of Philadelphia meant the failure of the association. He will probably sign a league contract in a few days.

Bay State Legislature

Boston, Feb. 16.—In the house yesterday, Mr. Tatman moved the adoption of his order for an investigation of the Boston and Albany railroad. He said the members of the house required all the information obtainable. He offered the order to supply some things lacking in the bill adopted; his questions called the attention of the attorney general to the whole lease and are not limited to any one portion or section. Slight amendments were then adopted, and the order was adopted as amended.

These committee reports were received: Leave to withdraw, on petitions to authorize women to vote at municipal elections and for presidential electors; leave to withdraw, on petition to enable certain women tax-payers to vote; leave to withdraw, on petition for legislation prescribing the manner of electing caucus officers in Boston.

Victims of French Swindlers.

Indianapolis, Feb. 16.—Both ex-President Harrison and his wife were systematically robbed and otherwise swindled during their visit to Paris last summer. The ex-president thinks that a Frenchman who acted as his valet was implicated. Aside from sums of money that Mr. Harrison missed the boldest operation consisted in a series of forgeries perpetrated on Mrs. Harrison. During the summer she looked for some drafts due on investments of her own. They never came. Recently the drafts came to her with her name fairly well endorsed on them.

Castellane Will Demand an Apology.

New York, Feb. 16.—Count and Countess Castellane sailed yesterday on the steamship La Gascogne for France. "Our trip over here," said the count, "has been most pleasant. I shall attend to the papers which have slandered me when I arrive in Paris. I shall challenge De Rodays to fight. If he doesn't I will break his bones. If he apologizes for the miserable way in which he slandered me I will be satisfied, but he must apologize."

Jefferies-Corbett Preliminaries Arranged.

New York, Feb. 16.—The date of the fight between Jeffries and Corbett has been fixed as May 14. Considine and Brady, managers of the men, yesterday accepted the offer of the Coney Island club for the fight. The Seaside club is to post a $5000 forfeit and the fighters $2000 each.

Eighty Thousand Cases of Grippe.

Berlin, Feb. 16.—The grippe is still gaining ground. The physicians assert that at present there are more than 80,000 persons in Berlin suffering from the malady, although relatively few cases prove fatal or very serious.

For Burial In Native Land.

Santiago, Feb. 16.—The United States transport McPherson left yesterday for the United States, carrying the bodies of 200 American soldiers. At Baracoa and Mayari, on the north coast of the island, the McPherson will take on additional bodies.

Quadruple Killing on a Crossing.

Montreal, Feb. 16.—Wrapped in furs and driving rapidly, four persons dashed into the Canadian Pacific's Quebec express at a crossing near Three Rivers last evening and were crushed to death. All were well-to-do residents of Mount Carmel.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

ADVANCE OF ROBERTS

Has Been Accomplished Without Meeting the Boers In Force.

Wires Are Closed to Correspondents With Roberts.

Operations In Other Parts of South Africa Are Apparently Suspended.

London, Feb. 16.—Lord Roberts' advance is well on foot, and is apparently being conducted in a most workmanlike fashion and without the delays and hesitancy which have characterized some of the military operations in South Africa. To this no doubt the open nature of the country in which he is operating contributes.

Lord Roberts' advance has not yet struck the Boers in force, and their mobility and faculty of swift change of front to meet flanking operations have been so demonstrated on previous occasions that it is not easy to believe Lord Roberts' object will be attained without a victory over Cronje's force in an engagement of considerable proportions. Lord Roberts appears to have already gained considerable strategical advantages, since he has penetrated the Boer lines extending from Spyfontein through Magersfontein to Jacobsdal and planted himself square across Cronje's communications toward Bloemfontein.

As the wires are closed to correspondents with Lord Roberts, and as nothing further from him has been communicated to the public, the military adepts are figuring out the possibilities of Lord Roberts' communications, and what there is left for the Boers to do.

General Cronje's communications with Bloemfontein have already been cut. The best news England could hear would be that he elects to give battle among the low hills and ridges west of Kimberley. Should he determine not to do this, he must raise the siege of Kimberley and retreat to a point where he would prefer to fight.

This retreat could be a long detour around the head of the British advance to Bloemfontein; or, as seems to military students more practicable, he could withdraw to the north, using the railroad for his guns and heavy baggage, moving to Fourteen Streams station and thence to Transvaal territory.

The Boers have made no preparations to defend Bloemfontein, and there is no particular reason why General Cronje should risk a battle to protect the capital of the Free State.

Operations elsewhere are apparently suspended. A correspondent, writing from Chieveley, Feb. 13, says: "We are still hopeful of relieving Ladysmith."

Colonel Baden-Powell, in a dispatch from Mafeking, dated Jan. 29, after mentioning matters already sent out by correspondents, gives his total casualties up to Jan. 25 as follows: Killed, 5 officers and 60 men; wounded, 8 officers and 123 men; missing, 34 men.

No word has been received regarding General Gatacre's 12,000 men at Stormberg. The impression is that these forces are on the way to Lord Roberts.

Mr. Chamberlain's announcement in the house of commons of the intention of the government to encourage the Zulus to defend themselves from the Boers is a contingency the Boers seem to have anticipated, as they have been doing everything in their power to win the good will of the Basutos, who have thousands of good rifles.

The Boers gave 2000 Basutos a safe conduct. If the British let loose one tribe the Boers will probably let loose another.

The war office has issued orders for the formation of 21 new batteries and three battalions of infantry.

The cabinet council was in session yesterday for two hours. It will meet again today. This is quite unusual.

The house of commons last evening adopted the government's military scheme, by a vote of 239 against 34, the minority consisting chiefly of Irish members.

Spencer Wilkinson, in The Morning Post today, advocates the advisability of forming Tenth, Eleventh and Twelfth divisions, and sending them to the Cape to be ready for emergency, as well as the formation and training at home of as many additional battalions as possible.

The correspondent of The Times at Lorenzo Marquez, telegraphing Wednesday, says: The republics are now obtaining substantial supplies of sugar, coffee and flour through a Delagoa Bay firm, and further heavy consignments are expected within a fortnight. It is believed also that munitions are still passing.

The Daily Mail has the following dispatch from Lorenzo Marquez, dated Wednesday: A prominent Pretoria citizen, just from Ladysmith, informs me that the Boers are rapidly damming Klip river. Two thousand Kaffirs are employed in the work, and they have deposited 10,000 sand bags already. They are only able to work at night time, as they would be under British fire. This citizen, however, believes that the operation will be futile.

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To Cure Indigestion in One Week
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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	48	9	48	26
Monday,	48	39	5	51	27
Tuesday,	60	33	12	41	29
Wednesday,	38	37	30	48	40
Thursday,	45	45	30	43	44
Friday,	36	43	40	27	41
Saturday,	—	41	50	28	42

New Advertisements Today.

Star Tea and Coffee Store—Swansdown Flour.
Public Baths.
New Employment Office.
Telegraphy Taught.
Hearing—State House.

Good Afternoon.

A hearing on the proposed change in the Quincy board of Assessors has been set for Monday next, Feb. 19, but no public announcement has been made as far as we can learn. There was talk of introducing an order into the City Council requesting the Mayor and Legislative Committee to oppose, but no opportunity will now be offered. The advantages of the change are questionable and should be fully considered. Unquestionably it would increase the salary list of the city. As assistant assessors would be necessary, there would be as many if not more political officers.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ The Brockton Enterprise suggests that Tugela river be renamed Buller's run. An excellent suggestion, but it may be best to wait a little and Buller's finish may be more appropriate.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞ Americans in Paris are said to be very much chagrined because of the condition of affairs last week in Kentucky. That is, indeed, too bad. The average American, who makes his or her home in Paris, is usually such an important and essential member of the human family that whatever he or she says or thinks concerning afflicted it may be, their fellow countrymen at home cannot but be of great weight.—Charlestown Enterprise.

☞ Why city employes who have had a soft snap all their life, should be pensioned when they think they are too old to work any more is a conundrum the man who has to hustle for his living, from morning till night, finds hard to solve. These kind-hearted gentlemen who want janitors teachers, etc., pensioned, should bear this fact in mind. It is the man who works who pays the pension. Don't pile too heavy a burden on his bent back, gentlemen. He is having a hard enough time now.—Malden Mail.

☞ It is a happy fact that Yankees are so quick to invent and so skilful to use machinery of all kinds. Within the next few years there will be tremendous opportunities for civil, mechanical and electrical engineers in Asia. When the Chinese cast the first railway from Shanghai to Woosurg into the river they were only preparing themselves for a network of railways over the whole of China. When the Coreans in Seoul destroyed the new electric line and burned the cars, they exhausted the forces of conservatism, and before long concluded that the electric railway was the best scheme for saving extra exertion in walking that had ever been devised. Large portions of South America and South Africa may be undeveloped and possessed of great material resources, but nowhere else does such a combination of human and natural conditions tempt industrial activity as in China. Nowhere else are so many hard-working and temperate men and women, waiting only to be taught, such wealth of coal and other minerals, such fertile soil, such splendid rivers and harbors. Were the field small, it would not be so tempting. But China is in area larger than the United States, and has a population four or five times as large. For the past quarter of a century prospectors have been studying the provinces of the interior, and yet our knowledge still seems to be most limited.—Ainslee's Magazine.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT

Many Changes Made at the Quincy Adams Station.

The repairs under way at the Quincy Adams station of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., are about completed, and the depot will be thrown open to the public again in a few days. Patrons of the road from this station will be much pleased with the changes that have been made. New floors have been put in and the walls and ceiling have been sheathed and finished in natural wood. A new and larger ticket office has been built in the centre of the two waiting rooms, which are now separated by a door. Perhaps the improvement which will be most appreciated by the patrons of the road are the toilet rooms that have been built. Heretofore the toilet rooms, if such they could be called, were located outside of the main building. Now part of the baggage room on the west side of the building is used, and the ladies and gentlemen's toilet rooms are now located in the main depot. They are furnished with modern sanitary appliances and are reached by doors leading from the main waiting rooms.

The building being of stone it was impossible to change the outsde form but a new platform has been built about it.

The prospects are good for much better stations in Quincy than of late, and it is expected work will soon begin on new ones for Quincy and Atlantic.

PHILIPPINE LETTER.

William A. McCabe, a Co. K. Boy Writes Home.

Mrs. McCabe of 16 Penn street has received the following letter from her son, William A. McCabe, now a soldier in the Philippine Islands:

Manila, P. I., Jan. 7th, 1900.

My dear Mother:—I am here at last and 12,000 mi'es from you and my Quincy home. We disembarked from the transport yesterday morning, (Jan. 6), and are now quartered in the old Spanish barracks. We do not expect to stop here long, as our orders are to march southward to the firing line.

This is one of the prettiest places I ever struck. There are palms, and every kind of oriental trees and bushes here. Most everything you see though, in the stores and streets are nearly the same as in our own country. They have one railroad, 20 miles long, and a horse car track about three miles.

They sell ice-cream, soda, candy and all sorts of America luxuries in this city. The natives are friendly and give the boys cigarettes, fruit and other things.

The houses are queer here. They are made of bamboo and rushes, and our barracks are like that also. There are some buildings of stone though, and there are 500,000 people here, so you can imagine what a place it is.

I went on guard duty Jan. 8, and it was a great deal different doing guard duty in an enemy's country from what it was in Camp Meade. Most of the restaurants are run by Chinese and have earthen floors. The money here is nearly all Spanish or Mexican and if you change $5 in gold you get a pocket full of Spanish silver. Greenbacks are scarce. We got paid in gold. I do not know how long it will take us to learn Spanish, as that is the language of the natives.

We had a forced march today for practice and went about 8 miles in heavy marching order. About a dozen in our company dropped out. They could not stand the heat and dust. Our guns weigh 11 pounds; our belts full of cartridges, 10 pounds; our haversacks, 5 pounds; our canteen, 2 pounds; and our blanket roll about 35 pounds. So you can see what a lug we had for eight miles, with but one rest. We made it in three hours and fifteen minutes.

I am writing this in the Y. M. C. A. rooms and I have to be in by 8 o'clock P. M. It is now 7.30. I have a cab outside waiting. It is now 6.30 in the morning where you are. I must close now mother dear, but will write soon again.

From your loving son,
William A. McCabe.

Park Improvement.

A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held Thursday evening. It was voted, that inasmuch as Town brook, where it flows through the Ward Three playground, having become a nuisance by the stream overflowing its banks, that the Board of Health be requested to abate the nuisance.

Voted also to plant a large number of trees in the Ward Three playground, principally on the boundary lines; to plant a row of spruce trees on the westerly end of the Ward Six play ground, and also to replace all trees in that park which have died; to adopt the following regulation concerning teaming through Merry Mount Park,—"No heavy teams for carriage of merchandise allowed in this park."

The board also informally discussed the proposed new bath house for the Ward Two play ground.

LATEST!

THE AFTERNOON FIRE

A Lively Blaze at House of Charles W. Taylor.

The alarm from Box 552 just before 2 o'clock this afternoon was for a fire at the residence of Charles W. Taylor on Highland avenue at Wollaston.

The hot water boiler is located in closet off the kitchen and it caught in the closet, working into all the walls and ceilings.

It was a stubborn fire, and took over half an hour to subdue.

THE COUNTY JAIL.

Cost per Capita Increased Because of Fewer Prisoners.

Public document, No. 13, of the State for 1899, contains the following report concerning the jail and house of correction at Dedham:

Master and keeper, Samuel H. Capen, Sheriff; salary, $1,000.00. with use of house.
Number of prisoners Oct. 1, 1898, 76.
Committed by courts during year,—to jail, 138, house of correction, 381.
Returned from escape to house of correction 1.
Total within the year, 596.
Discharged from jail, 132; from house of correction, 382.
Removed to other prisons, from jail, 1; from house of correction, 2.
Writ of habeas corpus, from house of correction, 2.
Pardoned, from house of correction, 1.
Escaped, from house of correction, 1.
Number in custody Sept. 30, 1899, 75.
The expenditures for salaries, were, $7,342.56.
For other expenses, $6,624.43.
Total expenditures, $13,966.99.
The receipts, from labor of prisoners, were, $4,172.67.
From other sources, $69.80.
Balance, $9,724.52.
Average number of prisoners, 65.
Net cost per capita, $149.61.
Number of volumes in library, 500.

While there have been no additions or unusual changes made upon the prison buildings, there has been a very general improvement in minor repairs. A wire netting has been put up at the end of the wing in which the female prisoners are held, partitioning it off from other parts of the prison, and a matron has been appointed to take charge of this department.

The total number of prisoners committed by the courts under sentence during the year was 413; of this number, 10 were women. The average number for the year was 65, which is 15 less than for the preceding year. The number in custody on Sept. 30, 1899 was 75.

The net cost of maintenance per capita was $149.61; this amount is considerably in excess of last year, occasioned by the reduced number of prisoners, the increased amount of expenditure for repairs and the reduction in the amount received from the labor of prisoners.

Included in the number of persons committed are those who are held to await trial.

The number sentenced during the year, for less than 6 months, was, 63 males and 4 females.

For 6 months and less than 12 months, 27 males and 2 females.

For 1 year and less than 2 years, 6 males.

For 2 years and less than 3 years, 5 males.

For 3 years and less than 5 years, 2 males.

Of a total of 413 sentences, 300 males and 4 females escaped with fine and costs.

Started Fire with Naptha.

Thomas Miller, one of the young men employed at the street railway car house, was severely burned about the face and arms Thursday afternoon by exploding naptha. Miller had occasion to start a fire quickly and being unable to find any kerosene, he threw naptha into the furnace, and then applied a lighted match. An explosion followed the flame going into Miller's eyes, and bare arms. So badly was he burned about the eyes that it was feared he would lose his eyesight. He was attended by Dr. Jones, and later removed to his home in East Weymouth. It was learned from Dr. Jones this noon, that Miller was doing as well as could be expected, and that he would not lose his eyesight, although he had a close call.

☞ Furniture reupholstered and repaired, hair mattresses made over, hair renovated and ticking washed. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

☞ The temperance women may as well give up trying to get a new interpretation of the canteen law. Their best work must be turned to securing a law of whose meaning their will be no question. They were justified in thinking there was no question about the meaning of the present one, but when the attorney general says they were mistaken, they had better accept the situation.—New Bedford Standard.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Colder weather is predicted.

L. Grossman advertises his public bath house.

A salad supper is the next social event at the Quincy Point church.

Charlotte M. Johnson has opened an employment office at 121 Granite street.

All the stone sheds at the north end at Barre were shut down Wednesday because of the water and ice.

A coat of gravel dressing has been given the sidewalk on the west side of Hancock street near Butler road.

Mrs. C. W. Moore returned Thursday after nine weeks' visit to friends in different parts of western Massachusetts.

The Ladies' Alliance connected with the Wollaston Unitarian church will hold a sale and entertianment next week.

The rapid increase of trade at the Star tea and coffee store is an indication of satisfactory goods at reasonable prices.

Miss Lillian Myhan of Hancock street is again able to join her little friends after being confined to the house for several weeks.

Mayor Hall has requested the department officials to forward their estimate of expenses for the current year, on or before March 1.

Extra music and a sermon on "The hero of darkest Africa" are promised at the evening services at Bethany church on Sunday.

The near approach of the annual town meetings in the towns in the East Norfolk district gives the criminal court a little rest.

J. P. Sears and Charles Nightingale were the fortunate gentlemen to secure prizes Welnesday night at whist at the Granite City club.

The City Council Committee on Streets will give a public hearing in the Council Chamber tonight, on the order to request the Highway Commission to release any rights they may have on Washington street, at Quincy Point.

The inmates of the Sailors Snug Harbor at Germantown continue to have regular religious services every Sunday morning. They are now conducted at 9.30 A. M. by the Rev. Edward Norton who supplies the Quincy Point church.

The annual amateur photograph exhibition, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Camera club, will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, March 5 to 10 inclusive. The exhibition is open to all amateur photographers of Quincy.

The Stone Cutters' Journal for February says editorially, "Settlements have been made in two branches in New England for the 1900 bill, and as section 198 is complied with in both instances the good work thus begun will be kept up until all others fall into line.

W. S. M. Rideout, who was reported the first of the week, as missing from the Charlestown Navy yard, where he was employed, is a son of W. H. H. Rideout, a former well known resident of Quincy. At last accounts no trace of his whereabouts had been found. Suicide is believed by many to be the cause of his absence.

The two Y. M. C. A. basket ball teams went to Winchester Thursday night and met with a crushing defeat at the hand of the Winchester teams. The first game was between Quincy first and Winchester first and resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 35 to 7. The second game was between the second teams of both places, and was also a victory for the Winchesters by a score of 22 to 3.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 15, 1900.

THE Committee on Gypsy Moths will give a hearing to parties interested in the extermination of the Gypsy moths, at room No. 431, State House, on MONDAY, Feb. 19th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLIAN, Chairman.
TEMPLE A. WINSLOE,
Feb. 16-2t-p-1w Clerk of the Committee.

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STATE DEPARTMENT RECORDS

Do Not Show That Macrum Reported Tampering With Official Correspondence.

Washington, Feb. 16.—While state department officials are averse to discussing the published statement of ex-Consul Macrum, it is authoritatively stated that a search of the records failed to show that Mr. Macrum had ever reported to the department that his official mail was being tampered with by the British authorities. It was said that he did, in a general way, report that both official and private mail, intended for American citizens, did not reach him punctually, and asked that protest be made on account of this rather arbitrary proceeding on the part of the postal authorities. The department investigated the matter and learned that no unnecessary delay existed, and does not credit the statement that any correspondence, official or otherwise, was opened, inspected and delayed by British authorities.

Mr. Macrum stated that his vice consul, Mr. Van Ameringen, closed up his business, took the oath of allegiance to the republic and went to the front as a burgher. The records show that when Mr. Ameringen applied for appointment as vice consul at Pretoria he stated that he was born in Holland; that his legal residence was at Pretoria, and that he was a naturalized citizen of the South African republic. This application was dated Pretoria, Nov. 12, 1888.

Molineux and the Barnet Case.

New York, Feb. 16.—The Herald today says: If Roland B. Molineux had escaped conviction for the murder of Mrs. Katherine Adams he would have been charged with the responsibility for the death of Henry C. Barnet. The evidence for a prosecution on that accusation had been prepared. Edmund H. Barnet yesterday stated that, in his opinion, H. C. Barnet was poisoned, and that his brother was fully aware of the fact before his death. He also described a woman who attended the funeral, and whom he believed also knew that his brother had been poisoned.

"African Napoleon's" Waterloo.

Paris, Feb. 16.—A telegram from the governor of the French Congo announces the defeat in battle of Rabah, the principal chieftan of the Central Soudan, by a French expedition. Rabah was formerly a slave of Zobehr Pasha, but revolted and formed a kingdom of his own in Central Africa, subjugating potentate after potentate until he became head of a vast empire. His career of victory gained for him the name of the "African Napoleon." The French have been fighting his power for years, and yesterday's dispatch announced his overthrow.

Man Went Down With Bridge.

Thompsonville, Conn., Feb. 16.—A portion of the bridge that spans the Connecticut river connecting Enfield and Suffield, was carried away yesterday. The bridge was a covered, wooden structure a third of a mile long, and about half of it was carried away. It went down in three sections, and an unknown man, who was on the bridge, went down with one of the sections, and was drowned.

Sweeping Change In Constitution.

Philadelphia, Feb. 16.—The national assembly of the League of American Wheelmen yesterday relinquished control of racing and established the amateur clause of membership. All other references to amateur wheelmen were stricken from the constitution. These questions and that of the establishment of good roads occupied the attention of the delegates until a late hour in the afternoon.

Rhode Island Veterans Meet.

Providence, Feb. 16.—The 33rd annual encampment of Rhode Island G. A. R. began here yesterday. The principal business was the election of officers for the ensuing year. Senior Vice Commander Walter A. Read was elected department commander and Charles P. Moies of Central Falls was elected senior vice commander. The junior vice commandership went to George H. Chenery.

Foul Play Theory Ridiculed.

New York, Feb. 16.—Captain McClusky of the city detective bureau ridicules the rumor that the late Congressman Chickering met with foul play. The congressman's watch and money and private pass were found upon his body. The police at headquarters say there is absolutely nothing in the idea that the congressman was the victim of foul play.

Hundred Percent Assessment.

Boston, Feb. 16.—A dispatch from Washington announces that Comptroller of the Currency Dawes has levied an assessment of 100 percent on the capital stock of the Globe National bank of this city. This action is taken to pay off the creditors of the defunct institution. The capital stock of the bank is $1,000,000.

Satisfied With Roosevelt's Administration.

New York, Feb. 16.—The Republican county committee last night unanimously adopted resolutions endorsing the administration of Governor Roosevelt, together with his determination not to be named for vice president of the United States, and pledging support to his nomination for governor again next fall.

Federal Officials Not Needed.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Secretary Dick of the Republican committee says that in order to avoid adverse criticism it is deemed advisable that, as far as practicable, delegations to the coming national convention should be composed of those not holding federal offices.

Peru Has the Shakes.

Lima, Feb. 16.—At 6:55 a. m. yesterday a severe earthquake shock, causing great alarm, was felt in this section. In the course of the day the river Rimac flooded its banks in the outskirts of Lima, endangering life and property.

Horton Repeal Passes Assembly.

Albany, Feb. 16.—The bill repealing the so-called "Horton law" which permits prize fights in the state, was passed in the assembly yesterday.

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WEYMOUTH.

Rev. William Hyde of Trinity church, ill hold service, and preach next unday in Gardner Street chapel, South Hingham, at 2.45 P. M. The services in Trinity church are at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.

The Parish guild of Trinity church, Weymouth met with Mrs. Albert B. Sanborn, on Thursday evening. There was a large attendance and important business was transacted, including the election of committees for the annual Easter sale.

High School Debates.

The subject of the Senior debate at the High school on Thursday was: England was just in imposing the stamp act upon the American colonies.

Affirmative,—Mr. Carl Hayward, and Miss Hannah Barry.

Negative,—Miss Cora Greer and Miss Flora Stewart.

The merit of the debate was decided in favor of the affirmative.

After an open debate the merits of the questions was decided in the negative.

Critic, Miss Alice Higgins.

Chairman, Mr. Luther Hanson.

The subject of the Junior debate was: Resolved: That strikes are a benefit to workingmen.

Affirmative, — Miss Powers, Miss Gagnon and Miss Denton.

Negative,—Miss Carey, Mr. Peterson and Mr. Nichols.

The society decided in favor of the negative, both on the merit of the debate and on the merits of the question.

Savings Banks Lose.

When a defunct National bank has not sufficient assets to pay the depositors and other creditors, the capital stock of the bank is first taken, and, if that did not suffice to pay the creditors, the stockholders are assessed, in addition, an amount equal to the par value of their stock.

Thus, if a person held 100 shares of Globe Bank stock, he lost not only his original investment, but an amount equal to the par value of those shares—$10,000, as an assessment of 100 per cent. has been ordered.

Of the 10,000 shares 3,041 were held by savings banks of the State, but are widely distributed and will not cause serious injury. In the list is the Braintree Savings bank for 10 shares, the East Weymouth for 25, the South Weymouth for 20, the Hingham for 46, the South Scituate for 3, Dedham for 25, and Canton for 33.

Funeral Services.

The funeral of Miss Mary Damon was held from the home of B. D. Derry, Sea street, Houghs Neck, Thursday afternoon.

The floral offerings were a crescent from daughter, Mrs. Florence Morgan; wreath from ex-members of Hose 5; bouquet of pinks from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leonard; bouquet of roses, Mrs. Nellie M. Perry. The burial was at Mount Wollaston cemetery.

TODAY'S COURT.

Maurice J. Sheahan was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Benjamin C. Banner was sent to the house of correction for three months for drunkenness at Randolph.

Israel Stein was fined $5 for peddling without a license at Milton.

Sure of Bryan's Nomination.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Ex-Senator Gorman, in an interview here yesterday, said that all his efforts heretofore had been directed against the renomination of Mr. Bryan, but he was now convinced "that nothing can prevent his selection as the head of the Democratic ticket." He said he would support Bryan, if nominated.

MARRIED.

ROBERTS—OWENS—In Framingham, Feb. 14, by Rev. Lucius R. Eastman, Mr. Thomas Roberts of Quincy, to Miss Mary Owens of Framingham.

DIED.

SHAW—In Braintree, Feb. 15, Mrs. Lisette C., widow of Mr. James T. Shaw, aged 71 years, 8 months and 15 days.

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At 11 o'clock in the forenoon. The sale includes the quarry and its tools of every description, including whatever is necessary to begin work at once. A railroad switch runs into the yard from the main tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad. This is a rare chance for parties understanding the granite business. Intending bidders will be given an opportunity to inspect the property at any time. For further information address

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The Christadelphians of Quincy cordially invite you to a course of lectures to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street, by Mr. Thomas Williams of Chicago, Editor of the Christadelphian Advocate.

First Lecture Wednesday evening at 7.30, FEBRUARY 21.
Subject: Reasons why Christ must return to the earth; and signs that the time is near.

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Fourth Lecture, Sunday evening at 7.30. FEBRUARY 25.
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Seats free. Positively no collections.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Assessors will meet at City Hall, on THURSDAYS of each week from 9 until 11 A. M., for the transaction of all business that may come before them for the ensuing year.

Per order of the Board,
JAMES THOMPSON,
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Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

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Per order of the Board,
JAMES THOMPSON,
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Movement of Glaciers.

The international glacier commission recently made an excursion to the Grimsel to continue its investigations on the Aar glacier. From 1838 to 1845 Agassiz and his Neuchatel friends discovered in the moraine of the lower Aar glacier an enormous block of stone, which afforded natural protection, and they erected there a stone hut which they called the Hotel des Neuchatelois. This "hotel" moved downward 240 feet in the five years from 1842 to 1846. From 1846 to 1884 the downward movement was 181 feet per annum, and from 1884 to 1899 it was 173 feet per annum. We thus possess an exact record of the movement of the lower Aar glacier during a period extended over 60 years.

Endurance of Great Heat.

The Golden Penny says that in iron foundries, blast furnaces and steamship boiler rooms the artificial heat is so great that it drives out the humidity, and the workmen suffer far less than is usually supposed. In the melting room of the mint the temperature is 106 degrees F., in blast furnaces about 115 degrees and in steamship boiler rooms 140 degrees. It is said that 118 degrees of heat in a pure, dry air is not felt so much as a mixture of 90 degrees of heat and 80 per cent of humidity. Although apparently paradoxical, the statement is correct that people would be cooler sitting beside a redhot stove than they would be in the street on any hot day.

Artificial Tinting of Fruit.

Various fruits are colored on the surface or in their substance to suit the fancy of purchasers in France. For example, strawberries that are unripe are given a fine red color by means of a fuchsine preparation, ordinary oranges of poor quality are made to pass for blood oranges by injecting roccelline into their pulp, and melons are rendered of a fine orange color by injecting a solution of tropœline and at the same time aromatized with an artificial melon essence. At a certain dinner party the pears had the outward look proper to pears, but, on being cut open, displayed on the section the national colors of France.

Salt Lake Getting Dry.

Great Salt lake is receding on account of the excessive drain made upon it by irrigation enterprises. This lake is not fed by underground springs, but by the Jordan and other rivers, and when the waters of these streams are intercepted for irrigation purposes the water supply of Salt lake is of course diminished, so that the evaporation which is constantly going on is not made up by a new supply. In time it looks as if the lake will be only a bed of dry salt.

THE AFFAIRS OF LIFE.

Trend of Educational Thought to Fit the Pupil

Annual Report of School Committee of Quincy.

An Education Society Needed to Cooperate With Schools.

The first of the annual reports of departments of the City of Quincy to be put into print is that of the School Committee and Superintendent of Schools, which will be issued the first of next week. This edition, however, will not be for distribution to citizens but will be for use of the teachers and school, and for exchange with other cities and towns. It makes a book of 116 pages, and the entire work of composition and printing was done at the office of George W. Prescott & Son in 12 days without working over time.

The report will be included in the annual City Book to be issued some weeks hence. Part first that of the School Committee, makes four pages. It was written by Miss Mabel E. Adams and we reproduce it in full:

To the Citizens of Quincy:—

"The City of Quincy entrusts to its School Committee, an elected unpaid board, the care of its schools. The City bestows and the School Committee assumes heavy responsibility. It is no light matter to order the formal education of four thousand eight hundred children; it is no light matter to select a proper head for the school system and bear him out in his policy; it is no light matter to calculate expenses down to the fraction of a dollar, striving to keep a just balance between the actual needs of the schools on the one hand and proper economy on the other, but all this and much more the School Committee must do merely to keep the schools in running order. The framers of our City Charter evidently realized the responsibility which the Committee must bear, and endeavored to give to it commensurate power. Twice does the charter explicitly state that 'the management and control of the schools shall be vested in a School Committee.' In an amendment there is a provision that the School Committee must furnish a detailed estimate of the coming year's expenses, but nowhere does it appear that the framers of the charter contemplated giving to the City Council a veto power on any detail of management. This statement of the legal status of the Committee is hereby given for the information of the citizens.

'The trend of educational thought today is distinctly in the direction of fitting the pupils for participation in the affairs of life itself rather than giving to him more or less varied book knowledge. While teachers and school-officers join in disclaiming the possibility of furnishing the entire social training in the schools it is nevertheless desirable that no efforts should be spared to help forward every pupil toward self-reliant, thrifty, law-abiding manhood and womanhood.

'Two plans, both tending toward character building, are being tried in various sections of our country; perhaps a mention of them is not out of place in any educational report.

"The first is what is known as the 'school bank' plan or the 'penny savings' plan. In a good many cities and towns in the United States the school children have been encouraged to save their money, putting it into the charge of the teacher or of some duly appointed persons until the sum amounts to enough to be placed in a savings bank. The actual sums saved even in very poor districts are surprising. Children's savings have been known to relieve the family stress in many cases in cities where the plan has been tried. But it is for the sake of the valuable habits as acquired that school authorities have come to value the plan, the habit of saving on the one hand, and the habit of self denial on the other, the learning of the lesson that the possession of money does not necessarily entail its immediate disbursement when no need for the money's worth exists.

'The second plan is that known as the 'self-government scheme,' which has been tried with various results both east and west. Various critics of our schools assert that although we live in a republic we send our children to school under a despotism, a wise and paternal despotism, no doubt, and one which is growing wiser every day, but still a despotism, in which there is one law, the teacher's and in which the government does not derive its just powers from the consent of the governed for the simple reason that the governed have no voice in the matter. These critics do not deny that young children are unfit to govern themselves, but they assert that older children and the young men and young women of the high schools ought to be given an opportunity to learn to govern themselves by exercising their judgment concerning their own affairs within reasonable limits before they are thrown entirely upon their own resources either in the world of work or the world of college. Conservative teachers feel that experiments along this line would only end in anarchy and even progessive teachers look with doubt upon them, but there is no gainsaying the fact that practice generates power; and practice in self-government ought to be an aid to young people nearing the duties of citizenship. Both these matters are now under consideration by this Board.

'In the former report the formation of an Education Society which might co-operate with teachers and the School Board in furthering the educational interests of the city, was urged. A distinct need for such an organization exist. It could aid directly and indirectly in many ways, especially in the upholding of right standards, and the cultivating of public interest in mattters educational.

"Your Committee has no radical changes in its policy to report. The internal organization of the High School has undergone some changes which are fully explained elsewhere by Principal Harper.

"Last September a master's assistant was hired, who divides her day between the John Hancock and the Adams, thus giving the principals of both districts an opportunity for supervision. Five districts in the city now enjoy this privilege,—the Wollaston and Massachusetts Fields, which together have one principal, the Williard on account of its size, and the Coddington on account of its two buildings. The committee believes this plan to be compatible with the strictest economy, inasmuch as by it the time and the influence of a principal who is paid fourteen hundred dollars is given to the children of a whole district instead of to the children of one grade.

"The Committee is desirous of availing itself of the services of the electric car lines for the transportation to and from school of pupils resident in Germantown, Houghs Neck and Squantum. It is thought that for the sums now expended for this purpose these pupils might be allowed to go home at noon and return in time for the afternoon session, a plan the advantages of which are too obvious to need enumeration. An all-winter service on the lines mentioned would render this undertaking quite feasible.

"The condition of the schools in detail will be found in the report of Mr. Lull, the Superintendent, in whose policy and work the members of this Committee here take occasion to express their confidence."

Supt. Lull's report is of the usual length and interest, and will be reviewed in the Ledger the first of next week. He writes of the beginning of the new education in 1875, the outlook, school property new accommodations, pupils by grades, teachers, population and school census, pupils, finances, repairs, cost per pupil, statistics, the High school, grammar school graduation, evening schools, special meetings, Master's club, training class, kindergartens, medical inspection, gifts, demands of the times, etc.

Among the matters of historical interest is the publication of the School Committees of Quincy by years from 1849 to 1900, to be found in the appendix. This article will be published in full in Saturday's eight-page Ledger.

Remember the Maine Party.

Brasee's hall, Wollaston, was the scene Thursday evening of a pretty social event. The affair was a "Remember the Maine" party given under the management of Mr. Clarence H. Seaman, Miss Georgia M. Pitts, Miss Georgia M. Miner and Mr. V. C. Saunders, and was attended by about 160 friends from Dorchester, Boston, Roxbury and Quincy.

It was given in honor of Miss Zora M. Ellis, a popular young lady of Wollaston. The evening until 10 o'clock was spent in games, dancing and other amusements. At that hour, her many friends listened to a bright and appropriate presentation speech by Mr. Clarence H. Seaman.

Miss Ellis responded in a most graceful manner.

Then her many friends resumed, in their happy spirits, the games in which had been interrupted. A suitable collation was served at 11 o'clock. After this there was no interruption until 2 A. M. All present expressed themselves as having enjoyed the evening tremendously. Mr. William Wilson of South Quincy, the well known pianist, presided at the piano.

—Among the bills, recently introducee in the legislature is one to provide for licensing bicycles at fee of $1, the proceeds to be paid to the city or town for the construction of good roads and bicycle paths.

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CALLS AND CARDS.

Good Form in Both—Titles on Cards. Social Visiting.

The correct use and appearance of the visiting card are regulated by custom, the infringement of which stamps one as beyond the social pale, says The Ladies' Home Journal, from which the following items of "good form" are gleaned:

A lady's visiting card is of medium size, engraved in script or Roman letters, the address in the right hand corner, the reception day in the left. A man's card is smaller, having the name printed in full, without initials, with the prefix "Mr." and bearing the address of his home or club.

No titles are used save military, naval or judicial ones and those of clergymen and physicians. Such cards would read, "Captain John Lester," with name of regiment or corps, United States army or navy, in left hand corner, or "Mr. John Lester," with rank and regiment under the name; "Mr. Justice Beakman," "Rev. John Storm, D. D.," "Dr. Kenneth Kellogg." "Mrs. Colonel Doe" and "Mrs. Dr. Doe" are both incorrect.

A young woman entering society has her name below her mother's on the same card, but she may use her own as well. The prefix "Miss" should always accompany the name of an unmarried woman.

A widow retains her husband's Christian name or not, as she pleases. It sometimes occasions embarrassment if a son bearing his father's name is married. By reason of seniority a widow's card may then read, "Mrs. Blank." This precedence is now assumed by the wife of the senior member of a family—the head of the clan, as it were. Anything claimed as a distinction becomes desirable. The "Mr. and Mrs." card is no longer used, and the folded or turned down card, signifying a personal call, is obsolete.

After receiving invitations the etiquette of calls and cards varies in different countries and cities. In London and Paris the guests, after a dinner or ball, hasten to leave their cards upon their hostess the next day, after which they may call at their convenience. With us courtesy demands that a personal call be made after a dinner or luncheon invitation and within a week after the function. A regret imposes the same obligation.

After a wedding one calls upon those in whose names the invitations were issued and upon the young couple within the year. A bride calls upon her friends only after they have paid her that attention.

The presence of guests at a reception is accounted a visit. They leave their cards and those of the absent members of their families in the hall before entering the drawing or reception room.

Those unable to accept wedding or reception invitations send cards inclosed in envelopes on the day of the function, by hand or post, and call afterward. After any other form of entertainment cards may be sent, but, when possible, a call should be made in person.

A lady's social visiting is regulated by custom as by a code. There must be a call for a call and a card for a card.

At the first call of the season a married woman leaves, with her own, two of her husband's cards for the lady and master of the house and three of her son's if there be young ladies in the family. If her friend be at home, she places them on the hall table, sending her own card by the servant. At subsequent calls she need not leave her husband's card unless he has received an invitation, and she may allow her sons and daughters to assume their own obligations.

A change of residence should be announced early in the season by sending cards to all one's acquaintances, with the new address and reception day.

If a lady has a reception day, her friends should try to call at that time. She need not receive chance callers on any other day; she could never be sure of an uninterrupted hour at home. The servant should be previously instructed to give the same message to all comers, "Mrs. Homer is engaged today and is sorry not to be able to see any one," at which none could take offense.

A Popular Dessert.

Line a charlotte mold with lady fingers, cutting them off evenly at the top and leaving a small space between them. Chill and whip three cups of thin cream (one cup thick cream and two cups rich milk may be used), drain and chill again. Soften one tablespoonful of granulated gelatin in one-fourth cup of cold black coffee. Scald three-fourths of a cup of milk or cream that drains from the whipped cream; add half a cup of sugar; beat the



COFFEE CHARLOTTE RUSSE.

yolks of two eggs; add one-fourth of a cup of sugar and cook in the hot milk until the custard coats the spoon; add the gelatin, strain and cool, beating occasionally. When the mixture begins to stiffen, fold in the whip from the cream and turn into the lined mold. When thoroughly set and chilled, dip the mold in tepid water and invert over a serving dish.—Boston Cooking School Magazine.

The Care of the Chafing Dish.

The chafing dish needs a good deal of care if it is to be kept looking bright and nice enough for table use, says The Designer. The pans ought not to be put in water when being washed, but instead the water should be put in them, the nickled surface afterward being carefully wiped and polished with a piece of chamois.



There is a "comfortable feeling" that comes after a bath with Ivory Soap which is conducive to a good night's rest.

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MILTON.

Milton has succeeded in getting a special act though the Legislature this year which has just been signed by Governor Crane, extending the civil service law to cover the police and fire departments of the town. Up to the present time the members of the police and fire deepartment have been appointed every year, and the political handle made of these position was working injury to both departments.

The act provides that the present force shall be exempt from examination, and that they shall not be removed until charges have been made and proven, after giving the person against whom charges have been made an impartial hearing. Any additional appointments to positions on the police or fire departments must take the examination. The new act also includes the chief of both departments.

The Unquity club held a regular business meeting Monday night, at which the by-laws relative to the fee for non-resident members was amended. It was also voted that the fourth Wednesday in each month should be called "ladies' night." A committee was appointed to arrange a programme for their entertainment.

The citizens' caucus has been called for next Monday night at the Town Hall.

William Clark was accidentally knocked down by a passing team on Adams street Saturday night. He received a severe shaking up and several bruises have kept him confined to the house ever since.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Congregational church will present "Aunt Jemima's Album" at the Town Hall, next Tuesday evening.

The first bell alarm of fire in Milton this year was sounded from Box 15, at 5.59 Wednesday evening, for a fire in the attic of the house of John Mann, on the Blue Hill parkway. The fire was confined to the attic, although a hole was burned through the roof.

The Thursday Evening club went to Mattapan Thursday evening to play whist with the club at that place.

Prof. George C. Purington, A. M., principal of the Farmington, Me., State Normal school, gave a lecture at the East Milton Congregational church Tuesday evening, on One Man's Influence." There was also music by the Mozart quartette.

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A lady in the presence of the writer told this great healer that she never closed her eyes in sleep without first asking God's blessing upon him who had saved her from a life of misery and death. Words fail to give the reader an idea of the esteem and adcration with which he is regarded by his hundreds of patients. No invalid should give up hope until they have had consultation with this wonderfully successful specialist. Take no one's word, except that of a cured patient. Let no prejudices stand in the way of reason, but whatever your complaint may be, it will be to your interest to consult Prof. Coffey. Magnetism is the greatest boon of this age, and it is fast supplanting the old-fashioned, and obsolete methods of our grandfathers by making permanent and lasting cures when all other systems have utterly failed. One thing greatly to the credit of the professor is his fees are much less than any first-class specialist in the state.

A well known Stone Engraver (wearing a plaster paris jacket) was treated in Faxon Hall for extreme pain in chest and arm; his sister-in-law reported last Friday that he went home from the hall, had the plaster cast removed, and went to work at his trade.

Mrs. M——, a well known Quincy lady, who was a perfect cripple from sciatica, reported Saturday that after Prof. Coffey had given her *three* treatments she had done a large washing and had felt no inconvenience from the effort.

If you are afflicted, having exhausted the skill of doctors of all schools, and found no relief from taking medicine, it is time you should consult with Prof. Coffey. He will help you sure.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

WOLLASTON.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Jones Howe to Franklin A. Howe dated May 19, 1898, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 815, page 507 and for breach of the condition of said mortgage, will be sold at public auction on the land hereinafter described, on MONDAY, the twenty-sixth day of February, 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon, the premises conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts which is called Wollaston, and being lot numbered Four in block Twenty-four of Section Six of Lands of the Wollaston Land Associates as shown on a plan of said section drawn by D. Granger & Son and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of Lib. 406; bounded as follows:

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EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter 6 11:23 a.m. | Full Moon 14 8:56 a.m.
Third Quarter 22 11:44 a.m.

A Marked Peculiarity.



"Did you ever notice signs of mental weakness in the accused?"

"Well, I dunno as to whether you'd call it mental weakness or not, but I never could account for one derned singular habit he had."

"What was it?"

"Why, he'd actooly read the woman's page in the Sunday paper!"

NEWS IN BRIEF.

George L. Merrill, past [illegible],000 people-in-chief of the G[illegible] can imagine commander-surance[illegible] A. R., and former in-it is.

[illegible] commissioner of Massachusetts, is seriously ill at Lawrence, Mass. He is suffering from a complication of liver and stomach troubles.

Arrangements are being made at the war department for the establishment of additional garrisons and troops in the military department of Alaska.

The freight house of the western division of the Boston and Maine railroad at Danvers, Mass., was burned, causing a loss of $5000.

The American Paper and Pulp association re-elected ex-Governor Cheney of New Hampshire president, and R. W. Rantoul secretary and treasurer.

The Vermont association of Boston held its annual reunion and banquet at Boston. It was a happy gathering, and was well attended.

James P. L. Wescott, father of Catherine Tingley, the leader of the Theosophical society of America, died at Newburyport, Mass. During the Civil war he was captain of company B of the Fortieth New York regiment, and served with distinction.

A block in Clearfield, Pa., occupied by a clothing dealer, general store and a Masonic lodge, was burned. Loss, $60,000.

Barney T. Witherell, 77, a former representative to the Massachusetts general court, died at Easthampton, Mass. He was a prosperous farmer.

Dr. John Hilles, formerly a surgeon in the United States army and the biographer of ex-Vice President Levi P. Morton, died at West Haven, Conn., aged 44. He had been seriously ill for a number of years.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Belknap Savings bank of Laconia, N. H., a 10 percent dividend was paid the depositors.

The secretary of the treasury has received in an envelope postmarked New York a conscience contribution of $205.

The marine corps has adopted khaki as part of the uniform of the men, using the army standards.

The storehouse of John W. Chamberlain at Ossipee, N. H., was burned with its contents. The loss is $5000.

The German government is now inquiring whether it is feasible for a regular course of steamer routes between New York to Europe to be fixed internationally.

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"CRISIS IS URGENT."

England Must Not Keep Her Eyes Upon South Africa Alone.

French and Russian Friendship Not Very Strong.

Salisbury Says the Issue Will Be Brought to a Successful End.

London, Feb. 16.—In the house of lords yesterday the Earl of Dunraven raised a question on the government's military proposals and expressed a doubt as to whether these were sufficient. The Earl of Rosebery said he fully recognized the gravity of the situation and agreed with the previous speaker in thinking that the measures adopted were inadequate in the circumstances. He also doubted whether the "paper force of 409,000 men in Great Britain," to which the secretary of state for war had referred, would stand analysis. For the volunteers Lord Rosebery said he had the highest respect; but by no stretch of the imagination could they be called soldiers, as it was admitted that they needed months of training annually to render them efficient.

"The auspicious news of the morning from South Africa," said Lord Rosebery, "led to the hope that there might be better news to come; but when fighting on our own territory we have been unable before to advance an inch, and if another 50,000 men should be wanted for South Africa I do not know where they would be got. It may be said that it is unwise to lay bare the weaknesses of the country; but, depend upon it, other nations know our position as well, if not better, than ourselves. I would like to ask whether the fleet is to be strengthened or mobilized.

"The crisis in South Africa is urgent," continued Lord Rosebery, "but we must not keep our eyes upon South Africa alone. Last December the government made vigorous overtures to the two great powers, Germany and the United States, for an alliance; but those overtures were not received with such cordiality as to encourage the government to pursue them. It does not appear that the friendship of France would bear any great strain; and, as to Russia, events have been recently witnessed in Persia about which England formerly would have had something to say, but which now she passes unnoticed.

"It becomes the government to take a large grasp of the situation and to make adequate proposals. If Great Britain were to lose South Africa she would lose the most important base outside of the United Kingdom, and she would lose that colonial support which has been given because the colonies have believed that they were associating themselves with a powerful empire; and thus the empire would break away from us. If this be not a life and death crisis, I do not know what is."

The Earl of Kimberley, the Liberal leader, said he felt the danger of the situation equally with Lord Rosebery. Although he would not ascribe a direct hostile intention to Russia [illegible] moment [illegible] Russia at the present [illegible] he said that he could not overlook the fact that there was a movement of troops in progress, which, if not menacing, showed possibilities of the future that were not absent from the Russian mind.

The Marquis of Salisbury, the premier, in the course of his reply for the government, said:

"I cannot enter upon the springs that guide the Russian government, or the course it is likely to take; nor can I discuss the health of the Ameer of Afghanistan. As to whether our forces are adequate for the work in South Africa, or whether it is true that the government have always been too late and have neglected opportunities, I would gladly accept a challenge, provided the words would not go beyond this chamber. The present troubles are not due to the expansion of the empire, but to miscalculations made in 1881 and 1884. Our forefathers were not discouraged by bad beginnings; and we should follow their example and not be cast down. The government are convinced now, as they always have been, that the issue will be brought to a successful conclusion. I do not think any advantage is to be obtained from taking a gloomy view."

A Denial From Washington.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The statement of Lord Rosebery that in December overtures were made to the United Stats for an allinace is not substantiated here. Officials of the administration declare that so far as the United States is concerned no offer of an alliance had been made.

Going to Supreme Court.

Cincinati, Feb. 16.—Attorneys interested in the Kentucky election cases appeared before United States Judge Taft yesterday and filed notice of an appeal from his decision on Wednesday. The appeal will be taken direct to the United States supreme court. The petition for appeal states that Judge Taft erred in declaring that jurisdiction did not lie in the federal court.

Elected on First Ballot.

Portland, Me., Feb. 16.—The annual encampment of the department of Maine, G. A. R., adjourned yesterday. The interest in the election of officers centered in the contest between Seth T. Snipe and William Z. Clayton for commander. But one vote was required, Comrade Snipe receiving 299 of the 397 ballots cast. Comrade Clayton got 76 and John P. Swazy 22.

Alleged Clubbing of Aged Woman.

Clinton, Mass., Feb. 16.—Mary McDonald was arrested here last night on a charge of assault upon Mary Winans, the latter over 80 years of age. It is alleged that the McDonald woman struck Mrs. Winans upon the head with a club, inflicting a severe wound. Mrs. McDonald was held without bail.

LARGE SECTION UNDER WATER.

Ice Jam In the Merrimac River Has Caused Considerable Loss.

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 16.—Word was received in this city this morning that all the ice in the river north of Hooksett had broken and was starting down the river. No apprehension was felt until the message came that the ice had dammed an enormous jam between Manchester and Hooksett, above Martin's Ferry, and that the water was backing into Hooksett, and that town was flooded. The loss of live stock and outbuildings is already reported as being considerable.

A dispatch was also received asking that the police of Manchester be notified to warn the residents of Amoskeag, a suburb of Manchester, to be prepared for the break of the jam. From reports received from Hookset the water in the Merrimack river rose six feet in one hour last night, and the high mark of the flood of 1896 was broken by four feet.

Considerable anxiety is felt over the situation, on account of the reports of the enormous jam of ice between this city and Hookset. The jam had reached Martin's Ferry at midnight, and had made a firm hold. It is described as being about three miles in length.

Beckham's Authority Recognized.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 16.—The clash between the Democratic and the Republican branches of the state government was emphasized last night by the prison officials releasing John Seals, a Louisville convict, on a pardon issued by Governor Beckham. Douglas Hays, a Knott county convict, recently pardoned by Governor Taylor, is still in confinement, the prison officials refusing to recognize Taylor as governor.

Barge Went to the Bottom.

New London, Conn., Feb. 16.—The barge Ray sprang aleak while being towed from New York to this port, with a cargo of coal, and, although every effort was made to keep the vessel afloat, she sank in the Thames river yesterday. The Ray's cargo is being removed by means of lighters.

Big Fleet Reaches Boston.

Boston, Feb. 16.—The stormy weather of the past week had been the means of creating a small coal famine by stalling vessels bound for this port. Yesterday a fleet of 16 large ocean tow boats, with about 40 barges in tow, came trailing up the harbor. The fleet of 40 barges is probably the best record of the port.

For Merging of Railroads.

Boston, Feb. 16.—The Boston Fruit and Produce exchange yesterday adopted resolutions favoring both the Fitchburg and the Albany railroad leases. The opinion was expressed that the best interests of Boston are contained in the merging of both roads with the roads that desire to lease them.

An Anti-Trust Publication.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—A weekly paper to be known as the American Anti-Trust Journal, the launching of which was sanctioned at the recent anti-trust conference, will appear tomorrow. The plans were perfected at a meeting of a committee appointed by the conference.

Big Crowd Suspended.

Boston, Feb. 16.—The axe fell [illegible] park department yesterday, resulting in the suspension of 222 laborers, two foremen and three engineers. The laborers suspended received $2 per day, the engineers $3.50, and the two foremen, McAllen and Porter, $3.25.

Failed to Comply With Law.

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 16.—Insurance Superintendent Van Cleave has revoked the licenses of 10 insurance companies for failure to comply with the laws of Illinois. Among the companies is the Atlas Mutual Insurance company, Boston.

Off For South Africa.

New York, Feb. 16.—Fifty-seven men sailed on the steamship La Gasgogne yesterday on their way to Boer lines in South Africa. Most of the men are Irish-Americans. They were frequently cheered as they marched through the streets. The corps was equipped through the efforts of the united Irish societies in Chicago. They are going to aid the sick and wounded of the Boer army.

On Trial For Manslaughter.

Boston, Feb. 16.—Carmello Brigandi, charged with manslaughter in killing Edward Graham on Jan. 5, was placed on trial yesterday. The reason for the shooting has never been explained, except a roundabout story that Brigandi's sister had been insulted, and that Brigandi thought Graham was the man. The government provides Brigandi with counsel.

Utterances by Cushman Are Condemned.

Boston, Feb. 16.—The common council last night adopted unanimously resolutions condemning Congressman Cushman of Washington for his attack upon Senator Hoar in his recent speech here before the Middlesex club, and upholding Senator Hoar "in his wise and statesmanlike attitude on public affairs."

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

A storm has moved from western Texas over the St. Lawrence valley, attended by light and scattered rain or snow. Following the passage of this storm a marked fall in temperature has occurred. The weather will continue fair and cold in New England. Along the north Atlantic coast the winds will diminish in force from the northwest.

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ASTRONOMICAL GHOSTS.

Stars Which People See Before They Are "Discovered."

Some months before the discovery of the fifth satellite of Jupiter by Professor Barnard at Lick observatory, says the Boston Transcript, a Lowell man who is a poor sleeper, becoming restless, lighted the gas and took up a Boston newspaper in order to while away the time. His eye soon fell upon an interesting item, and as a natural consequence he immediately went to sleep. The next morning on awakening he said to his wife: "A fifth satellite of Jupiter has been discovered at Lick. I read about it last night in the paper."

Time went on, and he heard nothing more of it. He thought it strange, but, being busy with other matters, neglected to investigate the matter. Judge of his surprise on taking up his newspaper one morning months after to read of the discovery the previous night of this fifth satellite at this very observatory. The discovery was outside of what might have been logically and naturally anticipated, and therefore to dream of it long before it took place does not seem a mere coincidence or "happenstance." It recalls the well known fact that the genial Swift in his writings mentions two satellites of Mars which were not only unknown to science in his day, but were unknown for a long time afterward, "the snowy poles of moonless Mars" being a familiar quotation from a poet so recent and accurate as Tennyson. These tiny moons were first discovered by Hall not so very many years ago at Washington.

Another singular thing about the fifth satellite is that the late Robert C. Winthrop believed it had been seen somewhere about 1660 by Governor John Winthrop in Connecticut, but this was impossible with the means at his command, for, as Professor Barnard says, "this satellite is game only for the greatest telescopes."

The governor's satellite was in all probability what is called in astronomical parlance a "ghost," an apparition responsible the world over for much confusion and chagrin. These astronomical "ghosts" can be seen at any time by simply turning your back to a large planet, or bright star, when it is well above the horizon and then catching its reflection in an ordinary hand mirror. My friend's satellite turned out, however, to be the genuine article, seen no one knows how.

Drinking Ether.

In eastern Prussia the director of the asylum for the insane recently called the attention of the government to the fact that in his district ether drinking was fast supplanting the use of alcohol. In the city of Memel alone, situated in the extreme northeastern part of Germany, the sale of ether destined as a drink for the past year is officially stated to have amounted to 8,580 quarts, to which must be added a large quantity that was passed through by smuggling and which therefore escaped official counting. In the district of Heydekrug a still more [illegible] quantity is annually sold as a stimulant. The ether is sold by liquor dispensers and retailers over the counter to the consumers in drinks averaging from four to five grams, this dose producing more exhilaration as well as more immediate stimulation than would ordinarily be produced by four times the same quantity of ordinary alcohol. The after depressing effects, however, and for the amount taken, far more than counterbalance the after effects of alcohol, the victim of the ether habit suffering greatly from diffused pains and from great mental and physical depression. In those regions given largely to ether drinking all diseases of the liver, kidneys and other organs that usually suffer from alcoholic saturation or excesses are greatly on the increase and prone to run a much more rapid course.

How Brain Workers Should Eat.

It is all right, says a writer in The Sanitary Record, for the man who labors all day in the open air to eat freely, but the man of sedentary habits, the brain worker, must adapt his way of living to his needs. He must be well nourished, for the brain is incapable of good work unless well supplied with pure food, but such a man cannot possibly furnish vital force to digest three large meals daily. If he tries it, nature will protest at every step. The chemical changes of digestion will be imperfectly performed. The stomach will neither secrete freely nor churn the food with cheerful alacrity; the pyloric orifice contracts and allows such chyme to pass with grudging reluctance; the intestinal lacteals are ashamed to absorb such miserable pabulum, which chokes, irritates and congests them, so the large meal remains in the digestive organs to ferment and putrefy. But the system can furnish enough vital force to convert a small meal into pabulum of high standard, which will be absorbed without difficulty. Always leave the table a little hungry.

Water Cure.

Said a physician not long ago, one who has grown old and wise in his profession, "I'm coming to believe that if I had to choose in my practice the use of drugs and the use of water I'd give up the drugs." It is a truth that is generally accepted that the efficiency of the various mineral waters depends far less on the quality of the water than on the quantity consumed, and for most of us water is free as air, so there need be no hindrance to a thorough test of its virtues. It may be true, as has been charged against us, that we drink too much, but far more often is it true that we drink too little. We fail to recognize how much water our body demands, and our food is bread, meat and pastry instead of the fruits and vegetables that would supply our needs.

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

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Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

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r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
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r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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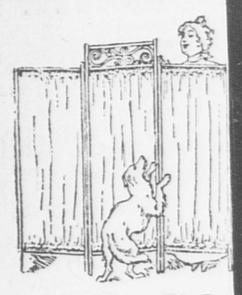
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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 30 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 8.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour hroughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other points at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON.			FROM BOSTON.		
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7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
8 42	abc	9 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
8 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
11 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
11 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
11 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
12 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
12 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
12 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
12 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
12 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
12 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
12 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
12 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
12 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
12 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
12 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
12 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53
12 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
12 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
12 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
12 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

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12 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
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12 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
12 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
12 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
12 08	abcdef	8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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The letters in the same line as the figure for different stations and indicate the stop, as follows:

a, Hollaston, b, Wollaston, c, Merrymount, d, Quincy Point, e, North Quincy, f, Harrison Square, g, Savin Hill, h, Crescent Avenue, i, South Boston, r, Quincy Adams.

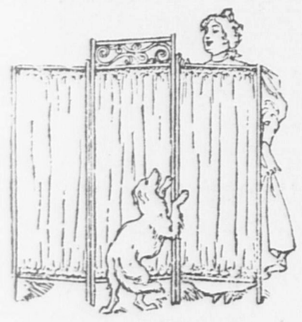
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On the Corner Hancock and Saville Streets.

Choice Beef, Fancy Lamb, Pork, Veal and Poultry.
CANNED GOODS, VEGETABLES and FRUIT.
We have a neat little Grocery Department fully stocked.
CALL AND SEE US.
BROOKS & AMES,
Quincy, Feb. 17. tf

A Chance For Bargains.

ANNUAL SALE OF REMNANTS.
LADIES' WHITE APRONS,
FINE LAWN, FINE EMBROIDERY,
AT MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.

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THE STAR TEA AND COFFEE STORE,
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Feb. 16. tf

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Pale children, languid or irritable children need a tonic. The safest and surest tonic for children, as well as adults, is TRUE'S ELIXIR. It is a harmless vegetable remedy which cures all the common complaints of childhood—costiveness, deranged stomach or bowels, feverishness etc. *It expels worms.* Careful mothers have used it with unfailing success for 48 years.

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The Social Realm.

Take up the last song's burden,
Sing forth the best you may;
Go whistle it—in exile,
To cheer you on your way;
To ease your mind of sorrow,
While fluttered folk do curse
Your new caught song, repeated,
Half bad enough, half worse!
A. E. LOCKE (after Kipling).

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The engagement is announced of Miss Annie M. Wadsworth, only daughter of Capt. and Mrs. E. D. Wadsworth of Milton and Mr. Walter Humphrey of Roxbury. Miss Wadsworth is the sister of Mr. Dexter E. Wadsworth of this city.

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Rev. Edward Norton will deliver his lecture, "A horseback ride through Palestine," at Wareham, next Tuesday evening.

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Rev. Joseph Kyte is a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Robert E. Whitman at Braintree. He is up from Maine on a business trip.

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Councilman William Gassett, Dr. Charles Monroe and Charles Cherrington of Atlantic have issued invitations for a private dance to be given in Poland's hall, Norfolk Downs, next week.

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The Daughters of the Revolution are to observe Washington's birthday on Thursday, by a meeting at the Old South Meeting house, Boston, at two o'clock. An enjoyable programme has been arranged.

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The Old Maids whist club was entertained at the home of Miss Louise Carver at Braintree on Tuesday evening. The winner was Miss Helen Foss.

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It is with great rejoicing that the announcement is made o a dance to be given in Music hall, Atlantic, by the Pilgrim Fathers. If this party proves successful there is a promise of another, and there is no reason why the demand for tickets should not be large.

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The members of the Massasoit whist club of Braintree met last evening at the home of Ellis Dyer on Hancock street.

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Mrs. Rebecca Usher, mother of Mrs. Tanner of Spear street and Mr. Sylvester Miller of Bigelow street observed her 84th birthday anniversary on Friday afternoon. About twenty-five relatives and friends called to congratulate her on reaching another milestone in her life's journey. Mrs. Usher enjoys the best of health, is bright and happy and does not seem a day over seventy-five. She received gifts of cut flowers, pots of flowering plants, a birthday cake and many other remembrances. An original poem by Mrs. Kingman was read.

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Mrs. Joseph L. Whiton and little granddaughter are to join Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Whiton at Pinehurst, N. C., and spend March there. Mr. Whiton will go as far as New Jersey with the travelers.

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Miss Alice Coburn of Brockton is the guest of Quincy friends.

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The great Mardi Gras carnival at New Orleans is expected to be unusually gorgeous this year as preparations are being made for the festival with a view to excelling in brilliancy all previous efforts in the way of street pageantry. Several parties have been made up to leave Boston next week for New Orleans, the festival taking place on 27th and 28th.

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Miss May McDonald entertained the Moonlight Whist club on Wednesday evening.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Julia Barrett and Mr. Charles White, both of East Weymouth.

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Mrs. Blanchard, wife of our new resident of Presidents hill is an excellent water color artist, painting almost entirely from nature. Mr. Blanchard has a taste for outdoor interests and is planning the improvement of the grounds about his home. As soon as spring arrives he will set out shrubs and start flower beds which will further entrance the beauty of the hill.

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Mr. Lucius Lawton and son, Mr. Herbert Lawton, of Presidents hill, have just returned from a fortnight's shooting at Fayetteville, N. H. They found the climate and region very desirable as a place for rest and recuperation.

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Gentlemen's night of the N. E. Woman's Press club will be held at the Vendome, Boston, on Wednesday evening, Feb. 21.

Mrs. John Benson a former resident at the point, but now of Ridge Hill, Marshfield, has been in town this week visiting old friends.

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Dr. William Everett is to preach tomorrow at the First Parish church, Milton.

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The annual banquet of the Braintree Literary club will be held in Pythian Hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 21.

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The Hull Beacon this week has on its first page a fine portrait of Mr. Charles A. Howland, president and treasurer of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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The Firemen's ball will be one of the events of the coming week. It is always largely attended.

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Hon. Charles Francis Adams in writing Mrs. W. T. Babcock about her mother's book "Recollections of a New England Town," says: "The writer has a true literary aptitude. As a rule people fail to realize it but the gift of expression is bestowed on man and woman much as an ear for music, or an eye for color or form. If nature failed to give it, you cannot get—it is a thing withheld. * * * For a book of the kind, an unpretentious reminiscence of an ordinary New England community, the book is admirably done. The part that appealed to me most was that containing the family chronicles of the Browns and the Plumbs. It has the true flavor of the New England soil and to Mary Jane Wilkins it would have afforded masterial for half a dozen tales. We have no record of the kind in Quincy. No one any longer remembers the Quincy anterior to 1845. It has far more individual and interesting than Meriden."

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The engagement is announced of Mr. Parker Hobart of South Braintree to Miss Ethel M. Gage of Braintree.

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Mrs. Charles R. Sherman and sister of Wollaston attended the Founder's Day exercises at Dean academy, Franklin on Friday as the guest of Miss Marion Sherman the popular teacher of elocution at the academy.

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Mayor John O. Hall made a brief visit this week to his neice Mrs. F. E. Burbanks of Sharon.

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Miss Elsie Murray of Easton is the guest of relatives in this city.

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Mrs. John Shaw gave a theatre party this afternoon at the Hollis street theatre, Boston, in honor of Mrs. Ella (Eaton) Skinner of Chicago

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The engagement is announced of Miss Margaret A. Durant of Hingham and Mr. Henry F. Delorey of Quincy.

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Miss Nellie A. Alger of Norwell spent Saturday and Sunday in Quincy, the guest of friends.

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The Ivaloo whist club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. H. Hobart, Washington street, Braintree.

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Miss Elizabeth Loring Potter who made her home at the Greenleaf a few years ago leaves this week for a visit to Washington, D. C.

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Mr. and Mrs. William H. Smith visited friends in Rockland the first of the week.

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Miss Garland Mischler has been visiting friends at Holbrook.

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Mrs. Eben Prescott of Braintree spent Friday at Dean Academy, Franklin, with her brother, Prof. L. W. Arnold, it being Founder's day.

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Grand Concert.

GIVEN by the Combined Boy Choirs of Christ Church, Quincy, and St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, for the Choir Boys' Camp Fund.

Sir John Stainer's Famous Cantata,
"THE DAUGHTER OF JAIRUS"

And a Miscellaneous Programme will be rendered. Mr. E. Landis Snyder, Director.

Soloists: MR. SILAS R. MILLS, Basso, of Smith College, Northampton, Mass., and MR. A. W. FERGUSON, Tenor, of Boston, Mass.

MUSIC HALL, QUINCY, MASS.,
TUESDAY EVENING,
February 27, 1900, at 8 o'clock.
TICKETS, 35 CENTS.
Feb. 5-11t o-2w

STATE HIGHWAY NOT WANTED.

A Vigorous Movement by Prominent Ward Two Gentlemen to Have Washington Street Released.



EX-COUNCILMAN H. M. FEDERHEN,
The Leading Petitioner for Release.

The Committee on Streets of the City Council gave a public hearing Friday evening in the Council chamber, on the petition of the residents of Ward Two, that the State Highway Commission be requested to release to the city any rights they may have obtained over Washington street.

Chairman Poland of the Committee presided and there was a good attendance of citizens.

Herbert M. Federhen said if he understood the matter aright the State Highway Commission took the street sometime in the spring of 1898. He did not know what consideration the City Council gave it, or whether any one appeared for or against it. He was sure the people of that district understood that the proposition was, that a State highway should be made of the whole street. He was surprised to hear that the city had surrendered a small portion of the street. Why the people should have been set off he did not know, but it seemed to have been left in the hands of everybody or nobody. For nearly two years it has been in the commission. The law says that after giving the city a right to build the road, if within thirty days it is not accepted, the commission shall advertise for bids and go ahead and do the work.

The street has been a mud hole since it went out of the hands of the city. Nothing has been done except to build an under drain. Never was it in a more wretched condition than today. He did not know where the blame lay. Last year he was informed by the Mayor and City Solicitor, that as the State Highway Commmission had taken possession it was beyond the power of the City to lay out any more money on it. He had been told the cause of the delay was matters effecting the street before the City Council, and until settled no work would be done.

We, in this portion of the city, are in a position where we can not come to the proper body and ask that it be done to which we are entitled. Before the Commission took the street, he had in front of his house a paved gutter, sidewalk, edgestones and a granite culvert. These have been taken away and not one dollar has been expended by the Highway Commission.

He had no doubt he represented the opinion of every abutter on both sides of the street, when he said we do not wish to be left outside and placed in the hands of a Commisssion, but wish to have the street taken back, so that we can come to the City Council and ask that our wants be attended to. He believed it poor policy to turn over any small piece of public road. If the State was taking the whole street for a boulevard it might receive favorable consideration, but to surrender a small section would be as wise for a man who owned a house lot to sell a foot across his street front. They only take the street to the outer edge of the sidewalk; they do not build a permanent road the whole width. We also surrender all rights to do anything on the street except by permission of the commission.

Ex-Representative T. H. Newcomb could endorse all Mr. Federhen had said. It was against the wish of the abutters to give up the street. The object of the act creating the commissions was to benefit country towns where they had no money to build the roads. He believed it poor policy to have the Highway Commission take it. We surrender everything. We have no right to change a pole and cannot build a sewer, or change a water pipe without permission. It was wrong to be subject to that condition.

There was much dissatisfaction with the way the Highway Commission build streets. They would not have the street railway located in the centre of the street where it belongs, for it was dangerous on the side. The manager of the Quincy & Boston had appeared before the Commission and said: As for the railroad he did not care where the tracks were located but as a citizen it should be in the centre. A double track on the side would only give twenty-one feet of travelled road. He did not believe the City Council would antagonize one section so as to have them remain in the hands of a Commission against their wishes. This street was re-built nine years ago and nothing has been done to it since. If the city had done as it should and keep the street in repair every year it would be in good condition now.

In reply to a question by Henry H. Faxon, Mr. Federhen said a petition from the Mayor and City Council would result in the release of the street.

In reply to Councilman Bryant he said he understood the Commission would build sixteen feet wide and then tapered off with less substantial material.

Henry H. Faxon said if they only build 16 feet it would be necessary to put the railroad on the side. He should like to ask Commissioner Knowlton the cost to resurface the street.

That gentleman however had made no estimate.

Mr. Federhen—If $10,000 constructed a good road the whole length five years ago Mr. Faxon could readily figure it out.

Mr. Faxon thought we should be careful how we expended money. We are getting into deep water. He did not think it could be resurfaced for $10,000 the whole length.

Ex-Councilman J. Q. A. Field said he undertood when he signed the original petition that the whole street was to be taken. After looking into the matter he was sorry he had signed. There never should be two authorities in a city on one way. The street could be resurfaced the whole length for $5,000. Our heavy stone teams keep the top edges of the stones smoothed off. The intent of the law was to take the work from the County Commissioners and let the State help these back towns He believed they should leave us out and he thought they would be glad to do it. They want abbuters to sign off for any damages to property. He would not do it.

Mr. Faxon—It makes me laugh to hear him tell about the stone teams doing the streets any good. The street could not be resurfaced for $10,000.

Mr. Federhen asked if Mr. Faxon favored or opposed, to which the latter gentlemen replied he came to get information.

John R. Grabam appeared as a citizen. He was satisfied from what he had heard and seen that we do not want to give up any part of our streets. Where it has been done the towns would like to get them back. We do not care to have signs posted reading "Drive in the Middle of the street."

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THE CHILD'S HEART.

The heart of a child,
Like the heart of a flower,
Has a smile for the sun
And a tear for the shower.
Oh, innocent hours,
With wonder beguiled!
Oh, heart like a flower's
In the heart of a child!

The heart of a child,
Like the heart of a bird,
With raptures of music
Is flooded and stirred.
Oh, songs without words!
Oh, melodies wild!
Oh, heart like a bird's
In the heart of a child!

The heart of a child,
Like the heart of the spring,
Is full of the hope
Of what summer shall bring.
Oh, glory of things
In a world undefiled!
Oh, heart like the spring's
In the heart of a child!

—Arthur Austin-Jackson in London Speaker.

HELEN DACY'S LUNATIC.

A Story of a Young Girl's Visit to an Insane Asylum

Helen Dacy went to Elgin not because she was insane, but because she had a second cousin who was. Elgin is a beautiful town, but its street car service is not good, and Helen walked through the village up to the pleasant park with which the state has surrounded the asylum for the insane. It is a walk of considerable length from the gate of the grounds to the building, and Helen was to encounter a melancholy sight. As she went along the serpentine path a procession came toward her. There must have been a hundred men in it, and they moved slowly, and most of them walked with bowed heads. Their feet appeared to press the earth heavily. At first Helen thought it must be a funeral procession, but a moment later she perceived that it was something more distressing. It was the walk of those who had survived their own death. In other words, it was a body of insane patients exercising the bodies that held their perished minds. Helen shrank aside and stood fascinated while they passed her. Some of them looked at her curiously or with lack luster gaze or wistfully. A sudden appreciation of her own youth and health and sanity came over her and made her all the more pitiful toward these unfortunates.

The procession had passed, and she was about resuming her way to the hospital when one of the men quitted the ranks and walked hurriedly toward her. None of the rest looked around. The attendants had not noticed his desertion, and his steps on the sward made no sound. He came with a rapid, gliding step toward Helen, showing his teeth in a broad smile. Helen decided that, however impertinent his intentions might be, at least he was in good humor. This was consoling, but it did not keep her hands from turning cold with nervous dread.

As he approached he lifted his hat with a courtly air. It was evident that the poor wretch had once been a gentleman, but even the most gentlemanly of lunatics was not a companion to choose, and Helen moved behind a low lilac bush. She felt that she was white and that her eyes were wide stretched, but she tried not to show her alarm. Confidence, she had always heard, was needed in dealing with the insane. The man moved more cautiously and fixed an undeviating gaze upon Helen.

"Madam," said the man in a particularly quiet voice, "it is a pleasant morning."

Something in the words suggested a scene in "Hamlet" to Helen, and she bethought herself of an experiment. She would soon determine whether or not the man had a gleam of reason.

"Is it?" she asked, turning her eyes to the sky. "Why, indeed, I thought it was raining!"

The man had a look in his face akin to pity. "Perhaps you are right," he replied gently. "It may be raining. It is not always possible for me to tell except when I see people carrying their umbrellas."

"Sensory nerves are quite obtuse," thought Helen. "I have heard that it is common with degenerates." The man moved a little nearer, and Helen ventured to go still farther around the lilac bush. He stopped still, and they faced each other over the low shrubbery. What an agreeable looking creature he was, with his soft brown eyes, his long, delicate face and his high brow! He looked as if he might have been intended for a poet. Probably he had been, but had gone one step further. Helen had not read Lombroso for nothing.

"Do you ever write poetry?" she asked, with genuine curiosity.

The man blushed. Helen had not dreamed a lunatic would blush.

"When I found a fitting subject," he confessed.

"Ah! And what should you consider a fitting subject?"

"Why—you!" The words came out explosively. They did not seem to be meant for a compliment. The man spoke pathetically. It seemed as if there were tears in his eyes. Helen answered as if he were a child:

"Do I seem so sad to you?" she asked. "Does it make the tears come in your eyes to look at me, poor man?"

"Indeed it does," he replied quite simply. "I think you are the saddest thing I ever saw."

"I wouldn't die for anything," she explained. "I like to live. I find plenty of things to laugh at." And to convince his wandering wits that this was the truth she broke into a merry laugh, which astonished the melancholy spirit of the place.

"If I give you my hand," said the man kindly, "will you not walk back with me to the house?"

To take his hand, to let him get a hold upon her—it was ghastly! He moved toward her. There seemed nothing for it but to run, and run she did, speeding over the soft lawn with a rapidity that astonished herself. She could hear him calling to her, but she sped on till finally a hysterical impulse, born of her fright and fatigue, took hold of her. She began to laugh again, and the musical, half weeping laughter floated behind her as she fled. Then, breathless, she stumbled in a ground mole's tunnel and fell flat. A second later two arms were about her, and she was lifted to her feet. She faced the lunatic. They were of a height, and they stood looking at each other, both of them pale and trembling, his arm still supporting her.

"Poor child," he murmured. "How sorry I am that I frightened you. Perhaps I ought not to have run after you. But I was afraid you would leave the grounds and come to some harm."

She would have liked to have explained to him that one need not come to harm outside of their grounds, but perhaps it was as well that she thought otherwise. She would tell him the truth about herself. Perhaps he would understand. Ah, what a pity that such an engaging face should hide a ruined mind!

"You must try to understand," she said slowly, "that I do not live here in the—the building, you know. I came to visit a relative who is here. It seems a pleasant place. Have you been here long?"

"My dear young lady," cried he, "I am also a visitor. I also came to visit an acquaintance, with whom I was walking a moment since. I approached you to ask if you knew when the next train went to town, but when I addressed you I judged from your reply that you were one of the inmates."

Helen sank gently down on the grass.

"I think I must rest a moment," she said. "I—I am much surprised!" Her tone indicated something more than surprise. It confessed to a great relief. She paid her visit to the asylum, and she and Victor Law, her lunatic, went back on the same train together. To both of them the afternoon seemed the most interesting of their lives.

"Why were there tears in your eyes," she asked before they parted, "when you talked with me at first?"

"Why, it seemed to me that I had never encountered anything so bad as a shattered mind beyond eyes so—please pardon me—so beautiful as yours. I know I am rude, but I must speak the truth. If you had been mad, I should have remembered you with sorrow all the days of my life."

"Being sane, I suppose you will forget me?"

But she knew well that he would not give himself the opportunity. She was quite certain that she should see him often. It would have been a grotesque anticlimax not to have met again after that afternoon.—St. Louis Star.

Violinist's Revenge on Flood.

The incident of Senor de Reszke refusing a check insultingly offered him by Baron Rothschild after De Reszke had sung by request in the baron's drawing room recalls an incident that happened a good many years ago in the house that Bonanza King Flood occupied on Eddy street, San Francisco, before he built that gloomy pile on Nob hill. He had invited a celebrated visiting violinist to dinner, and there were a great many other guests. After dinner the violinist, much to his surprise, was asked if he would not "play something." He said he had not brought his violin with him. But Flood would not take that hint and insisted on sending to the maestro's hotel for the violin and did send, and the owner played on it and responded to two or three encores. When he had done, he laid aside the violin, put his hand into his pocket, drew forth a 25 cent piece, threw it on the piano and said: "Now, Mr. Flood, every man to his trade. Mix me a cocktail."—Stockton (Cal.) Mail.

Suspicious of the Water.

"Some years ago a certain bishop of one of the states south of Mason and Dixon's line," said a southern gentleman, "was visiting some friends of mine in Alabama whom, for convenience sake, I will call the Smiths. The bishop, returning from a walk, found the family cat swimming around in and vainly trying to get out of the barrel from which the drinking water was drawn.

"After rescuing pussy the bishop entered the house and, finding Mr. and Mrs. Smith in the sitting room, mentioned the circumstance, whereat the head of the house became somewhat excited and went out, so he said, to have the water butt changed. Mrs. Smith, however, merely remarked: 'Dear little kitty, she often does that. I only hope the poor thing hasn't cold.'

"The bishop during the balance of his stay regarded the water served at table with an eye of grave suspicion."—New York Tribune.

Irish Wit.

Two navvies, ill clad, dirt covered, rain soaked, got possession of a heavenly nook between two high stone walls while an extra heavy sleet shower prevailed. They had "hunkered" low and were watching the smoke wreaths mount from their pipes. "I'm toul," said one of them, breaking a reverie, "I'm toul, Jamie, that the king of Jarminy niver smokes." Both regarded the wreaths again for a minute in silence. "Poor man! I wouldn't like to be him, Larry; would you?"

Betty Haran of Thrummon was a very pious old Methodist. Father Dan often dropped into Betty's for a gossip. "Betty," said Father Dan, "I always find you stuck in your Bible. Now, tell me truly, do you understand it all?" "Of course I do," indignantly. "Well, well. I've been studying it all my life, and I don't understand it all yet." "And if yer reverence is a blockhead do ye think every wan else like yerself?"—Saturday Evening Post.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 18—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—The sin of liquor selling. How end it! —Hab. ii, 1-15. (Quarterly temperance meeting.)

Habakkuk was one of the most graphic and pointed writers among the Hebrew prophets. He incidentally in this chapter describes the enormity of what we may call liquor selling today by using it figuratively to describe the havoc and devastation caused by the triumphant and conquering Chaldeans. The figure was pointed in his day, but today it may be reversed. The devastation of the Chaldeans may illustrate to us the enormity and cruelness of the liquor traffic, only that the latter is a thousandfold worse, and the woe of God pronounced upon the Chaldeans may be looked upon as God's woe upon those that give their neighbors strong drink and put the bottle to their lips.

The saloon is the most dangerous factor in American national life today. It is often an outlaw and the harborer of outlaws. It is a lawbreaker and an educator of lawbreakers. It ruins homes, hearts, lives and souls by selling to man that which robs him of reason and judgment.

How is this traffic to be ended? No one but God knows. When we face this gigantic evil, we feel like crying out, "How long, O Lord, how long?"

Two possible ways of ending liquor selling suggest themselves:

1. The manufacture and sale of all intoxicating liquors as a beverage could be prohibited by law and the law enforced. This would soon end liquor selling. Men could not sell what they did not have. Prohibition will prohibit if those who execute the laws are faithful to their vows. It has never had a fair trial, but wherever tried has been more of a success than most people imagine. Prohibition has come the nearest of any other solution offered to stop liquor selling and if it were a law in all our states would reduce liquor making and selling to a minimum. License is a failure. It neither reduces the amount made nor the amount sold, but simply increases the revenues of the few who secure licenses.

2. Men may be so educated that there will be no demand or sale for intoxicating drinks. This will also stop liquor selling. Do away with liquor buyers, and there will soon be no liquor sellers. This is the distinctive work of the church and of Christian Endeavor. The church is not a political machine, but a school for education and training. The task seems hopeless, but "all things are possible with God." Liquor selling will never cease until liquor drinking ceases or until the public conscience is so aroused against this gigantic curse and evil that its extermination shall be demanded. Public sentiment makes laws and enforces laws. In this campaign the church should take the lead. It should teach the young the enormity of the drink evil. It should earnestly strive by the power of the gospel to reclaim the lost and by every means should try to arouse the sleeping consciences of men against this evil and create such a strong public sentiment against it that the saloon will have to go.

THE PRAYER MEETING.

Let the good citizenship committee have charge of this meeting. Get a temperance speaker, if possible, to deliver an address. If not, have brief addresses: (1) "The Open Saloon," (2) "The Licensed Saloon," (3) "The Prohibited Saloon," (4) "Education and the Saloon."

Bible Readings.—Ex. xx, 13; Lev. x, 8, 9; Num. vi, 1-14; Judg. xiii, 1-14; Prov. xx, 1; xxiii, 29-32; Math. xviii, 7; xxvi, 41; Luke i, 13-15; Rom. xiv, 7-23; I Cor. iii, 16, 17; vi, 10; Gal. v, 19-26.

Duty Measured by Ability.

We all come short of our duty in one way or another. Some come very far short of their duty; others, however, not as far as we might think or as they perhaps think, for let it not be forgotten that duty is measured by ability. No one is held responsible for what he is not able to do. The ought does not attach to the impossible. No one ought to do what he cannot do, but every one ought to do what he is able to do in and for the kingdom of our Lord. The standard of duty is consequently as various as individuals are various. Ability is the measure. — Reform Church Messenger.

The Danger of Going Too Far.

Overdoing is undoing. A cake burned to a crisp is as much a failure as a cake half baked. An audience wearied, confused and vexed with too many points in a sermon or too many addresses at an anniversary is an audience hindered instead of helped. It is a great faculty to "make things go," but one of the ways to do it is to stop before going too far.—Churchman.

Need Careful Study.

Though I am an old doctor of divinity, to this day I have not got beyond the children's learning, the Ten Commandments, the Creed and the Lord's Prayer, and these I understand not so well as I should, though I study them daily, praying with my son John and my daughter Magdalen.—Martin Luther.

God Gives Power.

Consecration is not the act of our feelings, but of our will. Do not try to feel anything. God is working in you to will, whether you feel it or not. He is giving you power at this moment to will and to do His good pleasure. Believe this and act upon it.—Meyer.

Advance Fearlessly and Bravely.

If you trust in God and yourself, you can surmount any obstacle. Do not yield to restless anxiety. One must not always be asking what may happen to one in life, but he must advance fearlessly and bravely.—Prince Bismarck.

FINANCE BILL IN THE HOUSE.

Motion to Agree to a Conference Is Carried. Breezy Discussion Over Pensions.

Washington, Feb. 17.—At the opening session of the house yesterday the secretary of the senate announced to the former body the passage of the currency bill by the senate, and the statement was received with great applause. Mr. Overstreet proposed disagreement with the senate amendments, and that the house agree to a conference, which motion was carried.

Most of the time of the house, beyond that occupied in the discussion of the civil service law, was devoted to attacks upon the speech made by Mr. Sims (Dem., Tenn.) on Wednesday, in which he furnished some figures of the pension office, giving the number of applications for pensions filed by soldiers of the volunteer regiments engaged in the Spanish war, to show that the northern soldiers were much more clamorous in that regard than the southerners, and attributed this to the debauching of public sentiment in the north on the pension question. Mr. Pearre (Rep., Md.) raised the storm by a reference to the figures, and seized the opportunity to repeat the remarks of Mr. Sims against the Massachusetts Ninth regiment, the members of which, he said, are clamoring for pensions, but who never smelled powder during the Spanish war. To this Mr. Fitzgerald (Dem., Mass.) made a vigorous reply, defending the record of the Bay State soldiers, and recounting some of their achievements. Mr. Gillett (Rep., Mass.) also spoke of the good service of the Second Massachusetts regiment in Cuba. Others defended the record of the soldiers from their several states, and considerable temper was displayed.

Consideration of the financial measure having been concluded, discussion of the Philippine question was resumed in the senate. Mr. McEnery strongly opposed the permanent acquisition of the islands and believed the United States ought to relinquish them as soon as the authority of this country had been asserted.

Mr. Stewart took a pronounced position in favor of the admission of the products of any of the island possessions of the United States free of duty.

The bill providing a form of government for the territory of Hawaii was read, but beyond that formality nothing was done with it.

Bay State Legislature

Boston, Feb. 17.—The house yesterday passed to be engrossed the bill to enable the Republicans to hold caucuses this spring.

Mr. Munroe presented a long list of remonstrants against the lease of the Boston and Albany railroad.

The house refused to suspend its rules to admit the petition that railroad and street railway companies be required to light their cars and stations sufficiently.

The rule was suspended to admit the appropriation of $5000 for the Lawrence textile school.

The committee on rules will report against passing any resolutions of confidence in Senator Hoar. This was decided upon at a conference of the committee held yesterday afternoon, and there was considerable discussion regarding the resolution. Mr. Mellen says there was no political motive on his part in introducing the resolutions, and that if the Republicans want to make political capital out of it they are welcome to all the credit they can get.

Police Officer Was Handy.

Boston, Feb. 17.—While Jacob Lehmann, a teacher of languages in the evening high school, was passing along the Beacon street mall on the Common last night he was dealt a heavy blow by a man who approached from behind him and felled him to the ground. While unconscious the robber secured Lehmann's gold watch. Reserve Officer Sayward chased and soon overtook the fleeing highwayman. He gave his name as George A. Smith. Lehmann was considerably bruised and cut.

Elopers Allowed to Sail Away.

Halifax, Feb. 17.—The police authorities here arrested Mrs. Annie Secord and Albert Venn on board the steamer Arawa, sailing for England. They were acting under instructions from Bradford, Ont., stating that Venn and Mrs. Secord had eloped, and authorizing their arrest, and the recovery of Mrs. Secord's two children, with their mother. The city recorder said that elopement did not appear to be a crime, and they were released and are now on the way to England.

Cuban Force to Be Reduced.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Secretary Root has determined to continue the policy begun by General Wood of reducing the force of United States troops in Cuba, and during the coming spring there will be a heavy reduction of the existing force, unless there should be some untoward change in the present highly satisfactory conditions there.

Would Disqualify Polygamists.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The house committee on election of president and vice president yesterday submitted a report in favor of a joint resolution for a constitutional amendment disqualifying polygamists for election as senators or representatives in congress and prohibiting polygamy and polygamous association between the sexes.

Met Death In the Soudan.

Williamstown, Mass., Feb. 17.—Word has been received here of the death of Nathan R. Harrington, Williams, '93, in the Soudan. He was leading a zoological expedition and was stricken with fever. He spent his summers at Woods Hole, Mass., in experimental work.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

A disturbance which developed over the east gulf states Thursday night has caused snow in the Atlantic coast states from southern Pennsylvania to Virginia, and thence over the Ohio valley and Tennessee. From southern Virginia over North Carolina rain has fallen. In New England snow will be followed Sunday by clearing and colder weather. Along the New England coast the winds will increase in force from the northeast. Storm signals are displayed on the coast from Brownsville, Tex., to Eastport, Me.



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A Genuine Success Under Direction of Roberts.

Pressure of Boers Toward Line of Supply a Disturbing Factor.

Indications That Rumors of Buller's Crossing the Tugela Are Unfounded.

London, Feb. 17.—General French with cavalry, horse artillery and mounted infantry has succeeded in entering the beleaguered town of Kimberley, which for more than four months has been closely invested by the Boers. It must not be too hastily assumed, however, that because this rapidly moving column has succeeded in entering the place the relief of the town is complete. French could hardly carry with him much food, and until such time as the way is open for regular supplies of provisions and the Boer army under Cronje has been reckoned with it would be well to think of the operation as a brilliant opening of the grand campaign in the west.

General Cronje, with a start of a day or two, is seemingly in full retreat from Lord Roberts, moving northward. General French, with the cavalry, simply stayed over night at Kimberley, and then pushed on to get in touch with the retiring enemy. A long Boer wagon train is moving toward Bloemfontein, followed, presumably, by a large force of British infantry. In their hasty departure the Boers lost quantities of supplies and ammunition.

Military opinion here is that Lord Roberts will not push far after the Boers immediately, because of transport problems, and the need of rest for the troops. He has to feed 70,000 persons in his army and the whole Kimberley population. He must rebuild the railway from Modder river to Kimberley and revictual the latter.

General French lost a few men only in action, but the forced marches and heat have probably made many ill. Numbers of remounts must be provided.

Lord Roberts has wrought a genuine preliminary success, and the impression is that he has done enough for the present. He will need to prepare for another strike.

All over England there have been evidences of public joy. In every theatre and public meeting, around the railway stations and in the streets there have been expressions of gladness and jubilation over the news. The newspapers are editorially rejoicing.

Those who read the news closely see only one disturbing factor in the Cape situation, and that is the pressure of the Boers toward Lord Roberts' line of supply through De Aar, which was never more important than now. The Boers under Commandants Delaroy and Grobler are making a persistent effort to penetrate to the railway. They have pushed General Clements back to Arundel and have outflanked him. All are within 60 miles, or two days' hard march, of the Central railway. Doubtless Lord Roberts has left considerable forces along the line and can send more back if necessary.

In the lobbies of the house last evening, it was rumored that General Buller had again crossed the Tugela. A special dispatch, dated two days back and just transmitted from Chievely, says that an important move was then pending there, although contrary indications are found in the fact that 750 ambulance bearers hav been temporarily disbanded, and the further fact that traction engines are arriving at Durban from the front, to be sent to Lord Roberts.

More artillery is being sent to Lord Roberts from Cape Town.

Spenser Wilkinson, discussing the military situation in The Morning Post, says: It may be necessary to wait a day or two in order to fill in the details of the first act of Lord Roberts' operations. Interest now centres in the attempt of the Boers to retreat, or, failing that, in the attempt to pursue them. General Cronje has probably chosen to retreat, which, if successful would take him across the Vaal river. The purpose of Lord Roberts' strategy undoubtedly was to surround General Cronje's forces, and to cut off his retreat. A few days will clear up the fate of the Boer commander.

The house of commons passed the supplementary army estimates, £13,000,000, by 213 votes, against 32.

To Speak For Anti-Imperialists.

Boston, Feb. 17.—Erving Winslow, secretary of the New England Anti-Imperialist league, announces that: "E. Spencer Pratt, who arranged for Aguinaldo to join Dewey, and who testifies that Aguinaldo's claim for independence as a condition of his alliance was then understood, has engaged to give his testimony at a meeting in Boston, March 3."

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THE PUGILISTIC ARENA.

Three Interesting Bouts Between Boxers of Greater or Less Degree.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Joe Choynski was given the decision over Peter Maher in a six-round contest here last night. The Californian evidently had not forgotten his former defeat at the hands of the Irishman, for throughout the fight he took but few chances, contenting himself with jolting Peter with his left, a task which he found comparatively easy. In the last two rounds of the fight Maher, maddened by the sting of Choynski's left glove, rushed furiously, but was almost invariably straightened up, and during the closing minute of the last round was so badly punished that he was staggering as the bell rang.

New York, Feb. 17.—At the Broadway Athletic club last night "Mattie" Matthews for the second time within three weeks whipped "Kid" McPartland. Both boxers belong to this city. Last night McPartland showed up in splendid shape, and Matthews did not get the better of him until the early part of the 17th round, when the referee stopped the bout, as McPartland was almost knocked insensible.

Baltimore, Feb. 17.—Dick Moore and Tommy West were booked to go 20 rounds at 130 pounds here last night, but referee White gave West the decision on a foul in the fourth round. It was a clinching and slugging match from start to finish, both men evincing no end of bad blood.

Nothing More For Princess of Teck.

London, Feb. 17.—The will of the late Duke of Westminster was filed yesterday. It shows a gross estate valued at £594,229. This does not include the enormous entailed landed property. The widow will get the residuary estate after the various bequests. To his old servants the duke left annuities. The Princess of Teck, whose marriage portion was £75,000, receives nothing in addition under the will. The bequests to the daughters vary from £25,000 to £40,000. The sons receive life annuities of £3000 and £50,000 each.

Spreading Socialistic Doctrine.

Milford, Mass., Feb. 17.—Representative Carey of Haverhill spoke to 500 workingmen here last evening upon "The Solution of the Labor Question." He urged his hearers to unite, saying that in union they could stand against what he called their common enemy—the trusts—who are trying to bring about industrial ruination. The result of the meeting was the organization of a branch of the social Democracy.

Chaplain Wells' Statement Refuted.

Minneapolis, Feb. 17.—Fred L. Gregory denies the statement of Chaplain Wells of the First Tennessee regiment that since American occupation there were 400 more saloons in Manila than under Spanish rule. Gregory, who was inspector of the license department at Manila, declares that there are now fewer saloons, owing to the strictness with which they are made to pay licenses.

Illegal Practice of Medicine.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 17.—On charges of practising medicine without a license and of manslaughter, Henry D. Clarke was found guilty in the first instance and not guilty in the second, a fine of $150 being imposed by Judge McDonough for illegally practising medicine. Clarke was arrested as a result of the death of Michael Murphy, one of his patients, whom he had treated for hernia.

Ice In Kennebec Threatens Danger.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 17.—The great body of ice above Bangor, between Veazie and Orono, was broken up yesterday by the freshet resulting from the storm of Tuesday and went over the Public Works company's dam at Veazie. The damage is considerable. The danger now lies in the forming of anchor ice which will plug the river channel and play havoc with the mills above the city.

A Woman's Revenge.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 17.—State Senator Bradley was slightly wounded at Raymond yesterday by Mrs. Ida Bolls, who alleges that Bradley failed to keep a promise to marry her. Bradley was at dinner in a hotel when the woman entered and fired, the bullet entering the back of the neck. Mrs. Bolls then attempted to commit suicide, but was prevented.

Cox Covered 545 Miles.

St. Louis, Feb. 17.—Thomas Cox of New York dashed across the finishing line at 10:30 o'clock last night the winner of the six-day go-as-you-please race at Clark's natatorium. Score for six days: Cox, 545 miles; Day, 540; Barnes, 539; Campana, 450; Graham, 420; Dean, 418; Hegelman, 412; Hart, 390; Glick, 385 miles.

Repudiated by State Department.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Relative to the allusion in the Spanish cortes to alleged correspondence between the Spanish government and the United States through Lieutenant Sobral, the Spanish naval attache, prior to the war, it is said at the state department that there was no such correspondence.

Denial of Marriage Engagement.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—The report published in the United States that the newspapers here have announced that Mme. Melba, the Australian prima donna, is engaged to marry Dr. Joseph Joachim, the violin virtuoso, is absolutely baseless. Dr. Joachim recently lost his wife and is himself a feeble septuagenarian.

Distinguished Soldier Dead.

Harrisburg, Feb. 17.—General E. C. Williams, who served with distinction in the Mexican and Civil wars, and had the honor of raising the flag on the citadels of Chapultepec and the City of Mexico, died yesterday at his home in Chapman, after a long illness, aged 88 years.

IN THE DEATH HOUSE.

Molineux Taken to Sing Sing Immediately After Being Sentenced.

Condemned Man Makes a Speech to the Court.

Denounces Osborne and Says Yellow Journalism Placed a Price Upon His Head.

New York, Feb. 17.—There have been many dramatic incidents connected with the trial of Roland B. Molineux for the murder of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams, but none more dramatic than the reply of the prisoner yesterday when he appeared before Recorder Goff for sentence to death in the electric chair.

Heretofore, though entering a plea of not guilty at the beginning of the trial, Molineux has always declined to say one word in his own defense even when the character of his wife was attacked by witnesses and by Assistant District Attorney Osborne, but yesterday, when the conventional legal question of whether there was any reason why sentence should not be pronounced upon him was asked by the recorder, the prisoner defended his wife and referred to the action of the assistant district attorney as that of a "blackguard." Molineux's statement was brief, and soon after he made it he hurried out of the courtroom through a throng of thousands of cheering people to the Grand Central depot and thence on a New York Central train to Sing Sing, where he now rests in one of the new cages in the death house in the state prison there.

When the young man commenced his address to the court the recorder, with a motion of the hand, waved him aside and asked, "Is this by advice of counsel?" The counsel for the defense replied that it was the request of the defendant, and that he believed it was his right. The recorder then announced that he would permit the prisoner to address the court, although it was an unusual thing to do.

Molineux declared that of the crime for which he stood convicted he was absolutely and entirely innocent. "All of the evidence produced here," he said, "does not point in the direction of any guilt on my part. I refer especially to the evidence of Miss Miller in regard to the purchase of that silver bottle-holder. She did not sell it to me. Also to the evidence of Mr. Koch respecting the letter box hired by somebody in the name of Harry Cornish. It was not hired by me. Nor did I possess at any time any of the instruments which appear to have been used in this crime, and I never for one moment had a murderous motive.

"As for the theories which the prosecution offers, I do not think I should be convicted upon their suppositions or the guesses they may wish to indulge in. I cannot conceive, your honor, how any honest man can believe the testimony of Nicholas Heckman, who convicted me upon an identification which was for sale. Yellow journals put a price upon my head. It was an invitation to every blackmailer, every perjurer, every rogue, every man without principle, but with a price, and to that invitation Mr. Heckman responded. The handwriting experts, who have testified against me, your honor, may give their opinion, they may give their reasons, what they believe, what they think, but I know that these hands never put pen to paper to address that poison package or to write the disputed letters.

"Your honor will not permit us to make mention of the great injustice which is a matter of history, but experts in handwriting have made mistakes before and they have repeated it here. Your honor, all this is nothing to what is in my heart at this moment. Above and beyond everything else I denounce and despise the action of the district attorney in attempting to vilify and attack the character of the pure and lovely woman who bears my name. It was the act of a blackguard. It was a damnable lie. Now, your honor, I am prepared to hear you sentence me. I am not afraid, because I am not guilty."

Then the recorder made a brief reply and passed sentence upon the prisoner, condemning him to death in Sing Sing prison during the week of March 26 for the murder of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams.

All this happened after Mr. Weeks in behalf of the prisoner had made a motion for a new trial, based upon 10 different points of law. This motion was promptly denied by the recorder, who at once inquired whether the prisoner had anything to say in his own behalf before sentence of death was passed upon him.

When the New York Central train reached Sing Sing at 3:15 the party did not enter the warden's office at the penitentiary, but passed directly to Principal Keeper Connaughton's office. There they stopped for a moment while Molineux said farewell to his father, brother and Lawyer Battle. A hand-clasp, a word to each and Molineux started to follow his guards. As he did so he said: "Good-bye, governor." His father merely answered, "Good-bye, boy."

Upon his return to New York city last night, General E. L. Molineux issued a lengthy statement reviewing the case. He said that he wanted the prayers of all Christian people, but he would object to a fund being raised in his behalf as long as he had any money left to spend in efforts to obtain a new trial for his son. He condemned Mr. Osborne for his attack upon the wife of the prisoner, and said that in a recent statement the assistant district attorney had been quoted as saying that even General Molineux was conscious of the guilt of his son. In the statement General Molineux reiterates in the most emphatic manner his belief in the innocence of his son and the nobility of the character of his daughter-in-law.

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BUSINESS OF GOOD VOLUME.

Spring Trade Continues to Be of a Most Satisfactory Character—Large Export Trade.

New York, Feb. 17.—Bradstreet's says: Satisfactory advices as to expanding spring trade in drygoods and kindred lines come from a number of markets. That the aggregate business of the country is of good volume otherwise is, however, indicated by detailed reports of increases in trade as compared with last year, confirmed by satisfactory railroad earnings' reports, by fair gains in bank clearings and by reports of better demand for money in commercial channels.

Any review of trade would be incomplete which failed to take into account the interesting situation of our export trade. Notwithstanding the heavy shrinkage in shipments of agricultural products, notably breadstuffs, animals, provisions and cotton, there is an actual gain shown in the total of January exports over a year ago, and, in fact, over every preceding January recorded, due to largely increased shipments of American manufactured goods. Imports are steadily expanding, and improved buying power is indicated by the quantity of luxuries now arriving.

The foreign demand for iron and steel seems likely to have a most important effect upon prices of the domestic product. It is conceded that any important recession in values would be met by a heavily enlarged export movement. American pig iron prices are steadily held.

The strength of raw cotton, spot, reached nearly 9 cents at New York this week, is, of course, the leading feature in a speculative way. Despite heavy realizing and some irregularity the move has continued upward.

Woolen goods are meeting with a good order business, but raw wool is rather quieter, and some of the higher grades have been shaded at the east.

A better business is doing in leather at the east, while some shading in prices of hides is reported at western packing centres.

Some cutting of the list price for anthracite coal is reported, while bituminous grades are very firm and leading operators talk of further advance.

All the cereals are stronger on the week, due to improved statistical conditions, reiterated English damage reports and advices that the Argentine crop will not be as large as expected. Corn continues in excellent demand.

Important branches of business are hindered by labor troubles, of which the building trade strike at Chicago affects the greatest number of contracts for industrial products and the labor and wages of the greatest number of men.

Failures for the week number 199, as compared with 160 in this week a year ago, and 209 in 1898.

Death of Major Merrill.

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 17. — Major George S. Merrill died at his home in this city this morning after an illness of about four days from a complication of of stomach and liver complaints. Mr. Merrill was born in Methuen, Mass., March 10, 1837. He early took an interest in public affairs and became identified with the Republican party and had advocated its principles for more than 35 years. Nearly all of this period he was the editor and proprietor of the Lawrence Daily American. He had filled numerous official positions since 1861, when he was appointed postmaster. He assisted in raising company D, Fourth Massachusetts volunteers, and served with distinction in the Civil war.

Suicide of Prince Mura.

New York, Feb. 17.—Prince Mura, an acrobat, committed suicide last night at the Trafalgar hotel by inhaling gas. His wife died early in the week and since her death he had acted strangely. She was a singer and played the vaudeville circuits under the name of Julia West. Prince Mura ranked high as an acrobat and hand balancer.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	48	9	48	26
Monday,	48	39	5	51	27
Tuesday,	60	33	12	41	29
Wednesday,	38	37	30	48	40
Thursday,	45	45	30	43	44
Friday,	36	43	40	27	41
Saturday,	35	41	50	28	42

New Advertisements Today.

Hearing—State House.
Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners.
Sunlight Party—Quincy Music Hall.
Brooks & Ames—Choice Beef and Lamb.
Found—St. Bernard Dog.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ The British may win the war, but the Boers will always be the heroes of it.—Springfield Republican.

☞ At the next annual town meeting Canton will probably vote no license, the town having had an experience with the liquor traffic the past year that has brought reproach upon the place and disgrace to those engaged in the business. Judgment for $3000 was secured in the courts against one firm by a wife whose husband had been killed in a railroad accident after becoming intoxicated in one of the saloons, and the revolt against the license system is now most pronounced. —Hyde Park Gazette.

☞ At the Legislative hearing on the incorporation of the Marine Park Tower Company, a proposed South Boston institution, Tuesday, one of the big political guns of that section stated that he felt that the projectors were doing a philanthropic work. This might have gone down swimmingly had not one of the promoters popped up immediately afterward with the declaration that it would not be possible to incorporate a section in the bill that the tower should be started or partly built before the automobiles be run on the parks. This, he said, would not be a proper financial move, and he felt that the people who were putting their money into the scheme should be protected. How's that for philanthropy?—Lynn Item.

☞ The fact must be conceded that in the main the metropolitan press of this country is no longer a reflex of popular sentiment or a reliable advocate for common interest. The metropolitan press is losing its influence because it is eliminating its personality and because it is too often restrained by the censorship from expressing an honest opinion. The purposes that lie behind its utterances are too uncertain to command the respect or confidence of the public. The influence of the metropolitan press through its editorial columns is nearly gone. But the censorship of the American press by the trust power cannot be complete and it cannot be permanent. Providence is raising up the weak to confound the mighty.—William A. Spaulding.

K. of H. Smoker.

There was a good attendance at the smoke talk in Grand Army hall Friday night, held under the auspices of Merry Mount lodge, Knights of Honor. Purdy's band furnished music, a humorist the fun, and Grand Vice Dictator Murray, Grand Chaplain Jones and Deputy Grand Protector Holmes told of the growth of the order, the good work it was doing and the benefits to be derived from membership.

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THE GRANITE CUTTER. — AND — THE MANUFACTURER.

James Duncan, secretary of the National Granite Cutters Union, has sent to the press the following open letter.

"Relative to the action of the New England Granite Manufacturers' association at its annual meeting in Boston last Tuesday in which they tried to show to the public that a $3 wage rate for an eight-hour day by granite cutters is unreasonable they either forget or intentionally omitted to state that within the past few years they have been introducing improved machinery in the trade to such an extent that a few years ago as now on hand work from six to seven superficial feet per day was considered a good day's work for a journeyman to cut while with an improved surface dresser one man can now face as much as from 60 to 80 superficial feet in a day.

"This is not restricted to facing plain stone alone for in lettering light carving and the ornamental work usually performed upon cemetery work the pneumatic tool now in use in every monumental yard of consequence enable a granite cutter to turn out from two to three times as much work per day as he used to be capable of doing by hand.

"With these facts as fully at their command as it is possible for journeymen to know them, the manufacturers in their conference asserted that the trade would not stand an advance of a few cents per hour to the man who produces the monument or who cuts the stone for large buildings. In their way of stating it the manufacturers would have the public believe the journeymen are unreasonable in looking for improved conditions but with the facts before the public the latter will be enabled to see how absolutely unreasonable are the manufacturers in resisting the overtures of the journeyman for some of the benefits accruing to the workmen of the trade from the improved conditions their skill and handiwork have brought about.

"Three years' notice of the proposed change in the wage rate was given the employers by the journeymen's organization, and as the former cannot only concede the slight advance the men are looking for, but are in a position to reap increased profits, even at that rate, their unreasonable position in forcing a lockout upon the journeymen must be readily visible to all.

"In addition to this, at a recent meeting several of these manufacturers held in Boston, they agreed to send word to their agents throughout the United States that prices would be advanced after March 1, to cover the increase of wages the journeymen assumed, and there is not an agent or dealer throughout the United States who is supplied with monuments from the New England manufacturers but has had this information in his possession for some time and is at present figuring on that basis. The advance the manufacturers have scheduled to go into effect wherever they supply monuments is from 13 to 15 per cent. higher than the journeymen's advance of wages, so they have taken good care to protect themselves before the change of wages goes into effect, and not being satisfied with this advantage, they now try to beguile an indulgent public into the opinion they are the only simon pure honest men in the business.

"It should also be borne in mind that for the past 10 years every grievance that has directly or indirectly affected the granite trade of New England has been attributable to a different wage rate in different sections of New England. From time to time during those years manufacturers have complained that the journeymen were unfair in not recognizing a uniform scale of wages. In accordance with their complaints, the journeymen in the springtime of 1897 held a conference, the result of which submitted for approval to every branch of granite cutters in the United States of America, by which it was resolved to introduce in the springtime of 1900 a uniform wage rate for the New England states of $3 per day and an eight-hour work day. The employers for 10 years have insisted they were satisfied to pay any reasonable rate of wages, provided their competitors paid the same price, and the journeymen, acting on this suggestion, placed the wages at the above rate.

"This does not mean that every granite cutter shall be paid no more nor no less than $3. It means that $3 shall be the established wages for competent, skilled workmen. Those having extra skill to receive as much more as may be mutually agreed between employer and employe, and men not considered competent, skilled workmen, to be paid by piece work at a rate that would give a competent man $3 per day, if employed by the piece. Thus a practical rate has been established and applies alike to every employe, thereby eliminating the unfair competition the manufacturers complain of, and at the 11th hour, as it were the manufacturers find fault with

(Continued in next column.)

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

It must have furnished all practical granite workers considerable amusement to read the letter of Mr. James Duncan, Secretary of the Granite Cutters' National Union, which appeared in the "Boston Globe" of Feb. 15th in answer to the communication of the Granite Manufacturers' Association of New England, in which he accuses them of forgetting or intentionally omitting some very salient facts in connection with the present situation.

He then goes on to prove his case and his honesty by "forgetting" a few things himself.

It is quite true that the Manufacturers have introduced considerable machinery in the past few years, but it is not true that a Surfacing Machine will cut 60 or 80 feet per day. Forty to fifty feet per day is the largest amount a machine will cut under the most favorable circumstances. Mr. Duncan "forgot or intentionally omitted to state" that it takes from three to five stone cutters to rough off sufficient stone to keep a machine running, so that instead of one man cutting from sixty to eighty feet, it takes from four to six men including the man who works the machine to surface from forty to fifty feet.

Mr. Duncan also "forgot or intentionally omitted to state" that it cost from $3.00 to $4.00 per day to furnish compressed air to run a surfacing machine. It must have surprised Manufacturers to learn that they received two or three times as much work in the way of carving and lettering from a workman running a pneumatic tool, than could be done by hand. Manufacturers have been forced to be satisfied with an increase of 33 per cent. over the hand work. It is a well known fact that there is very little profit in running the pneumatic tool; the main advantage being in the better quality of work produced.

Mr. Duncan then speaks of a few cents increase per hour, a "slight advance," he called it, and when he must know that the price asked for will increase the cost of the finished product at least 33 per cent.

It is quite true that he notified the Granite Manufacturers' Association of New England of the increase asked for one year ago; and it is also true that the New England Association notified Mr. Duncan that the state of trade would not admit of so large an increase in cost but that they were willing to refer the whole question to arbitration. The gist of Mr. Duncan's reply was "give us all we ask for, and we will arbitrate the reminder."

Mr. Duncan's statement that the Manufacturers have made a schedule of prices which is from 13 per cent. to 15 per cent. higher than the journeymen's advance of wages, is a pure fabrication written with the intention of beguiling an indulgent public.

If the letter from Mr. Duncan is a specimen of his "simon pure" honesty, we may well expect some surprising statements from him before the trouble is settled.

James Milne.

Quincy, Feb. 16, 1900.

THE CUTTER.

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the arrangements made, and threaten in some districts of the New England states that a suspension of work will take place unless the uniform wage scale prepared three years ago is broken and a system of discrimination again introduced similar to that which they have been complaining about for the past 10 years.

"The members of the Granite Cutters National Union throughout New England believe they have acted fairly and honorably, and trust that better judgment on the part of the employers will prevail, and that the wage rate and hours of labor asked for by the producers in the trade will be recognized by every employer when the present wage scales now terminating have expired. (Signed) James Duncan,

"National Secretary Granite Cutters' National Union, 200 Summer street, Boston."

Special Act May Be Necessary.

The Massachusetts Highway Commission are reported as saying that Quincy is the first place where they have taken any street, that there has been any attempt later to have the street released. The matter is therefore, an entirely new one to them, and has been submitted to Attorney General Knowlton for an opinion. Just what opinion has been rendered is not known, although it is reported that the Highway Commission have no authority to release a street once taken by them, and that to do so would require a special act of the legislature.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

City Hall closed at 3 o'clock today.

Choice meats are a specialty at the Hancock market.

The joint committees on Streets and Legislative Matters will meet tonight.

There will be a four o'clock vesper service at First church on Sunday with special music.

It is rumored that Patrick J. McGluthergan of this city is contemplating leaving for South Africa the middle of next week to join the Bore army.

The members of Paul Revere Post and Paul Revere Woman's Relief Corps will attend the lecture by Col. Anderson at Berkeley Temple, Boston, Sunday morning.

Clan McDonald of Brockton held a social and dance last evening at the conclusion of the regular business of the evening. A large delegation from Quincy attended.

A supper and entertainment will be held in the vestry of the Universalist church next Wednesday evening. The laughable farce entitled "Poor Pillicody" will be given by the Weymouth Dramatic club.

Mrs. A. Peterson of granite street, who is in the employ of J. W. Fredericks at 125 Kingston street, Boston, had the misfortune a few days ago while at her work to swallow some pins. Her condition has been critical this week.

Members of the Hospital Aid Association are reminded that the next meeting will be held Friday February 23, at three o'clock, in Bethany chapel. The date is changed because of the holiday and a good attendance is desired.

The fire in the house of Charles W. Taylor Friday at Wollaston again demonstrates the need of an Inspector of Buildings. In examining the building after the fire it was found that the furnace pipe rested upon the wood work where the fire started and this was doubtless the cause of the fire.

The men of the Universalist society will serve a banquet at the vestry, Wednesday, March 7th. A superb menu is promised and several brilliant after dinner speakers are expected. Mr. H. Leonard Hewson is chairman of committee of arangements and has fourteen assistants on the committee. Rev. Merrill C. Ward will serve as toastmaster.

Potato Biscuit. Boil, peel and mash fine one quart of potatoes. Rub them into one quart of sifted flour and one teaspoonful of salt. Work in one teacup of lard, then add enough sweet milk to make a moderately stiff dough. Roll out to a quarter of an inch thick, cut into cakes and bake in a quick oven. Sprinkling sugar over the top is to many palates an improvement.

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With downcast look,
In class you are so meek.
When words are few,
And doubtful, you
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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 15, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that William F. Macy and J. P. Fitts have made application to this Board for license to build a pile wharf and dredge a channel in Quincy Bay, at Honghs Neck, in the city of Quincy, said wharf to begin at a point near the junction of Manet avenue and Babcock street, as per plans filed with said application; and WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of February, 1900, at 11 o'clock, A. M., and this office, have been assigned as the time and place for hearing all parties interested therein.

For the Board,
WOODWARD EMERY, Chairman.
Feb. 17. 2t-17-19

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 16, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 674, (petition of John O. Hall, Mayor) relative to appointment of assessors and assistant assessors in Quincy, at room No. 444, State House, on MONDAY, February 19th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

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Edward Knowlton, unable to walk without the aid of cruel iron braces he had worn for years—a few more treatments would cure him.

Mrs. Morris, given back her hearing. She had been deaf since girlhood.

Bessie Tilton relieved of a large goitre at the neck. She kissed the great healer's hand in the exuberance of her joy.

Robert Kidder, free use restored to helpless arm, crushed years ago in a railroad accident.

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CHURCH DEDICATION.

A Series of Meetings to be Held by Milton Baptists.

The East Milton Baptist church will be dedicated next Tuesday evening, Feb. 20. Praise service at 7 o'clock. Regular service at 7.15.

Dr. Nathan E. Wood, president of Newton Theological Seminary, will preach the dedicatory sermon. Dr. W. H. Eaton, secretary Massachusetts Baptist Convention, will offer the dedicatory prayer.

A special feature will be the music by the choir of Phillips church, Boston, (20 voices). Mr. Willis Clark of East Milton is the director, and William W. Chute is the organist.

On Wednesday evening, Feb. 21, there will be a fellowship service at 7.30, at which time the resident clergymen of Milton will give brief addresses on the following general theme. "What can be done to increase the efficiency of the Christian church in Milton?"

Rev. H. I. Huntington will speak on "Christian Unity."

Rev. Theodore Reese on the "Social Element in Church Life."

Rev. Rodderick Stebbins gives an address on "Individual Responsibility."

Rev. Andrew H. Mulnix will make a plea for "Increased Spirituality."

Rev. Nathan Bailey of Methuen will speak on Christian Beneficence.

The music at this service will be by the Dorchester Temple Male Quartette, and the public are cordially invited.

Other supplementary services in connection with this dedication will be as follows:

Sunday evening, Feb. 25, there will be a Sunday School rally. On this occasion there will be exercises by the children; special music by outside talent, and an address by Deacon O. M. Wentworth of Tremont temple, Boston.

On Wednesday evening, Feb. 28, there is to be a young people's rally, at which time there will be delegations of young people present from various Baptist churches in this vicinity.

There will be addresses on missions by Miss Ella D. McLaurin of Boston, and Miss Clara Cushman of Newton, recently a missionary from China. Both of these speakers are especially entertaining and instructive, and there will be special music.

A grand Junior Endeavor rally is planned for Sunday evening, March 5, the full programme of which will be announced later.

Today's Court.

John J. Daly, was arraigned for assault on William B. Patterson at Quincy. Case continued until Monday when a fine of $10 will be imposed.

Tendencies of Men.

At the regular weekly meeting of the City Band held at their rooms on Thursday evening, the subject was "The Moral and Economic Tendencies of Man" by Alexander Cow."

The history of man presents an unbroken record of strugling and striving for supremacy, and for the control of wealth and power, and we might add imperiousness, for history gives us many instances where power became the means of unnecessary domineering and cruelty.

An inmate selfishness and aggressive disposition makes of man a creature of ideas and actions, no matter, in what society or condition man finds himself his aim is to overcome and possess. His prey ranges from the reeking flesh of his fellow, to the highest gift of a civilized people. The loathsome cravings of the savage is different from the desires of an ambitious student of science, but the natural tendencies to overcome and possess are the same.

The essayist dwelt mostly on the economic side of the question, following out the idea of "he survival of the fittest." The tendency of economics being all in one direction, that of the betterment of mankind, and the unfolding of a higher civilization.

To the surprise of many he held that the so much condemned trust and department store were moving towards the same end. Although individual action and independence in all departments of civic life do not make for the truth and honor that exists among a people whose business and social success depends upon truth and exact methods. Business men may be looked upon suspiciously by the ordinary work a-day man, but, taken as a whole they have by the practice of strict business principals increased their respect for truth and honesty.

Truth and honesty are ever tending in an outward direction permeating other peoples, crystalizing in them, and again working inwards towards a centre, to be taken up and reduced to a system of economics for the benefit of the whole, thus, the tendency to centralize and economize intellectual force, tends to the building of a structure of high moral qualities.

At the close of the reading of the essay a very lively debate took place participated in by nearly every member.

Next week there will be a debate on the question of "The single tax," the affirmative by Alexander Souter and the negative by Alexander Cow.

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Dorcas Entertainment.

A well attended entertainment under the auspices of the Dorcas society was held in the Universalist vestry last evening. It consisted of piano solos by Miss Nash, which were well received. A song by the boys' quartette from the Washington school so pleased the audience that they were obliged to repeat it. Next Master Ilsley Dole sang a solo in very pure clear voice, which was encored.

The last part of the entertainment was the laughable farce, "Lend Me Five Shillings," presented by the following members of the Braintree Dramatic Club: George A. Arnold, John E. Arnold, M. A. Minchin, E. H. Cain, Robert J. Lang, Miss Edith Brett and Miss Coralyn W. Lang. It was a successful entertainment and enjoyed by all.

Boy Choir's Concert.

The concert to be given by the two boy choirs of Quincy under the direction of their choirmaster, Mr. E. Landis Snyder, promises to be one of the best musical treats Quincy has had for some time. Mr. Silas R. Mills, the bass soloist, to quote the New York Musical Courier, "is a gentleman and a singer of the greatest refinement and culture. Having studied with the elder Lamperti and with Mr. Shakespeare of London, besides a year in Germany in the school of Stockhausen, he is consequently a finely equipped teacher as well as church and concert singer. It is a pleasure to chronicle his success in Kansas City." The chorus will number sixty-five boys and men.

N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.

The report of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company for the quarter ending Dec. 31 shows gross earnings of $10,615,624.68, an increase of $1,250,498.01 over the corresponding quarter of 1898. Operating expenses were $7,003,287.63, an increase of $732,762.87. The net earnings from operation were $3,612,337,05, an increase of $517,735.14. Income from other sources than operation decreased $162,821.77; interest and rental charges decreased $42,868.66, and taxes increased $100,000. The net income from all sources for the quarter ending Dec. 31 was $1,864,264.14, an increase of $297,782.03, as compared with the same quarter of 1898.

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There was a large meeting of the Friday club yesterday afternoon with Mrs. A. E. Sproul, as the Junior Friday club had been invited to attend. Nearly every member of both clubs was present, and it was an unusually happy occasion. Mrs. Gurney, president of the Friday club welcomed the Juniors in a most happy, cordial speech and said they were proud of their namesake, and although not old enough to be a mother to them, they would gladly be a sister. The program for the afternoon was carried out. Miss Florence Emery sang and Mrs. Otho Hayward gave some pleasing piano selections. The program was in charge of Mrs. W. T. Babcock.

Wollaston Baptist Church Vesper

The vesper service at the Wollaston Baptist church will be held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Music will be by the quartette; Miss Helen Frost Bean, soprano; Mrs. E. A. King, contralto; Mr. S. M. King, tenor; Mr. C. F. Wilde, bass.

The following music will be rendered:

Quartet and Soprano Solo, Great God to Thee, my evening Song, Wagner-Schnecker
Quartet, Solo by Miss Bean.
Tenor Solo, Jesus, Lover of my Soul, Macdougal
Mr. King.
Quartet, Day is Gently Sinking, Pinkham
Soprano Solo, The Good Shepherd, Van de Water, Miss Bean.
Bass Solo and Quartette, Even Me, Warren
Quartet Solo, by Mr. Wilde.
Duet, Love Divine, (From Daughter of Jairus)
Miss Bean and Mr. King. Stainer.

A Difficult Job.

Chief Engineer, Peter J. Williams, who is also a building mover and raises, as well as a master carpenter and builds, has a most difficult job under way, and nearly completed, at the carriage manufacturing of Talbot & Emerson on Hancock street.

Some few days ago his corps of men appeared on the scene with blocks and jacks and began work raising the building used by the firm as a blacksmith and paint shop.

There are four chimneys in the building, and as many furnaces in the blacksmith shop, and to raise this building without interrupting business in either of the departments is quite a difficult task. Forty jacks were placed under the building, which has been raised gradually to a height of nearly three feet.

During this time work in the blacksmith shop has gone on without any interruption whatever. The furnaces has been going full blast, and horses have had old shoes taken off and new shoes fitted and nailed on while the building has been going upward.

The difficulty attending such job can be better understood when it is known that the sills under the building have entirely rotted away, which made the utmost care necessary.

In addition to this, Mr. Williams has also commenced the erection of a three-story building between the blacksmith shop and the harness shop which is to be fitted to meet the wants of a growing business. The street floors will be used as wheelwright shop, and the street floors will all be connected. In the rear of the new building a large elevator will be put in, so that carriages may be readily raised to the upper floors to be painted and trimmed. When completed, the plant will be one of the best equipped of any in the city. The contract for raising and remodelling the old building and building the new structure has been awarded to Mr. Williams, which is sufficient guarantee to ensure a first class job in every way.

Brave Act.

As Percy Whitcomb, employed as baggage master at the South Braintree station, was going down Holbrook avenue, Monday forenoon, his attention was called to a runaway horse attached to an open democrat wagon, by the shouting and crying of two children in the team. The horse ran up the avenue and Mr. Whitcomb succeeded in stopping him in his mad rush.

There are two very sharp corners to turn at Washington street and if Mr. Whitcomb had failed in his attempt, what would have been the fate of the children?

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M. 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

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Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour hroughout the day.

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r 7 26 ad		7 45	8 28 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 02	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	2 28 cba		2 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 32	3 28 cba		3 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 32	4 28 cba		4 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 32	4 58 cba		5 19 r
r 1 12 abcd		1 32	5 15 da		5 36 r
r 2 12 abc		2 32	5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 3 12 abc		3 32	5 45 da		6 06 r
r 4 12 abc		4 32	5 58 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 aibc		5 32	6 15 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 32	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abcd		7 32	6 58 cba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 07	7 28 cba		7 49
r 8 08 abcdef		8 32	8 28 fedcba		8 53
r 9 12 abc		9 32	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 9 34 abcdefghi		10 02	10 28 fedcba		10 53 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate the trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

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ACTED TOO HASTILY.

McGraw Held Responsible For Collapse of New Baseball Association.

Capital Was Waiting at the Philadelphia End.

Suggestion That Association Even Now Proceed With the Organization.

Philadelphia, Feb. 17.—F. C. Richter and George H. Reger, the Philadelphia representatives at this week's meeting in Chicago of the American Baseball association, were much chagrined and surprised on their arrival home yesterday to learn of Anson's official announcement that the movement to organize the new association had collapsed. They were further astonished to learn that lack of financial backing in Philadelphia had been given as the cause of the failure.

Regarding McGraw's telegram to Anson that Philadelphia could not guarantee that it would have grounds. Richter says that McGraw came here Thursday to see W. J. Gilmore, the principal financial backer of the proposed Philadelphia club. Gilmore had then not received the reports of his representatives at the Chicago meeting, and was loth to sign agreements until he had been informed of the actual situation. Furthermore, he informed McGraw that it would be impossible to deposit with the association the lease for the new grounds for at least two weeks, because the grounds being negotiated for belonged to the city, and certain legal forms had not yet been completed. McGraw then left for Baltimore, and wired Anson his opinion that the outlook was bad, and that he thought further efforts toward organization should cease.

Mr. Gilmore says he was ready to put his capital into the venture, and that there was not the slightest doubt as to the early possession of the grounds. He sees no reason from the excellent showing made by all the clubs represented at Chicago why the association should not even now proceed with the organization, notwithstanding the announcements of McGraw and Anson. Richter and Reger hold like opinions, and they sent the following telegram to each of the promoters of the several clubs which had been admitted to the association:

"McGrew acted hastily in wiring to Chicago that Philadelphia was uncertain. Philadelphia is ready and anxious with $40,000 on the authority of Mr. Gilmore."

Reger and Richter say McGraw was petulant at Chicago, because of the non-arrival of McCarthy of Boston. He (McGraw), they say, hurried the meeting and refused to remain over night. Meantime, McCarthy, on the way to Chicago, had stopped over at Buffalo, feeling satisfied that the meeting would continue at least two days. He arrived in Chicago the morning after the meeting adjourned, and showed to those who had remained over most substantial backing of Boston capitalists to the subscribed amount of $75,000.

The Philadelphians returned satisfied that the association was well established, and that the eighth club to complete the circuit would be found. They felt certain that Providence would be brought into line, and in case of failure in that direction that Worcester, Mass., would be taken in to complete the circuit.

Cuban Receipts and Disbursements.

Washington, Feb. 17.—In response to a resolution of the senate the secretary of war yesterday sent to the senate a statement of the receipts and disbursements in Cuba during 1899. The statement shows receipts amounting to $16,346,015, of which $15,011,089 was from customs. The expenditures amounted to $14,085,805, leaving $2,260,209 in the hands of the treasurer.

Reward Offered For White's Capture.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 17.—Secretary of State Stearns has authorized the offer of a reward of $1000 for the apprehension of ex-Quartermaster General White, who is wanted on a charge alleging embezzlement of state funds while a member of the Michigan military board and who disappeared several weeks ago.

Clergy Asked to Pray For Peace.

Montreal, Feb. 17.—Archbishop Bruchesi of the Catholic diocese of Montreal will issue a pastorate letter to parish priests, asking them that the prayers of the Roman Catholic church be offered for peace as long as the war in South Africa lasts.

Record For Deep Sea Soundings.

San Francisco, Feb. 17.—The United States ship Nero, during its recent survey for a trans-Pacific cable, broke the record for deep sea soundings. One sounding near Guam island marked 5269 fathoms, only a trifle short of six statute miles.

Amalgamation Probable.

Indianapolis, Feb. 17.—It is probable that the Social Democracy and the Socialist Labor parties will amalgamate at the national convention of the former here March 6, the new organization retaining the name of the Social Democracy.

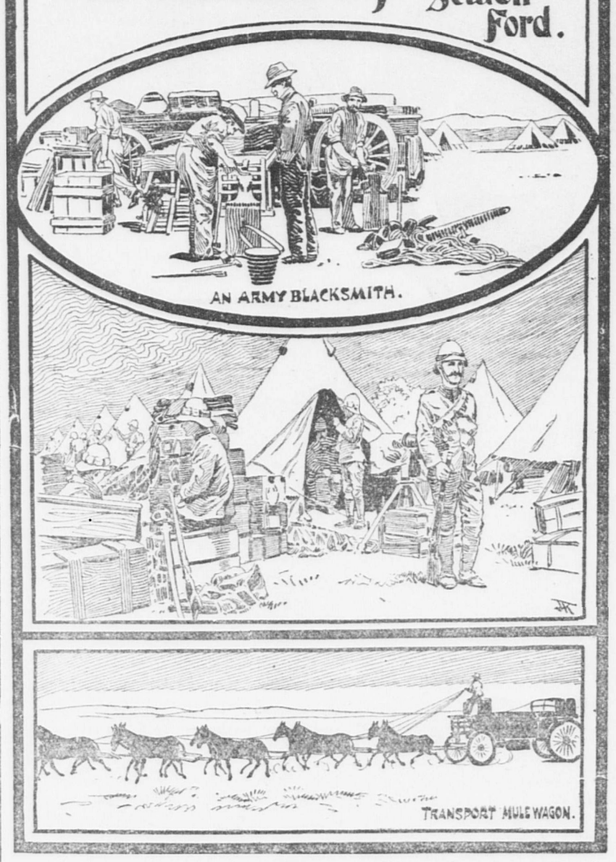
Received Shock and Fell.

Milford, Mass., Feb. 17.—Arthur Bond, 26, a lineman employed by the Milford Electric Light company, was severely burned about the lower limbs by a shock, and received internal injuries yesterday by falling from the pole upon which he was sitting.

Ice Jam Still Holds.

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 17.—The Merrimack at this point shows decided fall. The big ice jam at Martin's Ferry, a few miles above this city, still holds, but the river has fallen at Hookset, which was partly overflowed Thursday night.

Why the British Army is Unwieldy. By Scuell Ford.



Among other lessons which the fighting in South Africa has taught military experts who watch the war between Boer and Briton is this—an immobile army, although much stronger in numbers than a smaller but more mobile enemy, must always be placed at a disadvantage. And the British force in South Africa is certainly the most unwieldy fighting machine ever seen in modern times.

Some of this unwieldiness is unavoidable because of the conditions under which the British are fighting. Much of it, on the other hand, is due to the cumbersome English plan of army organization, a plan which was manufactured in part by official incompetents who never got nearer an actual battlefield than a review of Aldershot.

The movements of Buller's army vividly illustrate this. Undoubtedly the various bodies of troops could be hurried forward, thrown to the right or left, extended for miles or concentrated at a narrow pass in the mountains if they could move independently of the mountain of impedimenta which the British military authorities have decided necessary to an army in the field.

It is this mountain of baggage which has hobbled the British forces at every step in their disastrous advance on the Boer beleaguered cities.

Of course the ammunition and the big guns are necessities, but they make up a small part of the mountain of baggage with which a British army corps moves on to battle.

What does it consist of, this mountain of baggage? It is almost easier to tell what it does not consist of. Look at that great wagon lumbering over the veldt behind a string of 12 great oxen. It carries the officers' camp kit for one regiment. Under that canvas cover there are neatly stowed away a dozen or more big tents, each one as roomy and elaborate as a small cottage. There are center poles, ridgepoles, awning poles, tent pegs and many coils of ropes, besides the neatly folded piles of canvas.

In those bulky chests, too, are all sorts of campaign comforts—extra uniforms, mess dainties, tent furniture and the like—for the British officer may be a duke's son or the son of a belted earl, but he is a howling swell at all times, and when he goes out to "cut his way into Ladysmith" he carries all his traps with him.

The Boer is not fastidious as to his fighting kit. If he has 200 or 300 rounds of cartridges in his shoulder belt, some biltong in his pouch and some tobacco for his pipe he is fairly well contented. The baggage of a whole commando is frequently transported in a single ox wagon. It consists of a few pots and kettles and pans and some bags full of mealies.

But the Boer soldier is not tied to the cart tail. He leaves the carts behind him in a lager and rides miles ahead to squat silently behind rocks or in trenches for many hours, waiting patiently for the slow moving enemy to come within range of his Mauser.

The entire Boer army consists practically of mounted infantry. Each Boer has his horse, and it may be said that his mount is invariably a good one. The Boers are lovers of fine horses, and the best animals of the Transvaal are now doing duty at the front. When the Boer goes into trenches, his horse is picketed a few hundred yards in the rear behind a sheltering kopje.

I have before me as I write two photographs taken in South Africa during the earlier stages of the war. One represents a Boer outpost, the other a scene in a British camp during Methuen's advance.

There is little in the Boer picture to suggest war. Only the cartridge belts have the military look. Without them you would say the picture was of a group of farmers gathered around a campfire in front of a covered trekking wagon. A big coffeepot, a couple of iron kettles and two large tin cans seem to comprise their cooking outfit.

The other picture is one of the group accompanying this article. Notice the piles of boxes at the left of the elaborate officers' tent. Is not the whole picture eloquent of luxurious warfare? In the boxes are bottled beer, tinned meats, soups and other delicacies for the officers' mess. There are chests of personal baggage. There is in the distance a well appointed cook tent, with a wagon load, or perhaps two wagon loads, of pots and pans and collapsible ovens and stove funnels.

It is the same way in all departments of the army. For years the English inventors have been fashioning this or that ingenious camp article, securing patents and getting it adopted by the war office. So year by year the campaign equipment of Mr. Atkins has grown until his war kit makes an imposing array when it is spread out. And when you gather 50,000 or 60,000 of these war kits into a bunch they make—why, the mountain of impedimenta which makes the British army about as mobile as a loaded moving van on a muddy country road.

To find instances of the appalling impracticability distinguishing the formation of Great Britain's irregular corps it is only necessary to read the list of the kit taken out to Africa by the City of London volunteers.

The officers of this body carry to the plains of South Africa an air pillow, cork mattress, canvas basin, canvas bucket, a tin box of candles, a lantern, a filter and a host of other impedimenta that an American officer would burn before starting on a ten miles' march.

So much for the officers. The men are laden down with four pairs of trousers, four pairs of shoes, three caps, pyjamas, two large Turkish towels, a filter, a clothesbrush, a writing portfolio and other domestic articles.

It is quite likely that the individuals of the C. L. V. will conclude to "chuck" about two-thirds of their kit after their first day's march, but it is doubtful if they ever will learn what "light marching order" means to the Boer.

In South Africa the fruits of unwieldiness seem to have been disaster. When Buller's army crawled up to within striking distance of the Boers, he spread his force out for miles on either side of Cronje's lines, with the intention of turning the Boer flank. Of course the Boers spread out their forces, too, and their lines must have been exceedingly thin in places. Yet whenever the British struck at what was apparently a weak spot they met with repulse from a force whose strength surprised them.

It was all due to the mobility of the Boers. Before the British could get into close quarters the thin line had been strengthened by burghers summoned hastily from adjoining hills. From point to point Cronje swung his force as the exigencies of the moment required.

Had the burghers been burdened with cork mattresses, air pillows and writing materials do you think they could have moved so quickly?

So when the British reorganize their plan of campaigning it is probable they will give serious attention to what General Sherman was fond of calling logistics—viz, the details of moving and supplying an army. Instead of adding more details to the problem it is likely that they will lop off a few. The comfort of a soldier is desirable, of course, but when compared with the necessity of his moving quickly enough to prevent the enemy from trapping and killing him it becomes a matter of secondary moment, to say the least.

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George H. Locke,
William B. Duggan,

William W. Dean,
Adam Curtis,
Luther Munn,
William S. Morton,
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Edmund Pope,
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William S. Morton,
William B. Duggan,
George White,
NOTE.—George White resigned. Vacancy not filled.

John Q. Adams,
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E. Granville Pratt,

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR FIFTY YEARS.

An Interesting Summary of Historical Value from Annual Report of Superintendent Lull.

In the appendix of the annual School Report for 1899 of Supt. Lull, there is a summary of the School Committees of Quincy for fifty-three years—from 1849 to 1900 inclusive. The board has generally consisted of six, but since Quincy became a city it has numbered nine.

From 1849 to 1858 the whole board was elected annually, but in the latter year it became a continuous board, the term of one-third expiring each year. The names of many well known citizens of Quincy of years ago will be found in the list—ministers, doctors, lawyers and business men.

The first named each year was the chairman, and it will be seen that there have been less than twenty who have filled the position. The late John Quincy Adams served eleven years, and the present chairman, Hon. Charles H. Porter, who is in his fifth year, comes second in his length of service as presiding officer. But seven men are now living who have been chairmen of the Quincy School Committee—Rev. John D. Wells, Judge E. Granville Pratt, Edwin W. Marsh, Jason G. Witham, Rupert F. Claflin, Emery L. Crane and Hon. Charles H. Porter.

Mr. Edwin W. Marsh, our well known historian, is the oldest in point of service on the School Board. His service began in 1855, and includes ten or more years. He was on the committee from 1875 to 1884, during which time Quincy became so renowned for its public schools.

Because of deaths and resignations while on the Committee, some difficulty has been encountered in making the list accurate. Superintendent Lull requests that he be notified of mistakes.

1849—50.

John T. Burrill,
William D. Gray,
William Allen,
William Dean, (?)
William B. Duggan,
Lysander Richards,
Solomon Willard.

NOTE.—William Allen resigned in October. Solomon Willard was elected.

1850—51.

William W. Dean,
William S. Morton,
George Baxter,
James Bradford,
William B. Duggan,
George White.

NOTE.—Solomon Willard was elected but declined. Vacancy not filled.

1851—52.

William W. Dean,
William S. Morton,
James Bradford,
George White,
Lysander Richards,
John T. Burrill,
Noah Cummings.

1852—53.

Charles Francis Adams,
Noah Cummings,
William B. Duggan,
Adam Curtis,
James Bradford.

1853—54.

Charles Francis Adams,
George Baxter,
George H. Locke,
William B. Duggan,
Henry Littlefield,
Adam Curtis,
William P. Lunt.

1854—55.

William W. Dean,
Adam Curtis,
Luther Munn,
William S. Morton,
Henry Littlefield,
Charles Francis Adams,
Horatio N. Glover,
William B. Duggan.

NOTE.—Luther Munn elected but declined. William S. Morton elected.

1855—56.

William W. Dean,
Elijah Baxter,
George L. Gill,
Edwin W. Marsh,
Samuel Thomas, Jr.,
William W. Baxter,
Lorenzo Johnson.

NOTE.—William W. Dean resigned. Charles Francis Adams elected.

1856—57.

William P. Lunt,
George H. Locke,
James Bradford,
William W. Baxter,
Bryant B. Newcomb,
Nelson Clark,
Edmund Pope.

1857—58.

Luther Rice,
George H. Locke,
Edmund Pope,
John Q. Adams,
James Bradford,
William W. Baxter,
Bryant B. Newcomb.

NOTE.—Bryant B. Newcomb died, and Daniel H. Bills was elected.

1858—59.

The number of School Committee changed to six; one-third being elected each year for a term of three years.

William S. Morton,
William B. Duggan,
George White,
Daniel H. Bills,
Luther Rice,
Charles L. Badger.

NOTE.—George White resigned. Thomas Curtis elected, but declined. Vacancy not filled.

1859—60.

John Q. Adams,
Edmund Pope,
Daniel H. Bills,
William S. Morton,
Charles L. Badger,
George H. Locke.

1860—61.

William S. Morton,
George H. Locke,
Daniel H. Bills,
James A. Stetson,
John Q. Adams,
Edmund Pope.

1861—62.

Daniel H. Bills,
George H. Locke,
Edmund Pope,
James A. Stetson,
William B. Duggan,
George White.

1862—63.

George White,
George H. Locke,
Henry Walker,
William B. Duggan,
Ebenezer Adams,
John D. Wells.

NOTE.—James A. Stetson resigned. John D. Wells elected.

1863—64.

George White,
John D. Wells,
J. G. B. Heath,
William B. Duggan,
Ebenezer Adams,
William Chesley.

NOTE.—Mr. Chesley resigned in June and Joseph W. Robertson was elected.

George White resigned in October and John Chamberlain was elected to vacancy, and John D. Wells became Chairman.

1864—65.

John D. Wells,
Charles R. Mitchell,
J. G. B. Heath,
Ebenezer Adams,
Henry Barker,
Joseph W. Robertson.

1865—66.

John D. Wells,
Charles R. Mitchell,
Henry Barker,
William B. Duggan,
Joseph W. Robertson,
E. Granville Pratt.

1866—67.

E. Granville Pratt,
H. Farnum Smith,
Henry Barker,
William S. Morton,
William B. Duggan,
H. Farnum Smith.

NOTE.—Charles R. Mitchell resigned in June. George H. Arnold was elected.

1867—68.

E. Granville Pratt,
H. Farnum Smith,
Henry Barker,
Noah Cummings,
William B. Duggan,
William S. Morton.

1868—69.

E. Granville Pratt,
H. Farnum Smith,
Henry Barker,
Noah Cummings,
William S. Morton,
William S. Pattee.

1869—70.

E. Granville Pratt,
Asa Wellington,
Henry Barker,
Noah Cummings,
William B Duggan,
William S. Pattee.

1870—71.

William S. Morton,
E. Granville Pratt,
Asa Wellington,
William B. Duggan,
William S. Pattee,
John Q. Adams.

1871—72.

William S. Morton,
John Q. Adams,
Asa Wellington,
H. Farnum Smith,
William B. Duggan,
Henry Lunt.

NOTE—William S. Morton died in September. Noah Cummings elected. John Q. Adams elected Chairman.

1872—73.

John Q. Adams,
Henry Lunt,
Asa Wellington,
Charles L. Badger,
H. Farnum Smith,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.

1873—74.

John Q. Adams,
H. Farnum Smith,
Asa Wellington,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
Henry Lunt,
Charles L. Badger.

1874—75.

John Q. Adams,
Charles L. Badger,
Asa Wellington,
William B. Duggan,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
James H. Slade.

1875—76.

John Q. Adams,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
James H. Slade,
Edwin W. Marsh,
William B. Duggan,
Charles L. Badger.

1876—77.

John Q. Adams,
Edwin W. Marsh,
James H. Slade,
Charles L. Badger,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
William B. Duggan.

1877—78.

John Q. Adams,
Charles L. Badger,
James H. Slade,
Edwin W. Marsh,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
Jason G. Witham.

1878—79.

John Q. Adams,
Edwin W. Marsh,
Jason G. Witham,
Charles L. Badger,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
James H. Slade.

1879—80.

John Q. Adams,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
Jason G. Witham,
James H. Slade,
Edwin W. Marsh,
George L. Miller.

1880—81.

John Q. Adams,
Charles F. Adams, Jr.,
Jason G. Witham,
George L. Miller,
Edwin W. Marsh,
Alfred Sampson.

NOTE.—Charles F. Adams, Jr., resigned April 30, and William G. Sheen was elected.

1881—82.

John Q. Adams,
Edwin W. Marsh,
Jason G. Witham,
William G. Sheen,
Alfred Sampson,
George L. Miller.

NOTE.—John Q. Adams resigned June 1. Vacancy filled by choice of Sigourney Butler.

Edwin W. Marsh elected Chairman after the resignation of Mr. Adams.

1882—83.

Edwin W. Marsh,
William G. Sheen,
Alfred Sampson,
George L. Miller,
Jason G. Witham,
Sigourney Butler.

1883—84.

Edwin W. Marsh,
George L. Miller,
Alfred Sampson,
William G. Sheen,
Jason G. Witham,
Sigourney Butler.

1884—85.

Jason G. Witham,
Alfred Sampson.
Adelaide A. Claflin,
Sylvester Brown,
Sigourney Butler,
John A. Gordon.

NOTE.—Alfred Sampson resigned, and James H. Slade was elected. George L. Miller resigned, and John A. Gordon was elected.

1885—86.

Sigourney Butler,
John A. Gordon,
Adelaide A. Claflin,
Sylvester Brown,
Jason G. Witham,
Francis L. Hayes.

1886—87.

Sigourney Butler,
Francis L. Hayes,
Adelaide A. Claflin,
John A. Gordon,
Sylvester Brown,
Joseph M. Sheahan.

1887—88.

Sylvester Brown,
Thomas Gurney,
Rupert F. Claflin,
Francis L. Hayes,
John A. Gordon,
Joseph M. Sheahan.

1888.

Sylvester Brown,
Thomas Gurney,
John A. Gordon,
Rupert F. Claflin,
Francis L. Hayes,
Joseph M. Sheahan.

CITY OF QUINCY, 1889.

Sylvester Brown,
Rupert F. Claflin,
John F. Cole,
John A. Gordon,
H. Evan Cotton,
Francis L. Hayes,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
Eben Muse,
Thomas Gurney.

1890.

Sylvester Brown,
Rupert F. Claflin,
John F. Cole,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
H. Evan Cotton,
Francis L. Hayes.
John A. Gordon,
Emery L. Crane,
Thomas Gurney.

NOTE.—Francis L. Hayes resigned, and Wendell G. Corthell was elected by joint meeting of the Council and the School Board.

1891.

Rupert F. Claflin,
H. Evan Cotton.
Wendell G. Corthell,
John A. Gordon,
Emery L. Crane,
Harrison A. Keith,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
Ambrose F. Roche,
Elijah G. Hall.

1892.

Emery L. Crane,
Wendell G. Corthell,
Harrison A. Keith,
Ambrose F. Roche,
John A. Gordon,
Charles H. Porter,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
H. Evan Cotton,
Elijah G. Hall.

1893.

Emery L. Crane,
Charles H. Porter,
Wendell G. Corthell,
John A. Gordon,
James F. Harlow,
Harrison A. Keith,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
Ambrose F. Roche,
Elijah G. Hall.

1894.

Emery L. Crane,
George B. Rice,
William D. Burns,
John A. Gordon,
Charles H. Porter,
Wendell G. Corthell,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
James F. Harlow,
Thomas Gurney.

1895.

Emery L. Crane,
George B. Rice,
William D. Burns,
Henry C. Hallowell,
Charles H. Porter,
Wellington Record,
Joseph M. Sheahan,
James F. Harlow,
Thomas Gurney.

NOTE.—George B. Rice resigned, and Frank A. Page was elected by a joint vote of the Council and the School Board.

1896.

Charles H. Porter,
Frank A. Page,
William D. Burns,
Henry Hallowell,
Walter R. Breed,
Wellington Record,
Frank C. Field,
Mabel E. Adams,
Thomas Gurney.

1897.

Charles H. Porter,
Frank A. Page,
John H. Ash,
Henry C. Hallowell,
Walter R. Breed,
Wellington Record,
Frank C. Field,
Mabel E. Adams,
Frederick J. Peirce.

1898.

Charles H. Porter,
Frank A. Page,
John H. Ash,
Henry C. Hallowell,
Walter R. Breed,
Wellington Record,
Frank C. Field,
Mabel E. Adams,
Frederick J. Peirce.

1899.

Charles H. Porter,
Frederick H. Smith,
Frank A. Page,
Henry C. Hallowell,
Mabel E. Adams,
Wellington Record,
Nathaniel S. Hunting,
John H. Ash,
Frederick J. Peirce.

1900.

Charles H. Porter,
Nathaniel S. Hunting,
Thomas J. Dion,
Charles F. Merrick,
Frederick H. Smith,
Wellington Record,
Henry C. Hallowell,
Mabel E. Adams,
Frederick J. Peirce.

N. B.—Kindly notify the Superintendent of any mistakes so that this list may have historical value.

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A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
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EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter 6 11:23 a.m. | Full Moon 14 8:56 a.m.
Third Quarter 22 11:44 a.m.

STATE HIGHWAYS.

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After talking with the Commissioners he found they did not know what kind of a street they were taking. They were surprised to hear that they were taking a telferd road and no doubt would gladly give it up. He would as soon go to the War department to get anything done as to the commission.

In answer to Councilman Bryant Mr. Graham said what he meant was that if it was necessary to do anything to the street he had as soon go to the War department as the Commission. He was not speaking for the railroad. He had gone before the Commissioners at their request and told them he did not care where the track was located.

Fred H. Smith and Charles H. Johnson also spoke in favor of the petition.

When the opposition was called for Mr. Faxon was the only one to speak. He supposed they would be prepared to present plans and figures. The people of Quincy Point are twenty years behind the times. I wanted to build a sewer at my own expense through there from Quincy and they came here and beat me. They preferred to ride in Lapham's old rickety carriage rather than subscribe for the railway.

Mr. Federhen replied we may be 20 years behind the times but when the sewer tests showed that ninety per cent. of the floats came up Town river we were enough behind the times to object to having his or any other sewage deposited in our back yards.

The hearing then closed.

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Important Position.

We were pleased to notice in the Baltimore News of Monday last that a gentleman well known to many of our readers, a native of this city, has been appointed by the Mayor of Baltimore to a very important position. Mayor Hayes says in regard to the appointment: "Mr Jeffrey R. Brackett, the gentleman named for president of the Supervisors of City Charities, has not only a national reputation in matters relating to public charities, but is known abroad. The Supervisors of City Charities have, under the new charter, great and important duties and powers. They spend all the city's money for public charities appropriated by the Ordinance of Estimates for the fiscal year. This Board has this year appropriated for its use and expenditure the sum of $397,350. The system heretofore in vogue in this and other cities to appropriate money directly to the hospitals and charitable institutions is prohibited by the new charter, and the whole money for public charities is spent by this Board at so much per capita under contracts made by this Board with the hospitals and charitable institutions. I feel fortunate in having secured the service of so admirable a man as Mr. Brackett for the head of our Public Charities Board."

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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E. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

BRAINTREE.

The Registrars have posted notices stating the date and place of registration previous to the March meeting. Saturday evening, Feb. 24, at the Town House will be your last chance. Do your duty.

Miss Hanora Sweeney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sweeney, and Frank J. O'Rourke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter O'Rourke, were united in marriage at the parsonage of the St. John's church, Quincy, Wedeneday evening. The Rev. Father Johnson performing the ceremony.

Of the many excellent suppers given in town this winter, the one held in Red Men's hall Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society connected with the South M. E. church, was the finest we have sat down to this season.

The heavy rain of Monday night and Tuesday caused some anxiety to the mill owners on the Monatiquot river.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Gage are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

B. J. Loring resumed his business on Monday after being incapacitated by rheumatism.

Miss Florence Arnold is very sick at her home on Middle street with scarlet fever.

Perley Barbour returns to Yale college tomorrow after a week's illness at home.

It is reported that thieves entered the residence of Edward Dowd Tuesday evening and stole fifty dollars.

Mrs. French of Storrs avenue who has been ill with pneumonia is improving.

A surprise party was tendered Miss Bessie Holbrook of Middle street by a number of family friends on Monday evening, the occasion being her twentieth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. M. Bestick were very pleasantly surprised at their home on Crescent Avenue, Friday evening, by their many friends from this town, Randolph, Canton, and Boston. An excellent time was enjoyed by those present,

There is a rumor that Rice & Hutchins' shoe manufacturers are about to move to Rockland. The writer was informed by a party closely connected at that factory that the firm was as yet undecided what they would do.

Miss May Moran has joined the Lord Concert Company. Her readings were a feature at Weymouth this week.

It is now the South Braintree postmaster who smiles. Last Monday morning a little girl (eight pounds) arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Torrey.

T. V. Uniac has been reelected captain of the Thayer academy base ball team for 1900. The outlook for the coming season is most encouraging, as there is no lack of material, and under Prof. Townsend's training a fast team will undoubtedly be produced.

Mrs. Lisett C. (Vinton) Shaw died at her residence on Myrtle street, Thursday morning at the advanced age of 71 years.

The Epworth League of East Braintree observed its anniversary and installation service last Sunday evening. Rev. Charles Lamb of Maine conducted the regular devotional meeting at 6.15. Rev. W. C. Keeler of Iowa delivered an able and earnest address at 7.15. His theme was, "The Mission of a Herald." The address was listened to with much interest by the large audience. The pastor installed the officers of both the senior and junior leagues.

The management of the Thayer Academy Athletic Association regret to announce that through no fault of their own, they have been obliged to change the date of the Tufts Glee Club concert from Feb. 23 to Friday evening March 9. Mr. Foster, manager of the club wrote that "several of the Mandolin club including the leader are going to Washington, D. C, the 19th to be gone a week, and that he had done everything in his power to keep the given date without avail.

Visitors at the Jonas Perkins school for the week ending Feb. 16: Rev. Mr. Snyder of Union church of Braintree and Weymouth, Feb. 12; Misses Ford and Wetherbee, Rockland teachers, Feb. 14; Mr. Lawson of Burdett College, Feb. 14.

William N. N. Lucas the impersonator and recitor of negro dialect gave a highly entertaining recital at the M. E. Church, last Wednesday evening. The audience made an unconditional surrender to Mr. Lucas for over an hour and he gave them a most pleasant evening. Miss Nellie Bowles and May Block sang solos with Mrs. Soulis as accompanyist. Master and Miss Baldwin played several selections. The programe was a success in every way.

Monday evening in I. O. O. F. hall, the Pine Tree State Club held a valentine party which was a very jolly affair. The severe rain storm did not keep the members and their friends from attending and the little hall was filled with happy people. Everybody seemed to make themselves at home, and were cordial like the inhabitants of Maine.

The Social Democratic Branch No. 46, of Braintree, met with the chairman, John F. Littlefied of Mt. Vernon avenue Tuesday evening, Feb. 13. Margaret Haile was expetced to speak to the Branch on that evening, but failed to appear, doubtless on account of the storm. Action was taken on the plan for having Representative Carey of Haverhill speak in Braintree at some not far distant date. The next meeting will be held with John J. Burke of Mt. Vernon avenue, Tuesday, Feb. 20.

Mrs. Elisha Thayer of Crescent avenue for about three months critically ill at her home is able now to go about the house and we hope will soon be out doors.

The large parlors at Dr. Charlotte E. Page's house on Spruce street, were filled with a good crowd, last Wednesday evening, that came to the old-fashioned supper and social. The tables were vacated at 7.30 P. M. and the people assembled, found pleasure and profit in whist, authors, checkers, chats, music and dancing. Miss Mabel Jackson pleased all with her piano selections and Mr. Everett Cain sung two solos which were good to hear. The committee of the Ladies' Aid society of the Universalist church, under whose auspices the affair was planned and held, were present in the dress of former days. Some patrons also accepted the invitations to don ancient costume. Mr. Henry Binney furnished music for dancing. With best meaning and definition, we say, "may we meet the same gang and gang' tae the same meet, agin' and agin!"

The Christian Leader corrects the impression which has gone abroad that the Universalists and Unitarian denominations have united. That paper says: "All that was done at the recent convention was to receive the courteous proposal for a committee of conference and appoint the committee called for. The loss of identity is impossible to either. But closer co-operation and a better understanding are possible and desirable." There is a good deal of ambiquity in usage of the world unity. An army is one, in the oneness of the unity. A soldier of the army in one, in the oneness of the unit. When Unity of Christian denominations is spoken of, unity of singularity is not meant, but unity of harmony of members of the great church universal with one another. The Unity of the Anglo-Saxon race is no longer a mere dream. And the Unity of the liberal churches is less of a dream. We were not always as brotherly and willing to work together as now.

The Christian Register in referring to thre proposed union of Unitarians with Univeralists says: "What they have done is to appoint a joint committee to consider cases in which their interests may conflict, to reduce friction and to make it easy to accept one church in places where two could not flourish."

Syndicate Manager Sent to Prison.

New York, Feb. 17.—John G. Agnew, manager of the Washington syndicate, a Brooklyn investment concern similar to the Franklin syndicate, was convicted in Brooklyn yesterday and sentenced to pay a fine of $500 or serve one year's imprisonment in the penitentiary. Agnew was unable to pay the fine and was locked up.

Shamrocks Defeated Victorias.

Montreal, Feb. 17.—The Shamrocks of Montreal won the Canadian hockey championship by defeating the Victorias of Winnipeg in the final game of the series by a score of 5 to 4, each team having previously won a game.

Self-Confessed Polygamist.

North Adams, Mass., Feb. 17.—George H. Conant, who was brought from Marlboro to North Adams to answer to the charge of polygamy, pleaded guilty in the district court yesterday and was held for the grand jury in $1000 bonds.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

At the directors' meeting of the Maine Central Railroad company a revision of the passenger tariff rates was unanimously agreed upon to take effect March 1, which makes a material reduction in the passenger rates over its main line and branches.

The engagement is formally announced of Professor Frank H. Dixon of the economics department, Dartmouth college, to Miss Alice Tucker, oldest daughter of President Tucker of the same institution.

Mayor Ashbridge of Philadelphia has sent to National Chairman Hanna a check for $25,000, representing the first quarter of the amount that city has promised to raise for the Republican national convention in June.

Rev. Nathaniel Seaver of the Second Congregational church, Leicester, Mass., has resigned and will accept a call to Pittsfield, Mass.

Rev. George W. Nichols, D. D., a well-known Episcopal clergyman and author, died at Norwalk, Conn., aged 83. He had been in ill health for some years.

Love and loyalty for the alma mater seemed to be the keynote of the speeches which delighted a large gathering at the annual banquet of the New England alumni of the University of Vermont, at Boston.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, — Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Morning prayer and sermon to children and young people at 10.30 A. M. The morning service will take the place of the Sunday School session. Even-song and address at 7. Subject: "The British-Boer war."

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Teachers' meeting at chapel on Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock, conducted by the pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: Peter's shadow." Bible School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "The hero of Darkest Africa." Extra music.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 P. M., by Rev. W. H. Morrison of Brockton. Sunday School at 3.45. P. M. Y. Y. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Public opinion as a factor in Christian citizenship duty." Leader, Miss I. A. Andrews.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Fort Square — Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "The fear of man." Sabbath School and Bible class at 11.45 A. M. Exposition of the Sabbath school lesson at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "The ossification of Human society." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M. All cordially invited.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "Life's double blessedness." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "Temptation's power broken." Forgiven Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sabbath School and pastor's Bible class at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Mr. J. B. Stewart, Superintendent of Boys' Institute, Boston, will preach in the morning, and give one of his popular chalk talks in the evening. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30 All welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by A. D. Ball. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURE — The Christadelphians of Quincy invite you to a lecture to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street at 10.30 A. M. The subject is: "Ye must be born again." All are welcome.

ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH,—Rev. F. A. Roche, pastor; assistant, Rev. W. J. Foley. Masses at 7, 8, 9 and 10. A. M. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Vespers at 3.30 P. M. Baptisms at 5 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by pastor. Sunday School at 11.45. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting of Epworth League at 6.15. Evening service at 7.

CHRISTADELPHIAN CHURCH — Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street. Mr. John F. Williams will lecture at 7 P. M. Subject: "For the hope of Israel I am bound with this chain." All welcome.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward A. Chase, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor, Subject: "The Palace Beautful." Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "Men of strength: Jacob, or strength gained through adversity."

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Preston Gurney, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "The unsearchable riches." Sunday School at 12.10 P. M. Vespers at 4. Special music, with address by pastor. Subject: "The 3d Arch—knowledge."

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Frank Wright Pratt, pastor. Morning service. at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "A portrait of Jesus." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Current events." Friday evening service at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

A "Quick Lunch" Combination.

New York, Feb. 17.—The Journal and Advertiser announces that a combination of the "quick lunch" restaurants is being formed with a capitalization of $7,000,000. It is said that the principal restaurants in the Union will be the houses controlled by the Dennett and Childs syndicate.

An Investigation Ordered.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The state department has taken steps to make sure of the position it has assumed toward ex-Consul Macrum in anticipation of an inquiry from congress by directing an investigation into every phase of the allegations contained in that officer's statement.

Wood Gatherer Drowned.

Norwich, Conn., Feb. 17. — George Patridge, aged 22, was drowned in the Shetucket river yesterday. He was out in a boat with a companion after driftwood, and while leaning out to reach some drift the boat was upset. Patridge was unable to swim.

Hopes For Reed's Recovery.

New York, Feb. 17.—The physicians at St. Luke's hospital report that Roland Reed, the actor, who submitted to an operation Wednesday, is improving. They have hopes of his ultimate recovery.

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Keith's Theatre.

Minnie Seligman, who has been the headliner in the current week's entertainment at Keith's Boston theatre, is credited with making a bigger hit with continuous audiences than any previously achieved by a "legitimate" actress, and that means something when it is remembered that such accomplished women as Rose Coughlan, Cora Tanner, Louise Thorndike Boucicault, and others have already been seen in sketches on the stage of this house. The class of plays which Miss Seligman is presenting are also of a superior character, and it requires a woman of talent, and a superior company to make them effective. During the week of Feb. 19 Miss Seligman will still be at the head of the programme, presenting a compensation of the famous French farce, "In Paradise," toned down to suit Keith audiences while retaining all the fun, which is said to be continuous. The mysterious "Girl with the Auburn Hair" continues to be as much of a novelty as at the outset of her engagement, and theatregoers only realize after seeing it once or twice or thrice what a beautiful offering it really is. Other entertainers who will be prominent in the show are: Hines and Remington in their amusing comedy and singing sketch, "The Road Queen," introducing Miss Remington's great tramp character; Press Eldridge, the popular monologue comedian; Banks and Nona Winters, in a singing and comedy sketch; Swan and O'Day, illustrators of plantation life, and Raymon Moore, vocal soloist.

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Castle Square Theatre.

The undiminished demand for seats for the Castle Square theatre performance of "The Bells of Haslemere" has again led the management of this popular play house to continue this play another week, the fourth of its most successful run. It is extremely gratifying to know that the capital work done in this production is so greatly appreciated and the great audiences attracted to every performance of this play, pay a well deserved compliment to the liberality, good taste and excellent dramatic work which characterize this presentation of the drama. It should be remembered that the evening performances begin at 7.45 sharp. At the Monday matinee the usual distribution of boxes of choice chocolate bon bons will be made. A dramatic version of Conan Doyle's "The Firm of Gridlestone is" in preparation to follow the present attraction.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

ON TRACK OF BOERS.

British Hope to Capture Army Commanded by Cronje.

Buller Attempting Another Crossing of the Tugela.

Roberts Issues a Proclamation to Burghers of the Free State.

Would Preserve Them From Evils Caused by "Wrongful Action of Their Government."

London, Feb. 19.—General Kelly-Kenny is still pursuing the Boers. He has now captured more than 100 wagons. The highland brigade reinforced him after a forced march. General French has left Kimberley to join in the pursuit of the Boer army. The guards have occupied the Boer position at Magersfontein.

It is now amply confirmed that General Cronje has escaped. Every detail, however, proves how admirably Lord Roberts' plans were conceived and were succeeding. But for the unexpected delay at Dekiels Drift, which was almost impassable for wagons, the whole Boer force would have been surrounded. The delay of one day there gave them their chance for a hasty retreat.

All the movements of Lord Roberts were executed exactly to time. Apparently General Cronje is retreating with the main army, and even if he escapes altogether, he will probably lose all his baggage.

There is still something doubtful about the capture of the British convoy. According to a Daily Mail correspondent with the convoy—which consisted of 200 wagons, each loaded with 6000 pounds of rations and of forage, and each drawn by 16 oxen—it was quite unexpectedly attacked by a commando supposed to come from Colesberg. The escort, consisting of 80 of the Gordon Highlanders, 40 men of the army service corps and a few of Kitchener's horse, maintained a defense until the arrival of reinforcements, sustaining insignificant casualties.

The Standard's correspondent at Jacobsdal, telegraphing Thursday, Feb. 15, says: An attack was made yesterday upon the rear guard of our main body by a force of 1400 Boers, who were hurried up from Colesberg. They succeeded in capturing some of our wagons, but Lord Roberts did not delay his march to retake these. There were few casualties on our side. The last of our supply columns arrived from Honey Nest Kloof today, having met with no opposition on the way.

Specials from Ladysmith report an apparent movement on the part of the Boers toward the Free State, presumably with the object of assisting General Cronje. The news that General Buller is attempting another crossing of the Tugela, east of Colenso, after the capture of Hlandwane Hill, therefore gives great satisfaction. Buller's losses so far have been about 20 in wounded. His entire army, with the exception of General Hart's brigade, is engaged in the operation.

It is announced that the channel squadron, instead of going to Gibraltar, has been ordered to remain in British waters until March.

Lord Roberts has issued a proclamation to the burghers of the Free State, saying that he feels it his duty to make known to all the burghers the cause of the coming of the British, as well as to do all in his power to terminate the devastation caused by the war, and that he issues the proclamation in order that, if the burghers continue fighting, they may not do so ignorantly, but with a full knowledge of their responsibility before God for the lives lost in the campaign.

The proclamation goes on to say: "The British government believes that the wanton and unjustifiable invasion of British territory was not committed with the general approval of the people of the Free State, with whom the British government has lived in complete amity for so many years. It believes the responsibility to rest wholly with the government of the Free State, acting, not in the interests of the country, but under mischievous influences from without.

"Great Britain, therefore, wishes the people of the Free State to understand that it bears them no ill-will, and that, so far as compatible with the successful conduct of the war and of the re-establishment of peace, it is anxious to preserve them from the evils brought upon them by the wrongful action of their government."

In conclusion Lord Roberts warns all burghers to desist from further acts of hostility toward her majesty's government and troops, and he gives directions regarding requisitions and complaints.

A dispatch from Arundel, dated Feb. 17, says: Captain Longhurst of the British medical corps, spent a night at Holkiers' Farm, attending the wounded Australians. He says that the enemy were remarkably kind to the wounded, provided them with mattresses and gave them all the eggs they had. The Boer commander and Captain Longhurst found that they had mutual friends in London, and were soon on the best of terms. The Boer and British wounded fraternized.

Noticing that the bandoliers of the enemy were filled with soft-nosed bullets, one of our men said: "You ought not to bring such things to fire at us." The Boer replied: "We must use whatever we can get."

This particular Boer contingent had come from the northern district of the Transvaal, where the Boers are used to hunting big game along the Limpopo. The men had obtained their ammunition for that purpose.

FOR A TEN PERCENT INCREASE.

Recommendation to Be Acted Upon by Lodges of Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Philadelphia, Feb. 19.—A special to The North American from Altoona says: Two hundred delegates from all parts of the Pennsylvania railroad system, between St. Louis and New York, representing the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, met in secret convention here Sunday, to formulate a demand for an increase in wages. Chief P. M. Arthur of the brotherhood presided over the session. Reports of conditions from each division on the system were made. The arduous work required on the big modern locomotives was brought forth, and general complaint made against the system of nonpayment for unavoidable delays, necessitating extra work. A general increase of 10 percent was finally recommended to be acted upon by the subordinate lodges.



P. M. ARTHUR.

In an interview, Chief Arthur denied that there is any friction between the engineers and the company at present. "I cannot explain the exact nature of our business today," he said, "further than that we discussed the general situation thoroughly. There is no trouble now, nor do we seek to create a disturbance. The engineers merely think they deserve an increase of wages with the other divisions of labor. Today's convention was merely advisory. The minor lodges will act on its recommendations."

Desha Didn't Have a Gun.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 19.—A political argument between ex-State Senator Bronston and Claud Desha, clerk of the senate, came near precipitating a shooting affray on a Chesepeake and Ohio train, which was crowded with returning Democratic legislators last night. Bronston denounced the Goebel men as revolutionists. Desha, to whom the remarks were addressed, denominated Bronston a bolter. Angry words passed and Senator Bronston drew a pistol. Several legislators stood between them and prevented trouble. Desha's friends say he was not armed. Later both men agreed to drop the matter.

Skull Fractured With Shovel.

New York, Feb. 19.—John Bacis, 25 years old, a Greek cigaret maker, was assaulted by a crowd of young men yesterday, with probable fatal results. Bacis was taken to a hospital with a fractured skull, the effect of a blow with a shovel, and will probably die. The young men had been snowballing Bacis, and he objected to being used as a target. John Brady and Patrick McCarthy have been arrested for supposed complicity in the attack.

Colonial Troops For British.

Halifax, Feb. 19.—Three hundred mounted volunteers for service in South Africa, the third section of the second Canadian contingent, arrived yesterday from Toronto and Kingston, and will sail for Cape Town on Wednesday. Transport Laurentian with the first detachment of the second contingent arrived at Cape Town yesterday. The Pomeranian with the second section sailed a week after the Laurentian.

Two Wounded Hearts.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—A special to The Times-Herald from Colorado Springs says: President Samuel Strong of the Free Coinage Mining company of Cripple Creek was married on Feb. 6 to Miss Regina Neville. After the marriage he was served with papers in a breach of promise suit by Miss Vance. She asks $250,000 damage. On Saturday Miss Nellie Lewis brought suit for $200,000 damages for the same offense.

President Wasn't "Sounded."

Washington, Feb. 19.—The British embassy authorizes the statement that there is no truth whatever in the story from Paris that President McKinley has sounded Lord Pauncefote to ascertain how an offer of mediation in the Transvaal difficulty, on the part of the United States, would be received by Great Britain.

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A Woman Is Found Dying on a Lonely Road at Webster, Mass.

Died In Short Time From Violence and Exposure.

Said to Have Had Her Life Threatened by a Man on Several Occasions.

Webster, Mass., Feb. 19.—In a large pool of blood the almost lifeless body of Miss Katherine Booth, 29 years of age, was found about 8 o'clock Sunday morning on a lonely road about 1½ miles from Webster Centre. The woman was unconscious when found, and died soon after without being able to make known the cause of her condition. On her forehead was a large wound, made by some sharp instrument, which had penetrated the skull over the right eye. With the exception of this and another bruise on the back of the head, no marks of violence were found. How death occurred is a mystery, which Webster officers are trying to solve.

It is stated that Miss Booth has on several occasions had her life threatened by a man with whom she was said to have been intimate, but there is no evidence at hand to show that this party was in town Saturday night. The Webster officials are of the opinion that he is in some manner connected with the affair.

The authorities have made a searching investigation of the case, and everything indicates that the woman lost her life through violence and exposure. Nothing can be definitely known, however, until Medical Examiner Bradford of Southbridge views the remains at the local undertaking rooms, to which the remains were taken.

The dead woman was a weaver in the cotton mills at North Webster, and lived in the family of George Scarborough, his house being not more than 100 feet from the spot where the woman was found. Miss Booth had lived in town for about six years.

She returned from work Saturday night as usual, and after supper left the house to go to town. That was the last seen of her by the Scarboroughs, who thought it nothing strange that she did not return, thinking that possibly she might have gone to Worcester on an electric car to spend the night.

Miss Booth has relatives living, but they have not been located at the present time, and she has no family connections here.

Doesn't Know What Caused Revolution.

Havana, Feb. 19.—General Ignacio Andrade, former president of Venezuela, who is now in Havana, says: "I left Venezuela for the good of my country, as it was claimed that I was the cause of the revolution. As the revolution continues, I can scarcely have been the sole cause. I confess that I do not know the precise cause of the war. By some it has been attributed to the division of the country into 20 states by congress. This the revolutionists pretend to consider unconstitutional, but they have themselves maintained that division."

Trying to Gain Sanctification.

Kokomo, Ind., Feb. 19.—A peculiar case of religious mania is attracting attention at West Middleton. One year ago Mrs. Lydia Cox adopted the faith of the Holiness church. Fifteen days ago Mrs. Cox announced that she had received a call from the Lord to enter upon a season of fasting and to abstain from food until such time as He would make known to her that she was sanctified. From that hour she has taken nourishment of no kind. Neither has she spoken a word to any one nor opened her eyes. Physicians say that the fast will result in death.

Men and Carts Kept Busy.

New York, Feb. 19.—By midnight last night 55,000 cartloads of snow had been removed from the streets of the city. This is equivalent to cleaning about 60 miles of streets. It is claimed that this really breaks the record, only 7000 cartloads of snow being removed during the first day of the big snowstorm one year ago.

Mr. Phelps Will Recover.

New Haven, Feb. 19.—After a week of continued, though slow, improvement, E. J. Phelps, ex-minister to England, who had a most severe attack of pneumonia, is now regarded as practically out of danger. His illness left him so weak that it has been a hard struggle for him to rally, but it is apparent that the crisis has passed.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The storm which was central off the New Jersey coast Saturday night has moved northeastward to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, its passage being followed by clearing weather and northwesterly gales along the Middle Atlantic and New England coasts. The weather in New England will be warmer and partly cloudy, with diminishing northwesterly winds.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	20	37	46	34	46
Monday,	30	48	45	40	38
Tuesday,	—	60	30	33	34
Wednesday,	—	38	48	38	51
Thursday,	—	45	50	37	35
Friday,	—	36	47	44	38
Saturday,	—	35	26	44	37

New Advertisements Today.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Reupholstering.
Woman's Exchange—Home Cooking.
Hearing—State House.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—1900 Bicycles.

Good Afternoon.

A tendency, which as the city grows larger is rapidly developing into an unmitigated nuisance, is that mad eagerness with which people rush into a burning house and attempt to "save" the furniture. There is nothing which handicaps those in authority at a fire as the officious citizen who wildly rushes into a burning house and begins to throw and carry the furniture, pictures and bric-a-brac out of doors. In 99 cases out of 100 the property is amply insured and the owner would much prefer to have it remain in the building and take the chances there of being either saved intact or totally destroyed and paid for.

A case in point is the recent fire in the Taylor place at Wollaston. It is said by those in authority that the damage to the furniture, etc., by breakage and other loss from its hasty ejectment from the building far exceeded that which would have occurred had it been allowed to remain in charge of the firemen. The fire was not a large one and only a chemical stream was used to extinguish it.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Published descriptions of the Boer girls do not picture them either as bores or boors.—Lynn Item.

☞ Is it a worse crime to rob a bank from the outside than it is to to rob it from the inside? Bank burglars are seldom pardoned, yet dishonest bank officials seem to have no trouble to obtain clemency.—Toledo Bee.

☞ A great deal of nonsense, is being written and spoken in regard to lobbying at the state house. The evil will never be corrected by stringent rules when the people arouse to the importance of electing honest men the trouble will cease and not till then.—New England Farmer.

☞ It really begins to look as if the people might, after all, have a chance to pass upon many of the questions that are up before the Massachusetts legislature. Well, who is afraid? The people are to be trusted every time and implicitly in every matter involving their rights.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞ "I believe this whole gypsy moth work is a bigger swindling scheme on the Commonwealth of Massachusetts than the Jernegan sea water gold scheme was on its stockholders," testified Col. E. C. Benton, of Belmont, at the Legislative hearing, Friday, which shot would score a bullseye had it been made at a rifle range.—Lynn Item.

☞ "The test of the automobile," says an exchange, "will come when the ground is covered with deep snow." Tried by this test, the trolley car sometimes fails, and yet the trolley car is accounted a fairly successful experiment. So, too, the automobile is destined to have its practical uses in the world.—South Framingham News.

☞ The Boston school board has appointed a committee to thoroughly investigate the schools of that city as regards their efficiency. If certain statements which for some time have been flying about are 10 per cent. based on facts, it is about time that a liberal dose of dynamite and burnt sugar was put into active campaign work.—Milford Journal.

☞ A man cannot give forth what he has not within him, and Lincoln's command of the Anglo-Saxon tongue was gained by years of sturdy application. This "lesson from Lincoln" is trite, but it can be repeated once a year. To every American youth of talent and persistence the golden opportunity comes. There is no royal road to learning, nor is there any such avenue to the love and gratitude of one's fellow men.—Providence Journal.

☞ Governor Roosevelt, of New York, declines with thanks to be led way into the honorable oblivion of the vice presidency. He likes to be where he can do something. To make him vice president would be like requiring a strong young game cock to assume maternal functions with a setting of eggs. He wouldn't stay on the nest.—Greenville News.

☞ The trust is a target for any amount of criticism and denunciation, but in spite of all conferences and legislation, both actual and threatened, it goes serenely on its way. One of the main troubles lies in the fact that those who know most about it do not feel sure whether evil or benefit results from combination. The evil, at least, if it is such, is in most cases mixed with good and not a few who have considered the matter long and deeply say openly that the good predominates and the trust is one of the inevitable developments of a day when business must necessarily be transacted on a gigantic scale.—Lowell Courier.

☞ As if the school children of Boston didn't have trouble enough, they are asked to write compositions on the new policy of the United States as contrasted with the doctrines laid down in the Declaration of Independence and in Washington's Farewell Address. The subject is entirely beyond the grasp of a pupil in any grade of the common schools, and little will be accomplished by the performance except to inspire self-conceit in the contestants. The country has already too many adults who are persuaded that they can give correct views on any question without study and thought. It is unwise to encourage the coming generation in that delusion.—New Bedford Standard.

☞ If revenue for the support of fire departments be needed anywhere, what is the matter with getting it from persons who are responsible, to a certain extent, for the losses by fire? Tax smokers! Cigars, cigarettes and tobacco pipes caused more than 900 fires, involving a loss of more than $500,000. Tax builders and house owners! Defective flues caused 10,530 fires, involving a loss of $7,500,000. Tax housekeepers and servants! Explosions of gasoline stoves caused 1,300 fires and a loss of $235,000; the explosions of lamps, lanterns, etc., caused 2,400 fires and a loss of more than $1,000,000, and lamp and lantern accidents caused 2,000 fires and a loss of nearly $1,000,000. Tax the users of matches! Careless use of little things caused 3,900 fires that involved a loss of $1,500,000. Tax tramps! They caused 755 fires and a loss of nearly $1,000,000. Tax careless persons! Carelessness, besides that indicated above, caused thousands of fires and a loss of millions upon millions.—The Insurance Press.

Q. F. R. A. Annual.

The fourteenth annual meeting of the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association was held Saturday evening at the Central Fire station. Chief Engineer and President Peter J. Williams presided and the following officers were elected:

President—Peter J. Williams.
Vice President—William F. Powers.
Secretary—James F. Morrissey.
Treasurer—James A. White.
Trustees—Peter J. Williams, William F. Powers, Gilbert H. Rhodes, Rollin H. Newcomb, Edward F. Drohan, James Sullivan, Welcome J. Blake, Thomas F. Hogan, Henry T. Brown, Michael J. Barry, George Williams, John H. O'Brien and James A. White.

A committee was appointed to audit the books of the treasurer.

Lost Boy.

Thomas E. Furnald found a three-year-old boy on South Walnut street, Saturday, who was lost. The boy had been in the vicinity for an hour or more, and as it was growing cold fast, Mr. Furnald took the little fellow to the police station, where he was kept good natured by a supply of candy which the officers furnished. Later it was learned that the little fellow was a son of Charles Pierson of Cranch street.

The snow drifts of Wollaston Park are as high as your head in some places.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
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G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

Woman's Exchange

WILL be open February 22, Washington's Birthday. Home Cooking, Useful and Fancy Articles, Confectionery and Flowers for sale. Orders taken for Burnt Wood Work and Painting. Feb. 19-3t

QUINCY SCHOOLS.

Interesting Annual Report by Superintendent Lull.

A Few Plain Words as to the Outlook.

Up-to-Date School System the Best Advertisement for City.

In the Daily Ledger of Friday, Feb. 16, the annual report of the School Committee of Quincy was published in full. It is supplemented by an exhaustive report by Supt. Lull which is reviewed herewith. Mention should first be made to the apt quotations which introduced the report and also the sub-divisions. It is Mr. Lull's idea to be original, and to write a report which will be of value, and he always succeeds.

QUINCY'S RENOWN.

"When we consider material gains," says Supt. Lull, "we can generally trace them back to a definite date on which they had their origin. Rarely is this definiteness possible in case of moral or educational growth. To some men, however, is given the supreme satisfaction of saying--Here began the good work.

"On Friday, April 20, 1900, a quarter century will have passed since Colonel Francis W. Parker, your first Superintendent, began his work in Quincy. His administration of the schools marked so distinctly an epoch in the educational history of Massachusetts that even to this day the name of this city is known far and wide, as well for its educational, as for its historical interests.

"The Quincy Teachers' Association is considering a proper observance of this anniversary, and it will endeavor to do the affair full justice."

The progress of Quincy during the 25 years is shown by these figures:

	1875.	1899.
Valuation.	$7,203,329	$19,684,119
Population,	9,155	25,000
Census,	1,727	4,999
Whole no. of different pupils,	1,544	5,024
Average no. belonging,	1,363	4,405
Average daily attendance,	1,301	4,138
Per cent. of attendance,	.95	93.9
Per cent. of tardiness,	2.81	0.32
Teachers,	36	118

THE OUTLOOK.

So great has been the demand on the finances of the Board to provide every child who is five years of age, or older, with desk, chair, books, and all other things absolutely necessary for his school work, that no growth in curriculum or in greater opportunities can be recorded this year. Although the ambitious citizen would gladly offer his child all that his neighbors in other cities and towns give their pupils, yet a rapidly maturing debt, the needs of other city departments, and the absolute necessity of providing for an annual increase of more than two hundred pupils, has prevented his desires from becoming realities.

"As Quincy does not build for the future, but only for the conditions that exist and compel, the accommodations provided are, to a considerable extent, a series of makeshifts. One unfortunate result is the crowding forward of unprepared children into higher grades so that their chairs may be given to the new pupils. In September there was a marked decrease in the average stature of the pupils in some rooms. Misfit desks and chairs, however, are not the worst evil. Sixty children, and often more, confined in a room built for forty or fifty, are breathing foul air. This unsanitary condition, to say nothing of the inability of any teacher to do justice to large numbers, is a serious matter. The probabilities are that your Superintendents for many years will be obliged to record such statements as the following which are now true:—ten rooms contain sixty or more pupils, seventeen rooms contain fifty to sixty, and only forty-five contain forty to fifty.

"Next to his home, the schoolroom should be the brightest, cheeriest, happiest place known to the average child. Of course, this room means more than walls and furniture. They are essential, but they do no make a school home. It is a pleasure to record the fact that there are rooms in Quincy which are very attractive and which suggest the ideal. To pass his school days in airy, sunny, inviting rooms, is the child's birthright; for in them, to a great extent, his future is being determined. The state recognizes this high moral obligation, and so, besides compelling attendance, it regulates the time, manner and place of the child's education. Quincy fails in many respects to meet these requirements, not only in these physical respects but in the curriculum. For a time no ill effect may be seen; but sooner or later, the children of this city must come into competition with the boys and girls from the other suburbs of Boston. Massachusetts is a manufacturing state and it must have, in order to hold its rank, trained hands guided by equally well developed brains. From her schools must go forth not only those who perform the manual work, but those who supervise it. It is needless to say that several years of careful education of the hand, a training which our neighbors offer, will be of great service to the men and women of the new generation. Why, citizens of Quincy, should not your child have it?

"Furthermore, Quincy offers only a twelve-year course instead of a thirteen, she has not enriched her grammar course, she has no kindergarten, and practically she stands at the foot in the salary lists of the neighboring cities and towns, large or small. The good things of this life cost money; but what is life without them? Money well spent is a good investment for the future. It is beyond all question that an up-to-date and well developed school system, is the best advertisement for any city: and that the money spent is an investment which becomes a wealth producing factor."

(To be continued).

A TOUCH OF WINTER.

Heavy Snow Storm Saturday Night Accompanied by Gale.

The storm that had been threatening for a few days came Saturday night and was the first real touch of winter. It began to spit snow along about four o'clock, and half an hour later quite a storm had developed. The wind, which had swung around to the north-east increased in velocity and by dark was blowing almost a gale. The storm seemed to increase as the night wore on and a tough night was experienced by those who had to be out. The storm continued all night and did not abate until Sunday forenoon about ten o'clock, when it suddenly stopped snowing. Then the sun came out, although the wind blew hard all day.

Not a large amount of snow fell, and that was of a light dry kind which the wind caused to drift quite badly in places. Commissioner Knowlton had the city plows out in good season and in most places the sidewalks were plowed out by church time.

The street railway had its big snow plows at work all Saturday night and kept its lines open. There was no suspension of cars Sunday, although during the morning hours cars on all lines were more or less late.

Thomas Whalen, the contractor, who has charge of clearing the snow from the sidewalks from Squantum street to Central avenue, Wollaston, had three plows and a gang of men at work at six o'clock Sunday morning. He kept his plows going all day Sunday so that there was good walking in that ward at all hours of the day.

Quincy—Tyler.

A London dispatch to Boston papers reports Josiah Quincy, former mayor of Boston, and Mrs. William R. Tyler to have been married at 12.20 P. M. Saturday in St. George's church, Hanover square.

Mr. James R. Carter, second secretary of the United States embassy, was the best man.

Mr. Joseph H. Choate, the United State ambassador, Mr. Henry White first secretary of the United States embassy and all the members of the embassy were present.

The wedding was a quiet affair. The bride who was dressed in half mourning was given away by her son, a schoolboy of Harrow.

The wedding breakfast was served at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Carter.

It is expected that Mr. and Mrs. Quincy will return to this country for a brief stay in the course of the next few weeks.

New Registry of Deeds.

John H. Burdakin, Esq., Register of Deeds for Norfolk County, has made a report on the increase of registering of deeds. He says that during his thirty-seven years connection with the registry 551 volumes of records have been written, and there are now 862 volumes in all, In no year prior to 1895 did the annual number of instruments recorded exceed 10,000. The year of 1897, there were 13,122. Even though improvements have been made for access to these volumes, the rooms are inadequate for the business, and it is hoped a new Registry of Deeds will be built on the lot opposite the Court House, which was purchased several years ago.

Tool Sharpeners.

At the regular meeting of the Tool Sharpeners No. 1, Branch of the Granite Cutters National Union, held Friday evening, Feb. 16, the following officers were elected:

President, J. P. Minihan.
Vice President, T. D. McGrath.
Treasurer, A. E. Baxter.
Financial Secretary, James Dillon.
Corresponding Secretary, Richard A. Cole.
Standing Committee, F. W. Flowers, F. Kelly and William Kiley.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Cushing of Hingham observed their golden wedding Saturday in Wilder Memorial hall, at South Hingham.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Slowly rising temperature tomorrow.

Regular meeting of the city Council tonight.

Sunday papers were in great demand yesterday.

Two drunks fell into the hands of the police Saturday night.

There is yet a possibility of "six week's sleighing in March."

Sleighs are out, and wheels also as the ground is bare in many places.

Extra horses have been provided for the several pieces of fire apparatus.

Mrs. T. A. Johnson and family have removed from Newbury avenue to Hunt street.

Mrs. Walter Cowbs of Wollaston Park is gaining strength after her long sickness.

This week will be a busy one socially, with the many affairs already announced.

Richard J. Barry has been confined to his home for a few days with a severe cold.

Mrs. H. W. Philips is a patient of Prof. I. P. Coffey, and is recovering the use of her limbs.

It looks now as though the ice men might be fortunate enough to get ice thick enough to house.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick announce the engagement of their daughter Agnes, to Mr. Alexander Macintosh.

The attendance at all of the Wollaston churches on Sunday was slim and in some instances there was no Sunday School.

Albert Candlin, principal of the Willard school, was on Saturday elected a member of the Massachusetts Schoolmasters' club.

The private masquerade to be given at Faxon hall on Thursday is an event which many young people have been planning for several days.

Large vessals have been seen around the islands in the harbor for a number of days fearing storm. It is lucky they were in shelter Saturday night.

It is now reported that William S. M. Rideout of Charlestown eloped to New York with a Malden girl, Winnie Alden, who also disappeared on Feb. 6.

Miss Mary Hastings, recently a clerk in the Water department at City Hall, has accepted a position in the office of the John Hancock Life Insurance Co. in Boston.

The January shipments of granite from Quincy were as follows: Quarry railroad, 12, 891,380 pounds; West Quincy, 3,316,985 pounds; Quincy Adams, 2,409,063 pounds.

A. H. Doble and William C. Harrison had letters in the Sunday papers on points at issue between the Quincy Yacht club and the Yacht Racing Association of Massachusetts.

The Park Commissioners ask for the abatement of the water nuisance at the Ward Three playground. It might be more economical to remove the playground than the nuisance.

A hearing is advertised for Wednesday by the Harbor and Land Commissioners which is of interest as it in contemplation of a steamboat line from Houghs Neck to Boston.

On Feb. 22, Rev. Mr. Butler will give the sermon before the Essex Conference at the North church, Salem. The collection for the American Unitarian Association will be taken.

A Boston paper reports that Mrs. Charles H. Spear of Quincy intends placing markers in the old Dorchester cemetery at the graves of Samuel Bray of the revolution and Joshua Plumer of the war of 1812.

An item in Saturday nights Boston papers report Secretary Duncan of the Granite Cutters' Union as saying that there was a good prospect of an early settlement of the differences between the two Associations.

The dealers in rubber goods will now have their innings for a while. When people come to purchase, the price asked for even the ordinary rubbers will make them wish that the good walking had continued.

The prettiest sunlight party of the season will be that at Quincy Music Hall on the afternoon of Washington's Birthday. Tickets are now on sale. It is not confined to pupils of Miss Corlew but they will be much in evidence.

The joint Committees of the City Council on Legislative matters and Streets met Saturday night, and considered the petition of T. A. Watson and others now before the Legislature for the widening of the Quincy Point bridge, which the City Council has been asked to endorse.

Miss Edith Randall is to give a talk tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock at the Unitarian chapel. Her subject will be Germany, and it cannot fail to be instructive and entertaining as Miss Randall has travelled through Germany, and has moreover a pleasing way of presenting her ideas to her listeners.

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Nobody can form any idea of the miraculous cures performed by Prof. Coffey in Faxon Hall, Quincy, unless they witnessed them. It was your privilege. You were invited free of charge. The Professor treated many cases in public in this city without a single failure. No one was in the least injured, and all received much benefit, many marvelous cures being made.

During the last two years two million people within fifty miles of Boston have had an opportunity of investigating Prof. Coffey's modern method of healing the sick and afflicted, without the use of dangerous medicines. The Professor has given public lectures and demonstrations in all the larger cities of this state, two or three different times, and his experience proves that his business has increased each time, showing conclusively that the marvelous cures he performs are lasting. Over 300,000 adults have been eye witnesses to the wonderful cures he has made in public in this state alone. Two thousand people have received free treatment without a failure. Eight thousand people have received private treatment from Prof. Coffey's "magic hands," with the most gratifying results. When you take into consideration the fact that the majority of these people were considered incurable by all schools of regular doctors and that they suffered from almost every disease known, it certainly adds importance to this wonderful healer's work. He attributes his success "to the simple adaptation of a scientific priaciple to a theory that in man lies the power to cure every malady with which mankind is afflicted." He does not believe that disease is in harmony with nature's divine plan. He claims that the reason why so many are suffering today is owing to the fact that the brain, from some cause, does not transmit sufficient vital force to the natural organs of the body. The heart, lungs, liver, kidneys, stomach, bowels, etc., become impaired and fail to perform their proper duties. He says that for years he has cultivated a power to transmit the vital force of the brain to any defective organ or part (by means of hand minipulations.) Often obtaining marvelous results in a moment of time without resorting to the use of dangerous medicines.

Nine cases out of ten any curable disease can be controlled by a few treatments.

By this apparently simple method many who are being systematically drugged to death are saved from premature graves and given the use of their faculies and senses in a short time.

Prof. Coffey does not treat everybody. If you call on him he will give you a thorough examination. If he thinks he can help or cure he will tell you so. If he can not help you he will reject your case. He is now treating over one hundred cases in Quincy.

Here are some cases noted by the writer during the past week:

Arthur Wright, cured of rheumatism of ten years' standing.

Samuel Murray, given the use of a palsied hand.

Mary McGuire, cured in one treatment of nervous prostration that might have been fatal in a short time.

Edward Knowlton, unable to walk without the aid of cruel iron braces he had worn for years—a few more treatments would cure him.

Mrs. Morris, given back her hearing. She had been deaf since girlhood.

Bessie Tilton relieved of a large goitre at the neck. She kissed the great healer's hand in the exuberance of her joy.

Robert Kidder, free use restored to helpless arm, crushed years ago in a railroad accident.

Josephine Norman, relieved at once of painful congestion of the lung, which might have resulted in consumption.

Edna Homans, a young girl, weak and pale with spinal tronble, marvelously helped in one treatment; she showed the result in red cheeks and bright eye.

Thomas Sutler, relieved of neuralgia that had made him a marter for many years.

Henry Peyser cured absolutely of painful stiff neck; not a trace of pain left.

Jennie Holmes hadn't spoken above a hoarse whisper in months; shouted lustily after a few moments' treatment.

Albert Smith couldn't walk up stairs without complete breath exhaustion; in ten minutes he ran and jumped about the platform with no ill effect whatever.

Mrs. Morton, back had been weak for years; stooped over when she walked, a few minutes' treatment and she was as straight as an arrow and had no pain left,

Professor Coffey has offices at 24 Chestnut street, Quincy, where those who are able and willing to pay may go and be cured. Hours from 9.30 A. M. to 7.30 P. M., daily, except Sunday. Consultation Free.

Feb. 17-1w 1-2t

Grand Concert.

GIVEN by the Combined Boy Choirs of Christ Church, Quincy, and St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, for the Choir Boys' Camp Fund.

Sir John Stainer's Famous Cantata,

"THE DAUGHTER OF JAIRUS"

And a Miscellaneous Programme will be rendered. Mr. E. Landis Snyder, Director.

Soloists: MR. SILAS R. MILLS, Basso, of Smith College, Northampton, Mass., and MR. A. W. FERGUSON, Tenor, of Boston, Mass.

MUSIC HALL, QUINCY, MASS.,

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TICKETS, 35 CENTS.

Feb. 5-11t 0-2w

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TICKETS 25 CENTS.

For sale at Box office. Doors open at 1.45

MULLALY'S ORCHESTRA.

Feb. 17. 4t

NOTICE!

To the Public of Quincy.

The Christadelphians of Quincy cordially invite you to a course of lectures to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street, by Mr. Thomas Williams of Chicago, Editor of the Christadelphian Advocate.

First Lecture Wednesday evening at 7.30, FEBRUARY 21.
Subject: Reasons why Christ must return to the earth; and signs that the time is near.

Second Lecture, Friday evening at 7.30. FEBRUARY 23.
Subject: Man, what he was, what he is and what he may become.

Third Lecture, Sunday morning at 10.30, FEBRUARY 25.
Subject: The Great Salvation and How to Obtain it.

Fourth Lecture, Sunday evening at 7.30. FEBRUARY 25.
Subject: The Signs of the times in the present troubled world and the Grand Sequel.

Seats free. Positively no collections.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

OFFICE OF THE

Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 15, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that William F. Macy and J. P. Fitts have made application to this Board for license to build a pile wharf and dredge a channel in Quincy Bay, at Honghs Neck, in the city of Quincy, said wharf to begin at a point near the junction of Manet avenue and Babcock street, as per plans filed with said application; and WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of February, 1900, at 11 o'clock, A. M., and this office, have been assigned as the time and place for hearing all parties interested therein.

For the Board,
WOODWARD EMERY, Chairman.
Feb. 17. 2t-17-19

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 16, 1900.

THE Committee on Mercantile Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill, No. 447 an act relating to the licensing of engineers and firemen at room No. 431, State House, on WEDNESDAY, Feb. 21st, at 11 o'clock A. M.

FRED JOY, Chairman.
THOMAS F. PORTER,
Feb. 19-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 16, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 674, (petition of John O. Hall, Mayor) relative to appointment of assessors and assistant assessors in Quincy, at room No. 444, State House, on MONDAY, February 19th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
FRANK E. WETHERELL,
Feb. 17-2t Clerk of the Committee.

BILLHEADS PRINTED
AT PATRIOT OFFICE.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Napoleon Decelle for disturbing the peace at Quincy was called, and continued for another week.

Albert Coolidge was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy, and was given two weeks to raise his fine.

George Prince was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Tuesday.

The continued case of Fred H. Barker was called, and he paid a fine of $7.

The case of James Dean, Jr., of Randolph, was again continued March 31.

The continued cases of Abel D. Brown and John J. Daley were called and they contributed $10 each.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Feb. 19: Galassi Carlo, Clayton R. Cole, Charles Hillwaight, Otto Henrickson, Andrew Johnson, Giovanni Ponoca, John M. Randolph, Felio Sliviero, George F. Smith, Ralph Welson, Alvina Willson.

Miss Annie Carlson, Miss Grace Gay, Mrs. Huges, Miss Ida McLean, Mrs. Alvem Nellson, Mrs. Nellie Perry.

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Washing Willow Furniture and Wicker Chairs

Wicker chairs soon become soiled, but the can be cleaned to look like new with

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and warm water. Use a scrubbing brush; whe water becomes the least soiled, get fresh; follo with a soft, dry cheese cloth, and wipe dr White iron beds can also be washed by thi method, but must be wiped dry quickly.

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Course Not Endorsed.

The yachting editor of the Sunday Globe says, "No one regrets the withdrawal of the Quincy club more deeply than the writer. He has many personal friends among the club members, and has been indebted to them for many good bits of news and for information in regard to boats and how to sail them. It is, therefore, not pleasant to differ with them in opinion on yachting matters, particularly in one which touches a vital point in racing affairs, as well as in the success of the club itself. Yet with a full appreciation of the reversal of decisions and other causes of complaint which the club members have charged against the Yacht Racing association, he nevertheless believes that it would have been better for the club to have sought redress within rather than outside the association fold."

—Col. B. S. Lovell of Weymouth is reported very low.

LATEST!

ASSESSORS BILL.

Hearing Given This Morning at the State House.

Mayor Hall Not an Advocate of the Charge.

Order of 1899 Was Not Approved by Mayor Keith.

The Committee on Cities of the Legislature gave a hearing this morning at the State House on the bill to amend the city charter of Quincy relative to the appointment of assessors.

Quincy was represented by Mayor Hall, City Solicitor Sears, Henry G. Fay, John Q. A. Field, Henry M. Faxon, James F. Burke, and Charles M. Bryant.

There was practically no opposition to the bill.

Henry G. Fay, the author of the bill, urged its passage. It was easier to find three competent men as Assessors than seven. When one was selected each year the Mayor could give more time to the selecting of this man. A man might be fully competent to get polls and dogs, but would be entirely unqualified to assess real estate. You can not find competent men at $350 a year who would put much time to the work. In the last three years there had been almost a new board of Assessors each year. One board could not start any new ideas as they might be changed the next year.

The system of keeping books in Quincy was antiquated. If thirty cities out of thirty-three found it good policy to have but three Assessors it would be good policy for Quincy. Under the proposed system there would be two experienced men on the board every year. He had served one year as Assessor and had kept his eyes open, and was surprised at the way he had found things. He would be in favor of having the last clause relative to assistant assessor stricken out.

John Q.A. Field had always believed in three Assessors. He had had considerable experience, and he considered the first year a kind of kindergarten school. This year we have an entire new board with the exception of two The chairman can not get to understand the laws governing Assessors to be qualified in one year. He can not do justice to the office. He favored the appointment of assistants.

Charles M. Bryant said—We have suffered and continue to suffer from the fact we do not get at the proper assessment of property. No matter how fair a board may be, it was impossible to get an equalization of assessment with two sets of men. The three men who assess one section may decide to mark up property, and the other three to mark it down. All he had talked with agreed there should be but three. There was a general complaint that property was not fairly assessed.

We never have the same board more than one year, unless the Mayor happens to be reelceted. People have got the idea that the expense would be greater. They would get an equalization of property. He would favor having the clause relative to assistant assessors stricken out; the only substitute he had to offer was that the City Council by a two-thirds vote may authorize the Mayor to appoint such assistants as necessary.

Representative Sprague also favored the bill. As it is now, if we have a vigorous go ahead young man, he marks property up, while in another ward we may have an old man who thinks everything is going to the dogs, and he marks it down. Three men would work together better.

Mayor Hall did not appear in opposition, but simply to call attention to one or two matters. He did not know of any community where there was not dissatisfaction over the assessment when the tax bill came in. There seems to be a difference of opinion as to the matter of expense and how much time would be required. He did not think good men would give their whole time to the work for less than $1,000.

Then the assistant Assessors would probably want from $3 to $5 a day, and the expense would be large. The bill has an element of interference with the responsibility of the Mayor. It passed the City Council late in the year when there was evidence of a change in the administration. It was not referred to a committee and no opportunity had been given the citizens to consider it.

He did not believe in changing the charter every year. All he had consulted felt no advantage would be gained by the change. The bill as now was in good form.

In reply to a question by Councilman Bryant, Mayor Hall said the assistants would be hired by the day, but the expense would creep up fast. The element of interference was that the two men left on the board might be against the Mayor.

The hearing then adjourned.

A CERTAIN AMOUNT

Of Fighting Necessary over Granite Cutters' Demand.

The Quincy correspondent to the Granite Cutters Journal, M. A. Souter, said in his February letter:

"Business continues good in Quincy, and, as far as I can learn, there are no unemployed members, which is certainly a very gratifying condition of the state of trade, especially during mid-winter. I hear that some of the firms would put more men to work if they could get them. The amount of energy displayed by the bosses is unusual, when we take into consideration the fact that they have always been in the habit of laying off a large number of men during the winter months. I have not the least doubt the motive is a selfish one. It may mean that they are preparing for trouble or that they are only endeavoring to get as much work done as possible before the working hours are reduced to eight, which will mean an increase in cost. We sincerely hope it is the latter.

"Quincy branch held a special meeting to take action on the Monthly Circular, and favored the election of a conference committee by a large majority. There has been no attempt made here to arrive at an understanding about our demands for March 1. But there is nothing strange about that. The Quincy bosses have always been in the habit of delaying action until the last minute. What they gain by delay has always been a mystery to me, but I suppose without a certain amount of fighting both sides would think they were being cheated."

From Misssion to Church.

The dedication of the new East Milton Baptist church tomorrow marks an important epoch in the history of the society. The Leader says, The East Milton Baptist church was begun as a Mission by Rev. Nathan Hunt, pastor of the Wiley Memorial church, in September, 1887, the first public service being held in Washington hall. Previous to this time cottage prayer meetings had been held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Luce in the stone house at the corner of Squantum and Adams streets. On October, 1888, a mission chapel was dedicated on Bryant avenue in what is now the residence of L.F. Brown. The church was organized in 1890 with a membership of 22. The Sunday school was organized in April, 1888, with a membership of 33. September 2, 1891, J. Albert Simpson, Charles A. Geddes, Rev. Nathan Hunt, D. J. Brown, M. J. Clements and W. W. Robertson were appointed a building committee looking to the erection of the present structure.

In June, 1893, ground was broken for the cellar of the building and the chapel room was dedicated Jan. 23, 1894, the late Rev. A. S. Gumbart delivering the sermon and Rev. W. H. Eaton the prayer of dedication.

The Concert Next Week.

The following press notices will be of interest to all music lovers who intend to enjoy the rich musical treat prepared for them, Tuesday evening, February 27, in Music hall, by the Quincy and Wollaston boy choirs and assisting soloists:

"The Coliseum, which will seat 2,000 was well filled at the concert this evening. Silas R. Mills received a most enthusiastic reception and his singing of the Romanza from Verdi's Simon Boccanegra, and in Schuberts's songs, 'Resting Place,' and 'The Wanderer's Night Song', called forth the heartiest of applause."—New York Time.

"One of the greatest successes of the evening was achieved by Silas R. Mills in his delightful singing of Schubert's songs. He has a superb voice of sympathetic quality, and sings with the repose and security of the finished artist.—Detroit Free Press.

Milton Electrics.

The Milton Leader reports that at 12 o'clock Saturday night the Boston, Milton & Brockton street railway passed from under the control of the Quincy division of the Massachusetts Electric Co., to that of the Brockton division, a majority of the stock having come under the control of Horace B. Rogers, general manager of the Brockton street railway. Some changes in the line of better accommodations may be looked for by the citizens. The first evidence of the new regime is a new style of "scholars ticket." Negotiations for the change had been in progress for some time.

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TO NEW ORLEANS.

Massachusetts Party Leave for Editorial Convention.

The National Editorial Association will hold their fifteenth Annual Convention at New Orleans, commencing March 1, and continuing through the week.

The delegates from this State, which includes Mr. Prescott of this city, have hired a commodious Pullman car for the entire trip,—some 7,000 miles probably, before their return. The party numbering about thirty-two ladies and gentlemanwill leave Boston from the North Union station at 3 o'clock, on Tuesday next; going via Fitchburg, West Shore and Wabash Railroad to St. Louis, where they expect to meet several hundred delegates from the North and West, and hold informal exercises in honor of Washington's birthday.

On Thursday evening the editors and ladies will leave St. Louis by special train with the Massachusetts car attached, for Memphis, Tenn., where they are expected to arrive in season for breakfast; followed by a reception and entertainment by the citizens headed by Mayor J. J. Williams; followed by addresses, a dinner and a trolley ride around the city. The editors will have an opportunity to become acquainted with this historic and great commercial city of the South; said to be the largest lumber and inland cotton market of the world.

Leaving Memphis the same evening the train will arrive at Greneda, Miss., the next morning, where a reception and breakfast will be given by the citizens. After a short stop the train will move on for Jackson, the capital of Mississippi, arriving about noon, where dinner will be given them at the Edwards and Lawrence hotels.

Jackson is the home of Hon. R. H. Henry, president of the association, where a grand time is expected. After breakfast the visitors will be given a trolley ride over the city, visiting the State institutions, the legislature and an informal reception at the home of the president. At 7.30 the citizens will give the editors a public reception at the Opera House where addresses of welcome by the Governor, the Mayor and other distinguished gentlemen will be delivered. The banquet will be prepared by the ladies of Jackson and will doubtless be one of the finest ever spread in the Capital city.

After the banquet which will last well into the night the editors will repair to their sleepers and awake the next morning in the historic hill city of Vicksburg where they will be given a worthy greeting by the citizens.

After breakfast a trolley ride will be taken to visit the Government Cemetery on the old battle-ground where 1600, Union soldiers are buried. A dinner and reception will follow.

Monday, Feb. 26th the train will arrive in New Orleans where a Reception Committee will be at the station to welcome the editors. The day will be devoted to witnessing "Arrival of Rex" and other exercises and spectacular parades connected with Mardi Gras and "Proteus" at night. Tuesday will be the great day—Mardi Gras at noon; Comus at night.

Wednesday will be a day for rest. In the evening welcome exereises.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday will be largely devoted to the National Convention with reception and theatre parties in the evenings.

After the convention a side trip to Southern California is being arranged but as yet full particulars are not known.

Mr. Prescott will be accompanied by two daughters, Miss Etta M. and Miss Annie L. Prescott. They will be gone about a month and a very pleasant trip is anticipated by them.

INOCULATING LOCUSTS.

Farmers Can Now Produce a Disease Which Kills Them by Thousands.

The locust, or grasshopper, inflicts enormous damage annually. Of late years it has been most destructive in Algeria and Morocco and in South and East Africa, says the Chicago Record, but the United States has not by any means escaped its ravages. Four years ago the locusts of Cape Colony were almost destroyed by an epidemic. It was proved that the disease was the result of feeding on a fungous growth now known as "locus fungus" and that a few insects affected with the malady might communicate it to millions. Experiments on a large scale have shown that immense swarms of the insects perish in a few days after a number of individuals in each group are infected.

The culture from the locust fungus is now made on a large scale in bacteriological institutions and packed in tubes, which can be transported for thousands of miles. It is applied by smearing several insects and letting them rejoin their swarm or by dropping the contents of the tube upon bits of humid earth where the insects are feeding. Another plan is to bottle up the locusts with a little of their favorite food covered with the culture and after they have taken their fill to set them at liberty. The new remedy has been tried with great success in South Africa. The tubes are to be supplied gratuitously to planters, missionaries and merchants, and their distribution undoubtedly will save many farmers from ruin.



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GOEBEL'S SUCCESSOR.

Man Whom Kentucky Democrats Would Seat as Governor.

Mr. J. C. W. Beckham, who was the candidate for lieutenant governor of Kentucky on the Goebel ticket and who is now being supported by the Kentucky Democrats in their contest for the governorship, is probably the youngest aspirant for gubernatorial honors the Blue Grass State has ever seen. He is only 30 years old and is particularly boyish in appearance, being slight of physique and having a smooth face.

Mr. Beckham is a member of one of the oldest families in Kentucky. His father was William N. Beckham and his mother Julia T. Wickliffe, daughter of Governor Charles A. Wickliffe, former chief executive of the state. His earliest education was received in a private school at Bardstown. In the legislative session of 1881 and 1882 he acted as a page in the house of representatives. In January, 1884, he entered Central Union college of Richmond, graduating in 1886.

Immediately after leaving college Mr. Beckham began the study of law



J. C. W. BECKHAM.

and while pursuing his work in this direction acted as principal of the Bardstown High school for three years. In 1893 he began the practice of law on his own account in Bardstown. On the day he became of age he was forthwith nominated for the Kentucky house of representatives and was elected. He declined to be a candidate at the next term, but the representative who succeeded him having dropped out Mr. Beckham accepted the position and served the unexpired term. He was re-elected in 1897 and made speaker of the house in 1898.

In 1899 he was nominated for lieutenant governor on the same ticket with William Goebel at the Louisville convention. Few men in Kentucky have had so brilliant a career within so short a time, and his followers have felt that he would be a credit to the state in the chair of chief executive.

No Longer an Aid.

The officers, past and present, of the Yacht Racing Association, seem to be rather stirred up over the withdrawal of the Quincy Yacht Club. If the association is in such a strong position as they claim, it is rather strange that they are so quickly placed on the defensive. The Herald yachting columns have always supported the association as far as they thought it was right, but when it legislated to itself all its present power the Y. R. A. M. is no longer an aid to yacht racing.—Sunday Herald.



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TATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 15, 1900.
TICE is hereby given that William F. Macy and J. P. Fitts have made applica- this Board for license to build a pile nd dredge a channel in Quincy Bay, at Neck, in the city of Quincy, said begin at a point near the junction of avenue and Babcock street, as per plans d said application; and WEDNESDAY, t day of February, 1900, at 11 o'clock, nd this office, have been assigned as the d place for hearing all parties interested
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WOODWARD EMERY, Chairman.
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onwealth of Massachusetts.
TATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 16, 1900.
Committee on Mercantile Affairs will ve a hearing to parties intersted in ill, No. 447 an act relating to the licen- engineers and firemen at room No. 431, ouse, on WEDNESDAY, Feb. 21st, at k A. M.
FRED JOY, Chairman.
THOMAS F. PORTER,
10-2t Clerk of the Committee.

onwealth of Massachusetts.
TATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 16, 1900.
Committee on Cities will give a hearing parties interested in House Bill No. 674, of John O. Hall, Mayor) relative to ment of assessors and assistant assessors y, at room No. 444, State House, on AY, February 19th, at 10.30 o'clock
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TODAY'S COURT.

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Prince was arraigned for drunkenness y. Case continued until Tuesday.
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se of James Dean, Jr., of Randolph, n continued March 31.
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Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

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Per order of the Board,

JAMES THOMPSON, Principal Assessor.

Feb. 15. 1p-2w

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Oct. 6 tf

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W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
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BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
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ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
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EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter 6 11:23 a. m. | Full Moon 14 8:50 a. m.
Third Quarter 22 11:44 a. m.

After the Wedding.



"I ain't got nuthin ag'in th' custom o' throwin old shoes at bridal parties, but I'd like ter git my hands on th' blamed coyote thet throwed a boot thet hed a cavalry spur on to it!"—New York Journal.

Faithful to Mother Country.

St. John's, Feb. 19.—The speech of Governor McCallum at the opening of the Newfoundland legislature today intimated that the session has been called at the request of the imperial government to renew the modus vivendi on the treaty coast, so that French fishermen may be enabled to prepare for the summer's operations without delay. The reply of the legislature declares that the colony's loyal subjects are in readiness to assist the mother country in the present crisis by enacting the desired measure.

Elephants Ran Amuck.

London, Feb. 19.—At the Crystal Palace yesterday two large elephants belonging to the circus ran amuck, killed their keeper and gored another man. There was a terrible panic in the audience attending the concert in the palace. One animal was captured after great damage to property. The other escaped through the grounds, but was captured late last evening in the suburb of Beckenham.

Good Imitations of "Cartwheels."

Toledo, Feb. 19.—Through the arrest of George E. Smith at Bowling Green late Saturday night the federal authorities here hope to find some clue to the identity of counterfeiters who have been flooding Toledo and neighboring towns with counterfeit silver dollars of the dates of 1879 and 1881. The counterfeits have the true ring and some have passed Toledo banks. Smith, when arrested, had 33 of the 1879 dollars in his pockets.

"Roasted" the British.

Boston, Feb. 19.—An audience of 1500 people greeted Miss Maud Gonne last night and listened to her scathing denunciation of England in connection with the South African war, hissing loudly whenever the name of Joseph Chamberlain was mentioned and applauding every attack upon the British nation. The speech was practically the same as that delivered recently in other places.

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PUERTO RICAN TARIFF.

Possibility That the Republican Measure May Meet With Defeat.

Relation of United States to Its Insular Possessions

Will Be Discussed to a Great Extent in Upper Branch of Congress This Week.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The house today enters upon the consideration of the Puerto Rican tariff bill, and the debate on it promises to be memorable in the history of this congress.

The Republicans, in framing the bill, have proceeded upon the theory that the constitution and its immunities do not extend over Puerto Rico. The Democrats are solidly arrayed upon the other side, and in committee they were joined by one Republican, Mr. McCall of Massachusetts. Among the other Republicans who take the same view is Mr. Littlefield of Maine, who succeeded the late Mr. Dingley. He won his spurs in the debate upon the Roberts case, and is already considered one of the most powerful debaters in the house.

The support of these two prominent Republicans has raised some hopes in the opposition that they may be able to defeat the bill, although this hardly seems probable at this writing. Both sides are preparing for a royal struggle. Mr. Payne, the floor leader of the majority, will open in support of the bill. He will be followed by Mr. Richardson, the minority leader, and Mr. Bailey of Texas will close for the minority. The debate will continue throughout the week and the vote will be taken on the following Monday.

Late Saturday afternoon the house passed the legislative, executive and judicial appropriations bill, after having it under consideration four days. A spirited colloquy between Mr. Sulzer and Mr. Grosvenor was the feature of Saturday's session. Fresh from the anti-trust conference in Chicago, Mr. Sulzer directed the attention of the house to the "monster monopolies," which, he said, were being fostered by the Republican administration. He adverted, in passing, to Ohio politics.

These utterances drew the fire of General Grosvenor, who referred to the "political garbage" which Mr. Sulzer had brought back to Washhington after his "hippodroming" tour through the west as a "vice presidential candidate."

The civil service appropriation, which was stricken out of the appropriation bill in the committee of the whole, was restored in the house by a vote of 77 to 123.

The attention of the senate this week will be given largely to the relations of the United States to its insular possessions. The bill providing a form of government for the Hawaiian Islands has right of way, and if it should be so fortunate as to be finally acted upon before the close of the week the Puerto Rican bill, under the agreement made in the Republican caucus last week, will be immediately taken up.

The probabilities are that the Hawaiian bill will be debated at considerable length, and that many amendments will be offered to it. On this account, and because it may be made the basis of more or less general talk on the question of the policy to be pursued towards the new possessions, considerable time will be necessary to the final disposal of the bill.

All admit the urgency of legislation giving the Hawaiians a government, but there are some points on which there are radical differences of opinion, and this will have to be fought out. The most important of these is the question as to whether the commercial intercourse between the islands shall be under a tariff or under the free trade system allowed between the states of the Union. The bill provides for free trade, but several of the senators, under the leadership of Senator Platt of Connecticut, are making an effort to secure radical amendment in this respect.

Senator Cullom, in charge of the bill, will resist, and he will be supported by some Republicans and nearly all the Democratic members.

Practically the same fight will be made on the Puerto Rican bill.

On Wednesday Senator Lodge will deliver a prepared speech on the Philippine situation, dealing with the whole insular question to an extent. Senator Kenney, also, will deliver a set speech on the Philippine question on Tuesday.

It is quite possible that the conference report on the currency bill will be brought in during the week, and, if so, everything else will be laid aside for its consideration.

But Little Inconvenience.

Boston, Feb. 19.—So rapidly did the coast storm move yesterday that it had spent its fury in this vicinity by noon. No disasters occurred off this portion of the Atlantic coast. About 10 inches of snow fell in Boston, but on Cape Cod and in Maine the precipitation was somewhat heavier, and there was considerable delay in traffic, while electric street railroads were nearly all tied up except in the large cities. The snow, however, was of a light quality and very little further inconvenience or delay is anticipated.

Commission Not Filled.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The president has not yet selected all the members of the Philippine commission, which Judge Taft is to head. The name of John J. Vertress has been mentioned to the president as a southern representative on the commission, but the statement that he has been offered a place is erroneous.

Prospectors Tack'e New Diggings.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 19.—The steamer Jess, which arrived yesterday from Skagway, brings a report the most of the gold hunters who started from Dawson to Nome are making a cut off to the recently-found diggings on the Kyoku.

MAY GET TOGETHER LATER.

New Association of Baseball Clubs Is Killed However, For the Present.

Baltimore, Feb. 19.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the New American Association Baseball club the future of the club was discussed, and it was unanimously agreed that the organization should be kept up. The action of Peterson and McGraw in refusing to go on with the association under the present auspices was ratified, but it was thought that by the end of the year matters would be in a different position and the association could be formed and carried out to a successful conclusion, in which case Baltimore would be ready to go in.

When asked what effect in his opinion the efforts of George D. Schäefer, the promoter of the St. Louis Association club, to hold the association together would have, McGraw said he feared there was not enough time left before the beginning of the playing season in which to attend to the details of organizing the circuit, even if the association managers succeeded in securing enough clubs. As for Baltimore, he said his action in withdrawing had been endorsed by the stockholders of the club, and Baltimore is out of it for the present.

He and Petersen have answered Schaefer's telegrams to that effect. McGraw reiterated his former statement that the inability of the Philadelphia promoters to secure their financial backdid more than anything else to cause the failure of the scheme.

A Sunday Duel.

Ottumwa, Ia., Feb. 19.—Leslie Eastburn, aged 21, called at Jaspar Sutton's home yesterday to take Sutton's 13-year-old daughter to church. The father ordered Eastburn away. An altercation ensued, and Sutton followed Eastburn to the road and weapons were drawn by both men. Eastburn fired first, killing Sutton. Many people who were en route to church witnessed the duel.

Inmates Were All Rescued.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Feb. 19.—The Gallaudet Home for the Deaf and Dumb, situated south of this city, was completely destroyed by fire last night. The 36 inmates were safely rescued and taken to a farmhouse a quarter of a mile away. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is about $45,000.

Textile Workers' Plans.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 19.—The textile council of this city, representing the entire body of mill operatives, will meet during the week and take decisive action upon the scale of wages which will be presented to the executive committee of the Manufacturers' association for their consideration. said

Serious Fire In Stable.

Boston, Feb. 19.—A stable in the rear of 498 Albany street, owned by the David Kimball estate, and occupied by William C. Norcross & Co., was burned last night, and eight horses so badly burned that it was necessary to kill them.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The First Baptist society of Portland, Me., voted to extend a call to Rev. Franklin G. McKeever of New London, Conn., to become pastor of the church.

Rev. Samuel A. Eliot, secretary of the American Unitarian association, who was recently called to the pastorate of the South Congregational church, Boston, as the successor to Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale, has declined to accept call, and will remain in his present sition.

While carrying a package upstairs in a house at Somerville, Mass., George D. Fay, an expressman, lost his balance and fell downstairs, breaking his neck, dying immediately.

Six hundred Finlanders have just sailed from Liverpool for Canada, making about 8000 who have emigrated during the past six months.

Harry Vardon, golf champion of England, won for himself the title of champion of the world by defeating Willie Smith, the American champion, by 2 up and 1 to play, in a 36-hole match.

Rev. Dr. Maunsell Van Rensselaer died at Lakewood, N. J. He was born in Albany, April 15, 1819. Dr. Van Rensselaer was formerly president of Devoe college, Niagara City, N. Y., and afterwards president of Hobart college, Geneva, N. Y.

Rev. J. H. Henrickson, pastor of the Swedish Congregational church at Orange, Mass., has accepted a call to a church in Bridgeport, Conn.

Rev. H. B. Foskett, pastor of the First Baptist church, Adams, Mass., has withdrawn his resignation, in response to a desire on the part of his congregation.

Miss Sarah Porter, head of the famous school at Farmington, Conn., is dead, at the age of 85. She established her school about 50 years ago.

Joseph Cowen, proprietor of the Newcastle Chronicle and a member of parliament for Newcastle from 1873 to 1886, died at London.

Rev. John S. Davenport, lineal descendant of Rev. John Davenport of the New Havan colony, died at Hartford, aged 92. He was born at Stamford, Conn., and was graduated from Yale in 1833.

David White, aged 65, a widower, who lived alone, committed suicide at Orange, Conn., by shooting. He contrived to fix a rifle in such a way that when he pulled a string it went off. The bullet entered his brain, and he evidently died instantly.

Rev. C. G. Roberts, pastor of the Union Baptist church of Pawtucket, R. I., died suddenly of heart failure at Providence.

Jack Hudson of Chicago quit, after the second round of a bout at Chicago with Owen Zeigler because, as he said, his adversary was too heavy for him.

What was to be a 20-round bout at Toronto between Casper Leon of New York and Jimmy Smith of Toronto, at 115 pounds, came to an end in the 10th round, when Smith knocked Leon down and out.

The Trianon music hall at Paris was destroyed by fire a few hours after the conclusion of a variety performance. Several firemen were slightly injured. The loss is heavy.

Rev. Dr. Gilligan of St. Joseph's church, Medford, Mass., died at Norfolk. Dr. Gilligan left Medford for Pinehurst, N. C., three weeks ago, for his health.

TWO WEIGHTY OPINIONS

As to Policy Which Should Be Pursued Toward Newly Acquired Colonies.

New York, Feb. 19.—"I think congress has vested in it the authority to legislate for the island possessions of the United States," said J. C. Carter, the constitutional lawyer, last night. "If we are going to hold these islands there will have to be special legislation for them, for they are not portions of the United States.

"I am unconditionally a free trader, and as such could express approval of no other policy for these newly-acquired colonies. Of course, the natives of the colonies are not citizens of the United States, and laws that are enacted for them must, in the very nature of things, differ from those enacted for the states.

"You may say for me most emphatically that I believe we have no right to keep the Philippine islands at all, and that we never did have such a right. The fact that we have helped the Filipinos to gain their independence from Spain's rule did not entitle us to assume that rule ourselves."

E. Ellery Anderson said: "Of course the colonists are not citizens. The colonies are dependent upon the United States for their laws, unless they are given absolute independence, and permitted to govern themselves, which is improbable for the present at least. I cannot see, though, why it is equitable or lawful to grant free trade to Puerto Rico and refuse it to the Philippine islands. At present I am inclined to the opinion that the Philippines cannot yet be regarded as part of the United States, but if they are, there certainly should be no tariff on trade between the United States and the islands."

City Properly Misused.

Boston, Feb. 19.—The Transcript says that Mayor Hart, with the aid of Alderman Tinkham, has made a thorough investigation of the lamp department, and as a result Mayor Hart asked Superintendent Donovan for his resignation, which was tendered. It was disclosed that much material which was not needed when the boulevard lamps were substituted for the old kind had been taken to the various city yards and there broken up and sold for old junk. In one case 1424 lamps had been broken into 13,537 pounds of copper by a junk dealer. No payment for the property had been made, but the dealer is ready to settle with the city at 9 cents a pound.

Appeal In Molineux Case.

New York, Feb. 19.—In order that there might be no mistake, and that Roland B. Molineux might not be executed before the court of appeals passes on his trial, Warden Johnson has been served with a certified copy of the notice of appeal in the poison case. The appeal was served by Messrs. Weeks and Battle immediately after Molineux was sentenced to death. As soon as the certified copy was placed in the warden's hands it acted as a stay of execution, so that Molineux cannot be put to death until the upper courts have ruled his case adversely.

Railway Properly Lost by Fire.

Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 19.—The Haverhill, Georgetown and Danvers Street Railway company's barn at Georgetown was burned yesterday, causing a loss of $25,000. The only property saved was the snowplow, which had just left the barn to clear the track. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an overheated stove.

Charges Unsustained.

Louisville, Feb. 19.—The grand jury refused to indict State Senator Harrell on John I. Whallen's charge of obtaining money by false pretences. Whallen charged Harrell with attempting to influence him to keep away from the Democratic caucus and declared Harrell had paid him $4500 for this purpose.

Mexican Troops Advance.

Oaxaca, Mex., Feb. 19.—General Bravo's force of government troops has driven back the Maya Indians and taken possession of several important towns that were occupied by the rebels during the week. The country occupied by the Mayas is little known to the outside world. Its natural riches are great.

Frozen to Death.

Colchester, Conn., Feb. 19.—The lifeless body of John Eaton, aged 60, whose home was in East Haddam, was found on the highway about a mile and a half west of the village yesterday. He had been overcome by the storm as he was returning home Saturday night, and was frozen to death.

Will Leave Margin In Treasury.

Havana, Feb. 19.—The civil governor of the province of Pinar del Rio, in his estimate of the incomes and expenditures of the various municipalities for the first three months of the present year, places the aggregate receipts at $46,591, and the aggregate outlay at $36,803.

Hadn't Gone Through the Mails.

New York, Feb. 19.—Three men and two women, who were arrested in a raid on an alleged headquarters of a "green goods gang," were all discharged in police court. No evidence could be found that the captured green goods circulars had been sent through the mails.

Severe Assault Upon a Woman.

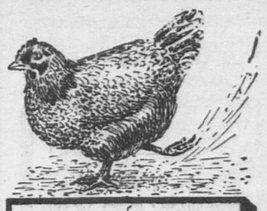
Lewiston, Me., Feb. 19.—Dennis Sullivan is alleged to have assaulted his wife three times yesterday, one time throwing a kettle of hot water, scalding one foot and her body very badly. Sullivan was arrested after a severe fight. Mrs. Sullivan is in a critical condition.

Suspected of Carrying Contraband.

Port Elizabeth, Feb. 19.—The British steamer Sabine, Captain Taylor, from New York, Jan. 4, with a miscellaneous cargo, has been seized by the British gunboat Thrush and brought to Delagoa bay, on suspicion of having on board articles contraband of war.

Accused of Robbing Aunt.

Boston, Feb. 19.—William B. Smith, aged 24 years, is under arrest on a warrant charging him with breaking into the house of his aunt, Lottie Smith, and stealing property valued at $1900.



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Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts lb.
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts. lb.
Round Steak,	16 cts. lb.
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The premises to be sold are bounded and described as follows, viz: A certain lot of land containing 5,400 square feet with the buildings thereon situated in Quincy, Mass., and being lot No. 31, on a plan of house lots on Cranch hill made by H. T. Whitman, dated Jan. 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Plans and bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Northeasterly on Whitwell street, sixty (60) feet; southeasterly on lot No. 32 on said plan, ninety (90) feet; southwesterly on lot No. 38 on said plan, sixty (60) feet; northwesterly on lot No. 30 on said plan, ninety (90) feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Fannie C. Tunnicliff by John Swithin et al, trustees, by deed dated Jan. 25, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds is libro 819, folio 511.

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

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Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.40, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

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Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

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r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 9.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. and 9 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.50, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.50, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 20 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every hour and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 8 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and from West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.00 P. M.

Holiday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

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Transfer tickets from South Braintree for Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or Adams Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Broad avenue or City Square. From other lines at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

FROM BOSTON.			TO BOSTON.		
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abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49	r
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abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49	r
abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49	r
abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49	r
abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49	r
abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19	r
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abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49	r
abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06	r
abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19	r
abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36	r
abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49	r
abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19	r
abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49	r
abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53	r
abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49	r
abcdefghil	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53	r
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abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49	r

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abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49	r
abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19	r
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Letters in the same line as the figures show different stations and indicate that

abc, as follows:

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Milton, h, Crescent Avenue.
Fairmount, i, South Boston.
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Quincy, Feb. 17. tf

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

A TURN IN THE TIDE.

Reports of British Successes From Many Quarters.

An Unconfirmed Story That Cronje Is Surrounded.

Hopes That Kelly-Kenney and French Will Compel Engagement.

Possibility That the Boers' Main Army May Yet Be Found Strongly Fortified.

London, Feb. 20.—Yesterday was a day of British victories all along the line. General Buller reported excellent progress in his advance to force the Tugela once more and attempt to relieve Ladysmith.

At Dordrecht General Brabant's forces are reported to have driven back the Boers, while on the Modder river Roberts is believed to be having matters pretty much all his own way.

It is true that there is considerable regret felt that Roberts was not able to compel Cronje to fight before he got away, but it is hoped that Kelly-Kenney and French will yet be able to compel an engagement, if they have not already done so.

The war experts are a little puzzled over the situation at Kimberley, because of the absence of anything like full information in the official or even the press dispatches.

If the retreat of the Boers was hurried, as was at first intimated, it is considered impossible that they could have got away without having great destruction wrought on their rear guard. It is getting to be generally believed now that they had been preparing for retreat for several days, and had everything planned for the removal of their guns and stores.

This view of the case, together with the fact that Cronje has not been definitely located by anybody, has led to the belief that the main army will soon be heard from in another strongly fortified position. Already some of the correspondents have mentioned "a position of great strength" at Koffyfontein, and another report says the Boers are massing in great strength "north of Kimberley"

The situation as disclosed by correspondents over the Free State border is tantalizing to the public expectation. The elementary facts are that the Boers are marching eastward toward Bloemfontein, with slow moving baggage trains, and that they are pursued by Lord Kitchener, with General Kelly-Kenny's division. General MacDonald, with the Highlanders, made a forced march to Koodoo's Rand ford, and, on Sunday, pushed 20 miles westward. General French left Kimberly Saturday, going east along the Modder river. Lord Kitchener is trying to outmarch and to outflank the Boers, thus checking their retreat, if possible, and driving them back into the hands of MacDonald and French.

The war office message seems to indicate that Lord Kitchener has either got ahead of the Boers or is about to realize his plan and that the war office waits to announce a decisive result.

Meanwhile Commandant Delarey, with the Boers from Colesberg, is hanging on to the right flank of the British pursuing columns, seeking to delay their movement and so to assist the Boer wagon trains to escape.

Students of topography think the Boers will hardly risk a fight until they get into the rough country of Bloemfontein.

A Daily Mail correspondent, who was with the British convoy attacked by the Boers at Riet river ford, wires: Ultimately the British abandoned the convoy, in order not to check the advance. Thus 200 wagons and 600 tons of stores fall into the hands of the Boers, though it is doubtful if they will be able to carry them away.

General Buller has achieved a real success, apparently, in capturing the range of hills south of the Tugela. It makes more feasible another attempt to relieve Ladysmith.

Lord Roberts' generalship was conducted with such secrecy, says a telegram from Modder river, that even the senior officers who took the Sixth division through the preliminaries of the operation did not know what they would finally have to do.

Where Snow Is a Curiosity.

Santiago, Feb. 20.—Yesterday was the coldest recorded here, the temperature being 59 degrees Fahrenheit in the city in the morning. In the mountains, 10 miles off, the temperature was 40 degrees. A mountain, 20 miles to the northeast, with an altitude of 6000 feet, is covered with snow. Old residents say that 20 years ago snow fell in the mountains, but none has been observed since until yesterday, when hundreds of Cubans then saw snow for the first time.

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GRIEF HASTENED THE END.

Colonel Benjamin Lovell, One of the Bay State's Honored Sons, Passes Away.

Boston, Feb. 20.—Colonel Benjamin S. Lovell, president of the John P. Lovell Arms company of this city, and a prominent figure in G. A. R., political and business circles throughout New England, died at his home in Weymouth Monday afternoon.

Mr. Lovell was born in Weymouth, July 10, 1844. He received his early education in the public schools of his native town, and at the age of 17 enlisted in company A, Forty-second regiment, which was made up of volunteers from Weymouth. He served in the Department of the Gulf until his regiment was mustered out Aug. 20, 1863.

He was prominent in the Masonic order and the Odd Fellows, in the Grand Army



and in the clubs of Boston. He held many positions of honor and trust in the organization of war veterans.

In 1880, 1881 and 1882 he was a member of Governor Long's staff, with the title of colonel; also on Governor Greenhalge's staff in 1896. He was also a delegate to the national Republican conventions of 1880, 1884, 1888, 1892. He was re-elected councilor from the Second district in 1896-97.

He served his district in the legislature in 1877, 1878, 1885, entering the contest in the latter year for the special purpose of championing the soldiers' exemption bill, and was elected to the senate in 1883 from the First Norfolk district.

From his schooldays, excepting the period during the Civil War, Mr. Lovell was actively interested in the business of his father, John P. Lovell. Nearly 20 years ago he and his three brothers were taken in as partners, and the firm became known as John P. Lovell & Sons. In 1887, to meet the demands of the steady increase of business, the firm was merged into the corporation known as the John P. Lovell Arms company. Benjamin was the treasurer for many years, and upon the death of his father, a few years ago, he succeeded to the head of the concern as president.

The death of two of his brothers within the past two years seemed to weigh heavily upon him, and this grief, coupled with his business cares, added to his decline in health. He kept at work until a few months ago, when he became prostrated. The financial reverses of the company served to depress him and probably hastened the end.

Senator Lodge's Mother Dead.

Boston, Feb. 20.—In her home at 21 Beacon street, where she had passed in peaceful contentment the declining years of her long and useful life, Anna Cabot Lodge, the widow of the late John E. Lodge, and mother of United States Senator Lodge, died yesterday, at the age of 79. Up to within a moment of release, Mr. Lodge was in her usual good health. She passed away without any suffering or apparent pain. Mrs. Lodge was the daughter of Henry Cabot. She is the last of her line of family. Mrs. Lodge's marriage to her husband, who was the son of an Englishman, took place in 1842.

Sharkey Scores a Knockout.

Detroit, Feb. 20.—Tom Sharkey last night knocked out Jim Jeffords, the California aspirant for heavyweight honors, in the second round of what was to have been a 10-round bout. They were breaking from a clinch when Sharkey whipped his right over to Jeffords' head, and Jeffords went down. Referee Hogan counted him out, and it was several minutes before he recovered sufficiently to talk.

Silvela's Statement Denied.

London, Feb. 20.—A dispatch from Madrid, saying that Premier Silvela recently declared in the senate that previous to the war with the United States the British government consented to let Spain have 8500 shells, which were being manufactured for her at the Maxims' factory at Placentia, meets with vigorous denial in London.

Forged Signature to Deed.

Boston, Feb. 20.—Henry A. Chase was yesterday given 18 months in the house of correction for forgery. Chase filled out and swore to a blank deed of a piece of property on which was the name of the owner of the property, which signature was forged. A mortgage was raised on the property after the deed had been recorded.

Extension of Time Granted.

New York, Feb. 20.—John B. McDonald, the contractor for the rapid transit railroad, applied to the transit commissioners yesterday for a further extension of 10 days in which to sign the contract. The board extended the time until next Monday, with the understanding that the contract would be signed on Feb. 24.

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IS READY TO TESTIFY.

Macrum Declares That He Will Back Up Every Word of His Statement.

Has Letters Opened by British Censor and Bearing His Seal.

Ex-Consul Is Said to Have Been a Most Industrious Government Official.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Charles E. Macrum, late consul at Pretoria, is delighted at the prospect of an investigation into the charges which he made against the administration officials and the British government a few days ago.

Personal friends of his say that he has with him a bundle of letters which had been opened by the British censor and which bear the censor's seal. Mr. Macrum says:

"Every word of my statement is true, and I propose to back up everything the paper contained. On my way home from South Africa I fully realized the importance of the charges, and this is why I refused to be interviewed or talk.

"When I wrote that statement I revised it several times and then read it over a couple of times. I was careful not to say anything that I could not prove. Now that I've made the charges I will not take back a single sentence or word."

Mr. Macrum was one of the most active, industrious and intelligent of the consuls in the service of the United States. He was a constant writer on affairs in which Americans might take an interest.

One of his many reports, of date Feb. 4, 1899, is now of interest in view of the discussion of the ability of the Boers to maintain the war with respect to their supply of ammunition. The report of Feb. 4 is on dynamite, and says:

"Consul Macrum has recently visited the dynamite factory. The company has an initial investment in ground and buildings of £600,000 ($2,919,900), and carries a stock of from £700,000 to £800,000 ($3,406,550 to $3,893,200) at all times.

"It is not at all unlikely that the Boers have equal facilities for the manufacture of all kinds of ammunition and arms inasmuch as they have made such a great investment in one kind of explosive." Among Consul Macrum's other articles of interest were:

"The Consumption of Goods in the Transvaal," "Gold in the Transvaal," "American Manufactures in the South African Republic," "Railroad Construction in the Transvaal," "Railways in the Transvaal," "Broom Factory in the Transvaal," "Gold Output of the Transvaal, 1899," "Diamond Production in the Transvaal."

Prisoners Became Boisterous.

New Haven, Feb. 20.—A fire, necessitating the second alarm, was discovered in the chair department of the county jail early this morning. The fire was confined to the brick building where it started. The loss will be several thousand dollars, and the Frankfort Chair company, the contractors, will be the heaviest losers. There are 246 prisoners in jail at present, and the fire was the occasion of much boisterous demonstration.

Doctored Books to Cover Deficit.

New York, Feb. 20.—Eugene Monahan is held in $2000 bail, charged with grand larceny in the first degree. Monahan was a bookkeeper employed by John Collins & Sons, cotton brokers, of this city. Monahan is charged with acting in collusion with Oscar Collins, the son of the senior member of the firm, and with doctoring the books to cover up a deficit of $30,000. Young Collins has not yet been arrested.

Gave Up Sitting Bull's Crowd.

Montreal, Feb. 20.—Jean Louis Legare, who surrendered Sitting Bull and hundreds of Sioux Indians to the United States government in 1881 and 1882, has come from the northwest on his way to Ottawa, to push, with the promised help of the Dominion government, his claim for $13,400, and interest from the time of its presentation 18 years ago.

Voted Want of Confidence.

St. John's, Feb. 20.—The government was defeated on a vote of want of confidence last night, three followers of A. B. Morine, who lately resigned the portfolio of marine and fisheries, voting against Premier Winter. Mr. Morine is in England. The premier will resign, and the government will probably be reformed.

Overtaken by Justice.

Boston, Feb. 20.—A cablegram from Rome states that Antonio Peppe has been sentenced to serve seven years in an Italian prison. Peppe shot Minchello in Postoffice square about a year ago, and fled to Italy. Affidavits were forwarded there, and Peppe was tried on these affidavits.

Three Years For Manslaughter.

Boston, Feb. 20.—Tomasso Pescheta, for manslaughter, was yesterday sentenced to three years in state prison for causing the death of Jeremiah Long, a laborer. Long disputed with his landlady over a rent bill, and Pescheta took the woman's part, and stabbed Long in the neck.

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People are already beginning to think of their new wheel for Spring, and at present we are taking many orders.

The leading 1900 wheels with all the latest devices, are here for you to inspect.

Chainless, Cushion Frame and Coaster Brake Wheels.
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Many riders are finding it convenient to begin now and pay $1.00 or more each week on a new wheel to be delivered later.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,

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Wheel Department in Main Store this season.

Swansdown Flour

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	20	37	46	34	46
Monday,	30	48	45	40	38
Tuesday,	34	60	30	33	34
Wednesday,	—	38	48	38	51
Thursday,	—	45	50	37	35
Friday,	—	36	47	44	38
Saturday,	—	35	26	44	37

New Advertisements Today.

Parker's Perfect-Folding Sash Shade.
For Sale—Sleigh.

Good Afternoon.

"Money to spend in Quincy" was the caption of a Boston paper for the City Council meeting last night. Probably the writer wanted to say "Money to burn in Quincy.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Talk is that form of human speech which is exempt from all duties foreign and domestic. It is the nearest thing in the world to thinking and feeling aloud.—Columbia Spy.

☞ Gen. Buller still affirms that he has the key to the situation at Ladysmith. It looks very much as if it was not a key lock at all, but a combination one instead, and that Buller had failed in picking up the combination. Talk don't unlock those fellows— Milford Journal.

☞ Coal is quoted at $11 a ton to consumers in England, but the excessive price is due to scarcity. In the United States it is plentiful and yet it costs at least $2 ton more than it is worth. If any philosopher can make out a clean bill of conscience for the trust under these conditions, let him get at it.—Pawtucket Times.

☞ To carry out a cherished scheme of Francis Willard's, an association has been formed in Boston, for the establishment of a dipsomaniac's hospital. An extensive country place, fifteen miles from Boston, has been selected, and the canvass for funds has begun. In other directions equally strenuous efforts are making to keep up the supply of possible patients.—New Bedford Standard.

☞ There are already 1,000 Cuban children in the public schools now under American supervision and it is expected that by May 1, this number will increase to 150,000. Let the good work go on. This is the kind of imperialism that is steadily going on in these new lands, just as fast and as far as conditions will permit, under the administration of William McKinley—an imperialism that brings enlightment and self respect to people who under Spanish rule have been debased and kept in utter ignorance of their own possibilities for more than three hundred years.—Beverly Times.

Rev. F. T. Knight Improving.

Rev. F. T. Knight, pastor of the Park and Downs Congregational church, who was taken sick Christmas day, is improving fast, to the joy of his church people. Mr. Knight has been a hard worker in the church ever since he has been there, an certainly deserves great credit. He is a great friend of all the young people of the church and is always trying to make things pleasan, and agreeable for them. His Bible class of about twenty-five young ladies and gentlemen have missed him during his absence and will all greet him with welcome hands as soon as he is able, which it is thought will be in about two weeks.

TODAY'S COURT.

Robert Kerrigan and Frank Bavin were arraigned for the larceny of six rubber tires, valued at $12, from William Littlewood at Quincy. Case continued until March 1.

Robert Kerrigan, Edward Burke and Frank Bavin were arraigned for the larceny of one iron kettle from Joseph Cohen, at Quincy. Case continued until March 1.

The Spreckles sugar refinery at Philadelphia, owned by the American Sugar Refining company, which had been closed for a week, has started up on full time, and 1000 men have returned to work.

THE CITY WANTS NUMEROUS.

Many Orders for Appropriations Introduced at City Council Meeting Last Night.

Large Additional Sum Asked for the Completion of Coddington and Sea Streets.

Every ward was heard from in the way of orders and petitions at Monday night's meeting of the City Council, and a large amount of money will be necessary if they all receive favorable consideration. No absent members were noted.

MONEY FOR NEW DEPARTMENT.

Mayor Hall requested an appropriation of $300 for the Engineering department, until the budget was passed. Laid on the table until later, when an order for that amount was offered.

SCHOOL PLUMBING.

The Mayor forwarded a letter of the Commissioner of Public Works, stating that the appropriation of $2,500 was not sufficient to complete the plumbing of the Wollaston and Coddington school buildings, and that $1,290 had already been expended and charged to Repairs of Public Buildings. He requested an appropriation of $1,500 to cover this amount. Laid on the table until later when an order was offered.

SCHOOL LOT.

The Mayor sent a communication stating there had been a misunderstanding as to price of land on Whitwell street for a school house. Referred to Committee on Public Buildings.

THANKS.

A communication was received from the Quincy Yacht club, expressing thanks for the use of the Council chamber.

LOCATION WANTED.

The Mayor forwarded a letter received from Gibbs, Brower & Co. who are looking for a location for factory purposes. Referred to a special committee of one from each ward.

SEA STREET LOCATION.

The Mayor called attention to the change in the present lay out of Sea street, and suggested some changes, and that a public hearing be given on the same. Referred to the Committee on Streets.

The Mayor forwarded a report of the City Engineer on the expense of completing Coddington and Sea streets, including curbing, fences, etc. The estimated expense was $16,629. Laid on the table until later, when an order for $17,000 was offered.

OTHER COMMUNICATONS.

The Mayor forwarded a letter of George A. Brown setting forth the need of a fire alarm box at the corner of Farrington street and Broadway, Wollaston. Referred to Committee on Fire Department.

A communication was received from Ida A. McIntyre relative to refund of taxes. Referred to Committee on Finances.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were received as follows:

That $1500 be appropriated for laying out Rogers street.

That Forrest avenue extension be laid out.

That Newbury avenue be laid out from Glover avenue to Hollis avenue.

That paved gutters be built on Prospect avenue.

That Hollis avenue be laid out.

That the travelled part of North on the west side be widened and a sidewalk built.

All referred to Committee on Streets.

DAMAGES CLAIMED.

Charles C. Foster petitioned for damages for injuries received, at the fire of C. C. Hearn on Dec. 17, 1899, by the breaking of a ladder upon which he was at work as a fireman. Said injuries incapaciated him from duty for thirty days. Referred to the Executive department.

STREET RAILWAY LOCATION.

The Quincy & Boston street railway petitioned for a change of location on Coddington and Sea streets. Referred to the Committee on Streets, who later offered an order for a public hearing on the same March 12. Adopted.

Several petitions were received for minor licenses, and military aid, which were referred.

CRANCH HILL SCHOOL.

The Committee on Public Buildings reported an order for $150 to change the plans for the Cranch Hill schoolhouse. Ordered to a second reading.

Later upon motion of Councilman Packard the reference was withdrawn and a motion made to suspend the rules.

Councilman Poland objected. It was throwing money away. $50 was appropriated last year for this purpose but by a technicality the order read to change the plans of the Lincoln school instead of the Gridley Bryant.

Councilman Packard—The Mayor requested an appropriation. The Committee looked into it thoroughly, and found it necessary to change the plans.

Councilman Poland asked Commissioner Knowlton why the $50 was not used?

Commissioner Knowlton.—The order stated the building should be according to plans of the Gridley Bryant school, while the appropriation of $50 was to change the Lincoln school plans. The present plan was drawn to place the building on a flat lot while the Cranch Hill lot is on a side hill. Then it was necessary to change the closets so as to connect with the sewer.

President Bryant.—Do you say the plans have got to be changed?

Commissioner Knowlton.—Yes.

President Bryant.—Then I rule the order out of order.

JUNK LICENSES.

The Committee on Licenses recommended that the matter of revoking certain junk dealers licenses be referred to the Board of Health. Adopted.

LIMIT FOR NEW BUSINESS.

The Committee on Ordinances and Rules, reported an amendment to the rules, which provided that all petitions for streets, bridges, public buildings, etc., and repairs of the same, received after Sept. 1, be referred to the next Council.

Councilman Freeman moved to lay on the table.

Councilman Newcomb objected; the Mayor wanted the business done the early part of the season.

Councilman Packard favored the motion. "What are we here for?" He believed citizens should have a right to petition the City Council at any time.

Motion to lay on the table voted.

FURNACE BROOK NUISANCE.

The Committee on Finance reported an order for $650 for rebuilding the Furnace brook culvert. Ordered to a second reading.

OTHER REPORTS.

The Committee on Streets recommended reference to the Executive department of the petition of John Hersey for damages by the widening of Coddington street. Adopted.

The Committee on Streets reported an order granting the New England Telephone Co. a location for poles on Sea and Spear streets and Quincy avenue. Ordered to a second reading.

QUNCY POINT BRIDGE.

The joint committee on Legislative Matters and Streets reported ought to pass, on the resolution that the Mayor appear at the Legislative hearing and favor the passage of the bill to widen the Quincy Point bridge. Rules suspended and the resolution passed.

THEY ALL HAD ORDERS.



New orders were introduced as follows:

For $6,000, for paving the east side of Hancock street, between Elm avenue and Linden street. Referred to joint committee on Finance and Streets.

For $1,500 for tar concrete sidewalk on the north side of Beach steet, under the betterment act, from Willow street to Rawson road. Referred to Committee on Streets.

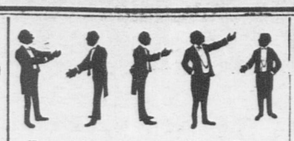
For one additional light on Washington street, between Elm and Pond streets. Referred to Committee on Streets.

For a concrete sidewalk on southwest side of Chestnut and Bigelow streets. Referred to Committee on Streets.

For $30,000 with receipts from services, for extension of water mains, $2,000 of which to be expended for hydrants. Referred to Committee on Water Supply.

For $500, for grading and resurfacing Webster street.

For $300, to complete the work of grading Madison street.



For $600, for regrading Furnace avenue.

For two arc lights on Nightingale avenue.

For stone cross walks on School street opposite Phipps street, and on Phipps street at its junction with School street.

For $400 for grading and resurfacing Glover avenue.

For $1,500 for completing the grading and resurfacing of Billings road.

For $1,000 for regrading Breakneck hill on Grove street. For $200 for completing the grading of Federal avenue and Goddard street.

For $1,000 for completing of Howard street.

For $200, for completing the widening and grading of School street.

All referred to the Committee on Streets.

Councilman Johnson offered an order for $2,000 for grading and fencing of the John Hancock school lot. Referred to Committee on Public Buildings.

Councilman Nichols offered a resolution that the Mayor and Committee on Legislative Matters appear at the hearing Feb. 27, at the State House, and favor the bill relating to bridges in Norfolk and Plymouth counties. Adopted.

CALENDAR.

The order granting the New England Telephone Co. a location for 38 poles on West street took its second reading and was passed under suspension of the rules.

A JUNKET.

Councilman Newcomb read a letter from the Fore River Engine Co. inviting the City Council to visit the works, and inspect the torpedo boat destroyers under construction for the government, on Thursday, March 1, at 3 o'clock, at which hour a special car will leave City Square.

Adjourned at 8.55.

Turnover At Milton.

A hotly contested citizen's caucus was held at Milton Town Hall, Monday evening and it was a Waterloo for the present board of Selectmen, J. Albert Simpson, J. Walter Bradlee and Jacob A. Turner, all of whom were defeated for a renomination.

There were also five candidates for auditor, Henry H. Barnes, William W. Robertson, Arthur A. Hibbard, John A. Lee and Henry Hardie the first two named winning. John P. S. Churchill was chairman and Henry B. Martin, clerk of the caucus. The nominations:

Selectmen, Overseers of Poor and Surveyors of Highways, Francis E. Cabot, Robert F. Herrick, Maurice A. Duffy.

Auditors, Henry H. Barnes, William W. Robertson.

Tree Warden, Nathaniel T. Kidder.

Collector, John H. Emerson.

Treasurer, Joseph Holmes.

School Committee, H. Clifford Gallegher, Walter C. Shapleigh.

Board of Health, Dr. W. C. Kite (three years), T. K. Cummins, Jr., (two years).

Park Commissioner, Charles E. Rogerson.

Trustees of the Public Library, Harrison O. Apthorp, Joseph C. Whitney, C. E. Rogerson.

Trustee of Cemetery, C. Minot Weld.

Sewer Commissioner, W. B. Thurber.

Citizens' Committee, James C. Russell, John A. Lee, Charles S. Pierce.

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QUINCY—TYLER—In London, England, Feb. 17, Hon. Josiah Quincy of Boston to Mrs. Ellen F. Tyler of Quincy.

DIED.

LOVELL—In East Weymouth, Feb. 19, Col. Benjamin S. Lovell, aged 54 years, 7 months and 9 days.
Funeral Thursday at 1.30 P. M., from Congregational church at East Weymouth.

MAYOR HALL AT WORK

To Prevent a Strike In the Granite Business.

Makes Two Propositions to the Manufacturers.

At a Conference Last Evening with Executive Committee.

Mayor Hall had a conference Monday night with the executive committee of the Granite Manufacturers' Association, relative to the impending strike in that industry. Mayor Hall is very desirous, if possible, to avert any suspension of work.

The whole question was thoroughly discussed, during which the Mayor submitted two propositions.

The first was that the men be permitted to continue work until such time as the differences are settled, the new price or agreement to date back to March 1.

To this the Manufacturers were ready to agree.

The second proposition was that the men be granted eight hours and $3 and the plan tried for a time, and if it was found the trade would stand it, to continue, and if not to reduce the price.

To this proposition the Manufacturers claimed that they had already sounded the trade on the eight-hour-$3-basis and found it would not stand it.

Whether any good results will follow the conference remains to be seen.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Mrs. Miller of Walnut street is quite ill.

The Board of Health held a meeting Monday evening.

Mrs. Walter Coombs of Wollaston Park is much better after a long illness.

The Ladies' Charitable society hold a sunlight party at St. Mary's hall Thursday afternoon.

The Greenleaf Double Domino club has been challenged to play a game of two thousand points.

The West Quincy Ladies' Social Union open a fair tonight at the West Quincy Methodist church.

Mrs. Alfred Jelinek of Botolph street has been confined to the house for the past week by an attack of the grip.

The degree staff of Neponset lodge, I. O. O. F., will work the first degree for Mt. Wollaston lodge this evening.

The offices of the Mayor, Overseer of the Poor and City Messenger at City Hall are being connected by telephone. City Hall calls will hereafter be answered in the City Messenger's office instead of the Treasurer's office.

Mr. and Mr. A. L. Litchfield attended the seventh annual meeting and banquet of the Past Sachems Association of Massachusetts, held at the United State hotel, Boston. About two hundred were present. Mr. Litchfield was elected a vice president.

Arrangements are being made by Branch 21, Social Democratic Party, for a lecture upon the subject of "Socialism." The speaker will be Dr. H. A. Gibbs of Worcester, who is considered one of the ablest upon this subject. The date set is Feb. 27, at Plumer's Hall.

George Crane was given a surprise party Saturday evening by twenty of his friends, the occasion being his 53d birthday anniversary. Whist, music and refreshments composed the evening's programme. Prizes for the best scores were awarded Mrs. W. H. Weston and Benjamin Johnson, Jr., and consolation prizes to Mrs. Howes and Charles Crane. The host was presented with a Dresden clock and the hostess with a vase.

Plumbers Precipitated a Lockout.

Savannah, Feb. 20.—All the contractors who employ men on buildings in Savannah declared a lockout of all union men at 6 o'clock last evening. The lockout was caused by a strike of the plumbers for increased wages, and the fear that the allied trades would go out with them.

Awakened From Long Sleep.

Montreal, Feb. 20.—Eva Roch, the French-Canadian girl who has been asleep since Dec. 23, and whose recovery was despaired of, has awakened, and apparently has a good chance of living.

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NEW PHILIPPINE COMMISSION.

Judge Taft, Who Will Establish Civil Rule In the Islands.

BY JOHN F. WILLOUGHBY.

Judge William H. Taft, who has been appointed as head of the new commission which is to establish civil rule in the Philippines, is a comparatively young man who has had a singularly brilliant career. He is but 41, yet he has been solicitor general for the United States, judge of the United States circuit court and is now called to fill a position of great trust and importance under the federal government.

While the commission of which Judge Taft is chairman will be of necessity a temporary body, exercising but a provisional authority over the islands, it is fully expected that when its work is done and a permanent head chosen for the civil government of this great archipelago the man who will be selected as the first governor will be Judge Taft.

Probably this was one of the inducements taken into consideration by Judge Taft when he resigned a life position on the bench for this temporary post. It is understood that Judge Taft will receive $25,000 a year and that his colleagues on the commission will be treated with similar liberality.

Judge Taft is an Ohio man. He is a resident of Cincinnati, where he has a sumptuous home on Walnut Hill. He was born in the Buckeye State, and it was in Cincinnati that he began his career. Few men have resigned so many envied positions, but he has always retired from one post only to step into a better one.

It is understood that the president's first impulse was to trust the establishment of the Philippine territorial gov-



JUDGE WILLIAM H. TAFT.

ernment to Judge Day, whose health, however, was too precarious to permit him to undertake the voyage and the long confinement in the tropics. It was Judge Day who suggested Judge Taft and secured his acceptance.

The Taft commission has no connection with that composed of President Schurman, Admiral Dewey, General Otis, Colonel Denby and Professor Worcester. They have finished their field work and are now completing the final volumes of their report.

Judge Taft and his colleagues will go to Manila and will relieve General Otis of all but strictly military matters. They will take over the customs and other services, establish schools and courts and put the territorial machinery at work, assuming the chief places themselves according to their special fitness.

The commission will take with it a large number of employees, as the government now organized will be the foundation of all others to come so long as the Philippines remain territory of the United States. Exactly what line will be drawn between the new commission's powers and the power of General Otis or the military governors has not been definitely settled.

Judge Taft is the son of Alphonso Taft, who was United States minister to Russia and had been attorney general under President Grant. He was born in Cincinnati Sept. 15, 1857. He attended Yale university and was graduated in 1878 with high honors and at once began the study of law. In 1880 he graduated at the Cincinnati Law school and was at once admitted to the bar.

The next year he was appointed assistant prosecuting attorney of Hamilton county, which office he resigned in 1882 to accept the office of collector of internal revenue for the First district of Ohio, to which he was appointed by President Arthur. He filled this office but one year, when he resigned to resume the practice of law.

In 1885 he was made assistant county solicitor, and when a little later Judge Harmon resigned his place on the superior bench Mr. Taft was appointed by Governor Foraker to fill the vacancy. This term expired in 1888, when Judge Taft was elected to succeed himself for the full term of five years.

Before he could serve out his term, however, President Harrison appointed him solicitor general of the United States, and on May 17, 1892, he was again honored by the same president with the appointment as judge of the United States circuit court of appeals.

In June, 1896, Judge Taft was married to Miss Helen J. Herron, daughter of ex-United States District Attorney John W. Herron of Cincinnati. His family will accompany him to Manila, for which place he will start on March 15.

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FRED JOY, Chairman.
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Wants The "Numskulls" to Mind Their Own Business.

Frank P. Foley the West Quincy correspondent of the Granite Cutters' Journal, writes an interesting column letter for the February issue, in which he gives a history of the labor movement for ten years. It is reprinted in full:

"The granite business here is booming at this writing, with all hands working, and I am pleased to say that West Quincy can, and is now, returning the compliments to her sister cities and towns for the amount of work they have given the members of our union in the line of granite-cutting, when it was almost impossible to get it here. We have at present working within the fold of our city a representative of almost every city and town in the United States where granite cutting is an industry, and it gives me great pleasure to have this to say after the long spell of dullness we have gone through.

"The main topic of discussion here is the anticipated trouble between the manufacturers and granite-cutters. You will hear it almost everywhere you go, both in public and private, and of course, those who do not understand it are the ones who are doing the most talking and trying to make the public believe that the men are looking for something unreasonable; these are the people who should keep their tongues out of these affairs altogether and mind their own business.

"Those people I allude to are some of the office boys and girls who work for the manufacturers. They think they know it all, and, in fact, know nothing. They do not know the meaning of basis minimum and misconstrue the whole matter, and it gives those whom they talk with about the affair a wrong impression. Now if those 'numskulls' would mind their own business and not be running here and there with their misconstrued meanings it would be better for themselves and those they tell their little stories to, which causes trouble for every one, and particularly for those who have at heart the interests of the community at large.

"For the benefit of those who do not understand the troubles of the past, and the present anticipated trouble, I will give a brief history of the past ten years and a true statement of the demands of the granite-cutters, which is said to be the cause of the anticipated trouble and present commotion:

"In 1891 we were working ten hours, and the increase in men demanded a lessening of hours per day; so our union took the matter under consideration and decided to ask for a nine-hour day, which was refused by the employers, and there was a strike, but of only thirteen days' duration, the employers granting the nine hours.

"In 1892 the quarrymen considered they were not getting enough pay, and they asked for a increase of 1 or 2 cents per hour and the employers would not give it to them, so they struck on May 1; they were at that time between 400 and 600 strong. The employers knew that the union granite cutters would not cut the granite quarried by oppositionists, so they came to the conclusion it was better to lockout 1,500 granite-cutters than give 400 quarrymen 1 or 2 cents per hour of a raise in their pay, a very unbusiness-like transaction indeed. Some of the more liberal employers said, 'We will give them their demands and let us start up our business again,' when some of the hot-headed and empty-pursed ones said, 'No, we will starve them into submission.' But, I took notice that after six months of a lockout these very men who spoke those words were nearer starving than the men, and the woods helped them out pretty well, and at the end of six months they were glad to settle it a little in favor of the granite cutters.

"In March, 1899, another little bill was presented to the manufacturers, which they would not accept without trouble, but the trouble was of short duration—two weeks. The cutters getting a little the best of it.

"Now the increase in the number of men in the granite cutting trade during the past nine years has been double, and in consequence of this increase in labor it is necessary to have a shorter work-day in order to give them employment. Also on account of the hard and laborious work granite-cutting is, and the amount you are required to do demands an increase in the pay of the granite-cutter. If you look up the records of the lives of the men in the different trades, you will see that the granite-cutter has the shorter life record of any of them. So on these conditions they have made the present demand which is thought by some to be too much.

"I will try to place before you the bill of prices as asked by the men, and probably you will look on it more favorably:

"First, is that eight hours constitute a working day.

"Second, that every man who works by the day be paid not less than $3 per day.

"Third, that where there is a piece bill that it be made out on a $3 basis.

"Fourth, that pay day shall be once a week.

"And last, but not least, that the manufacturer to use his own judgment as to whom he shall put to work by the day.

"Now I don't think I have left anything unexplained, if I did you can find me at my home in West Quincy, and I will only be too glad to give you any information on the subject within my power.

"This is not a local affair, nor is it left to one man nor to 1,000 but it applies to every State, city and town, in the United States where there are granite cutters employed, and can be settled but on the terms above given without applying to the union at large."

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents

Fred Kobb of Clive street is recovering from his late illness.

Miss Nora Sullivan of Linden street spent Sunday with relatives in Lynn.

Peter's orchestra has been secured for the Pilgrim Fathers dance at Atlantic.

The new sanitary system at the Coddington school went into commission Monday, and is appreciated these cold days.

A meeting of the City Council will be necessary March 12, for the public hearing on the street railway locations.

Two more of the large new cars for the Quincy & Boston street railway arrived by freight at South Braintree, Monday night.

Auctioneer Charles H. Johnson sold the Murdock plant at Quincy Neck at mortgagee sale, Monday to Harlow H. Rogers of Boston.

Now it is the ladies of Quincy Point who will give a supper, and they promise a treat tonight at their salad supper. An entertainment will follow.

Twenty children are out of school in Atlantic with whooping cough; the cases are for the most part severe, and are prevalent among children ranging from five to seven years of age.

A reception to the Holy Name Society of St. Marys' church was given by Rev. Fr. Roche Sunday evening. Rev. Fr. McDonough of Cohasset preached the sermon and Fisks' vespers was sung.

At Atlantic Sunday morning there were twelve people at church of the Congregational faith. Those twelve braved unploughed sidewalks and a biting northeast gale, which whirled the snow in dizzy circles through the air and made walking straight ahead in the "teeth of the gale" almost impossible. However the bell rang out bright and early Sunday morning and should have tempted more to leave their cheerful homes in answer to the invitation, from the belfry tower.

War and Music.

The Atlantic Monday Evening club was fortunate this week in having the pleasure of listening to Col. Anderson on "War in the Nineteenth Century." His address, abounded in interesting information from his own experience and knowledge, was given in his customary bright and convincing manner, and held the closest attention of the audience throughout.

The fine musical entertainment was by students of the Boston University. The following was the programme:

Piano duet, "The Dragon Fighter," Misses Williams and Winship.

Vocal solo, "The Friar of Orders Gray," Mr. F. P. Rafter.

Quartette, "A Meadow Song," Girls Glee Club Quartette of Boston University. Solo, "Rosary," by Nevin, Miss Anna Durkin.

Quartette, "A Mother's Lullaby," Girls Glee club.

Solo, "The Diver," Mr. F. P. Rafter.

Quartette, "'Tis Morn," Girls Glee club.

The committee on the Literary programme were Mrs. Roger H. Wilde and Mr. Charles L. Coe. The music committee were Miss Florence Thomas and Mr. Charles L. Hammond.

Woman's Exchange

WILL be open February 22, Washington's Birthday. Home Cooking, Useful and Fancy Articles, Confectionery and Flowers for sale. Orders taken for Burnt Wood Work and Painting. Feb. 19-3t

REST IN ARLINGTON.

WHERE SLEEP THE BRAVE WHO DIED FOR THE FLAG.

The National Cemetery In the Environs of the National Capital, Where the Remains of General Lawton Were Buried.

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The recent interment of the remains of the late General Henry W. Lawton at Arlington cemetery revives the interest in that historic and beautiful burial ground of the nation's soldier dead.

There are 83 national cemeteries scattered throughout the country, in which rest the bodies of about 340,000 men who died for the flag. The government records for the army do not give any tabulated information as to the men who died in the service prior to the war with Mexico. There is nothing official to show the number killed in the war of the Revolution, the war of 1812 or any of the conflicts before 1846 or any knowledge by the government of their places of burial. In the early days "the dead buried its dead" indeed. There was no easy communication as nowadays between fighting line and hearthstone, and bodies were buried in trenches or graves on battlefields or in convenient cemeteries, and no comprehensive records were kept or made. Coming down to the civil war, the records, so far as the Federal army is concerned, are far from complete, and in many of the cemeteries the graves marked unknown greatly outnumber the known.



THE ARLINGTON MANSION.

Arlington, the best known of national cemeteries and the subject of this letter, has an interesting history, beginning long before it was used as a cemetery and interwoven with the story of one of the best known families of the nation. It was originally the Arlington estate, but has sometimes been spoken of as the Lee homestead. In the back counties there is a hazy belief that it once belonged to George Washington. This error is due to the fact that on the death of John Parke Custis, the owner of Arlington, Washington adopted two of the children of the deceased. One of these, George Washington Parke Custis, by the law of primogeniture then in force, inherited the estate, and upon the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Washington, in 1802, in whose family he had until then resided, he built Arlington House. Here he spent a long and interesting life, and upon his death, in 1857, he left a will devising the estate (except 15½ acres left his colored servant, Maria Syphax) to his only daughter, Mary Randolph Custis, the wife of General Robert E. Lee, and at her death to her eldest son, George Washington Custis Lee. The estate was confiscated by the government in January, 1864. The legal complications and actions at court which followed the close of the civil war make too long and complex a story to tell here. Suffice it to say that soon after the death of Mrs. Lee, which occurred in 1873, suit was begun to eject the representatives of the United States government who were in possession of the estate. The cemetery had been laid out in 1863 and thousands of soldiers had already been buried there by the government, so that when George Washington Custis Lee won his suit he found himself owner in fee of a very large burying ground. His only redress would be a long and expensive suit, and he accepted the offer of the United States and for $150,000 surrendered the home of his fathers to the myriad children of the pale rider.

Arlington, which consists of about 1,100 acres, is situated in Fairfax county, Va., on the south bank of the Potomac, just across the river from the White House. The ground is high, and the view from the high points takes in all the prominent features of the city of Washington.

One of the most attractive features at Arlington is the old mansion which stands upon the highest point in the cemetery. The mansion is modeled after the Temple of Fame and bears upon its frieze the names of Washington, Grant, Farragut and Lincoln and upon its columns Garfield, Thomas, Meade, McPherson, Sedgwick, Reynby is the monument to "the unknown" by is the monument to "The Unknown" and just beyond it the beautiful amphitheater, 160 feet in diameter, with chaste Corinthian rostrum and colonnade. A little way from the house to the south are the graves of George Washington Custis and his wife. In a gloomy place under the hill is the resting place of Mrs. Mary Randolph.

It was in this beautiful and picturesque mansion that Robert E. Lee was wed in 1831 to Mrs. Custis, the daughter of George Washington's adopted daughter, and here he lived when not away on his country's service. It was across this threshold he stepped when he unsheathed his sword in support of the cause which was subsequently lost. The old house stands just as it stood 75 years ago. Though stripped of its antique furniture and its valuable relics of Washington, its precious memories still cling to it. The servants' quarters, a detached kitchen and other outbuildings are preserved intact. In a part of the house live the family of the officer in charge of the cemetery, the large parlors being reserved for the use of the public. A register is kept, upon which 40,000 names a year are recorded, and on the walls hang maps of the cemetery and diagrams showing every grave and the names of all the known dead.

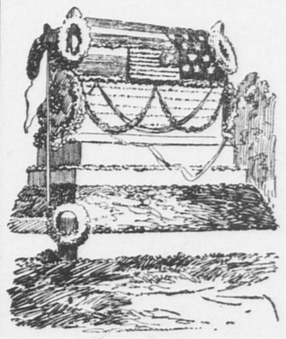
More than 17,000 soldiers who have died in defense of the flag have their last resting place in Arlington. Of these, nearly 5,000 are unknown. Vast as are these figures, one can easily believe them to be true, for on either side long, regularly formed rows of white headstones extend, perspective of green between lines of white, as far as vision can reach. The grounds are perfectly kept. There is no grave that has become sunken, and none is marked by an elevation of the ground. Smooth and even is the surface everywhere. Walk among these stones, and in ten minutes one may see such typical American names as Sherman, Whittier, Spaulding, Jackson, Lee, Buchanan, Lawrence, Sheridan, Grant, Randolph and Allen. Plenty of good Irish names may be seen, too, and German as well, significant of the valiant part played in the country's defense by her adopted sons. Silent witnesses of war's havoc are all these stones, but more especially those marked "A Leg" or "An Arm." One shudders when he stands beside the spot where in a pit were thrown the bones of 2,111 unknown soldiers gathered after the war from the fields of Bull Run and the route of the Rappahannock. Over them is a cannon surmounted monument bearing the inscription:

Their remains could not be identified, but their names and deaths are recorded in the archives of their country, and its grateful citizens honor them as of their noble army of martyrs. May they rest in peace.

There are many beautiful and some magnificent monuments in the cemetery, the most noteworthy of those lately erected being that over the grave of Sheridan. Year by year the military organizations of the different states are adding monuments, but to many by far the most impressive memorial is the imposing granite sarcophagus over the grave of the 2,111 "unknown." Unmarked as yet is the spot where rest the remains of the boys who fell in Cuba and the victims of the Maine disaster. However, it will probably not be long before a grateful country will give such recognition to the memories of these brave men as may be expressed in granite and bronze. Here, too, will have to be set a tablet bearing that mute word "unidentified."

With each succeeding year the numbers of those who visit Arlington to bedeck the graves of the fallen heroes is increasing. Here is the Mecca of the Grand Army of the Republic. Members of this organization who visit Washington, no matter at what season of the year, some time during their stay wend their steps toward the National cemetery. Once inside the inclosure at Arlington, they forget the present and live only in the past. Who, though he be old soldier or not, can walk through Arlington without a surging of sentiment and of patriotism in his breast? Who can fail to be deeply impressed with the horrors that attend upon war and the frightful price that humanity has paid for its advances?

Despite the solemnity that overcomes one in a thoughtful mood when visiting Arlington, it is yet a popular resort for the citizens and many visitors to Washington during the summer months. In addition to the magnificent view had from the mansion and other high points in the cemetery to which allusion has already been made, there is much besides the tombs and the monuments and the mansion to interest and please the visitor. Roads and paths wind among the oaks, elms, maples and magnolias, and many kinds of evergreens and thousands of flowers and shrubs are on every hand. In the midst of this verdure and buoyant vegetable life the visitor may find surcease from the heat and turmoil of the Capital City, his emotions tempered by the tender sentiment that hovers over the resting places of the nation's dead.



MONUMENT TO THE UNKNOWN.

In the years to come there will be thousands whose footsteps will turn toward the grave of Lawton, and loving hands will pile high in grateful remembrance beautiful flowers upon the last home of this brave soldier who met death on the firing line in a distant land.

SAMUEL HUBBARD.

Even Worse.

"What's the noise in the other room?" he demanded.

"It's Maggie," she replied. "The poor dear girl has to have some accomplishments, you know, and as the piano distressed you so much I decided to let her take elocution lessons."

For perhaps five minutes he was silent. Then he sighed and spoke.

"I withdraw my objections to the piano," he said.—Chicago Post.

Mean Thing.

"You know that jewel of a hired girl of mine who left the Blinkinsopps and came to me for $1 more a week?"

"Yes."

"Well, would you believe it, that despicable Bellinger woman is trying to buy her away from me."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Resolutions.

Adopted by St. Francis Court, No. 25, M. C. O. F., on the death of Bro. Matthew Lyons:

WHEREAS,—It has pleased a bountiful and loving God to remove from our midst, our esteemed and respected associate and brother, Matthew Lyons, and

WHEREAS,—We humbly bow to His supreme will in all things, therefore be it,

Resolved—That we, the members of St. Francis Court, No. 25, M. C. O. F., tender our heartfelt sympathy to the family of the deceased brother, in this the hour of affliction and bereavement; and we earnestly pray Almighty God to direct and give them strength to bear their sorrow with Christian patience and fortitude, and

Resolved,—That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Court, and that a copy be sent to the family of the lamented brother by the secretary of the court.

Edward Finn,
Michael J. Daley,
James P. Dillon,
Committee on Resolutions.

Quincy, Feb. 16, 1900.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Feb. 17:

Gem Supply Co., Mr. H. Johnson, Mr. William Caulter, Mr. D. M. Butterfield, Mr. L. Neilson, Mr. McDonald.

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

E. S. Spooner, manager of the Spooner Dramatic company, is critically ill at Meriden, Conn., with typhoid pneumonia, and it is believed that he can live but a few hours.

The bursting of a slasher cylinder in the slasher room of the Boott mill at Lowell, Mass., blew out many windows.

The whip manufacturers of the country have been in session for a number of weeks arranging the details of the Whip Manufacturers' association, and the organization has now become a reality.

Thomas Wilkinson, aged 15, fell from a sleigh load of wood at Lyndonville, Vt., and was instantly killed.

W. H. Jordan has been confirmed as collector of the port of Gloucester, Mass., after a contest that extended through several months.

"Tom" Gould, who has achieved considerable notoriety during the past 15 years as a keeper of saloons at New York in which many crimes have been committed, is dead.

The board of survey has inspected the United States hospital ship Missouri and found that many repairs are needed. It will probably be nearly two months before the vessel is ready for sea.

The president has signed the proclamation making public the Samoan treaty. The proclamation is in the usual form, save for the section relative to the exchange of ratifications.

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Haytian Navy Goes to the Bottom.

Stamford, Conn., Feb. 20.—Captain Montell, who arrived with the steamer Antillia with a cargo of 400 tons of logwood for the Stamford Manufacturing company, states that the Haytian navy was made up of one vessel, and, as it was necessary to send the lone man-of-war to the states for repairs, arrangements were made to carry a cargo both coming and returning. The steamer, however, met with a mishap near Fortunate island, north of Cuba, and was wrecked on a reef. The cargo was brought to its destination by the Antillia, which was sent from Hayti.

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PRESENTED BY PAYNE.

Puerto Rican Tariff Measure Comes Before House For Consideration.

Objection to Vote Being Taken Upon Minority Substitute.

Bill Refers to Only One Island and Should Not Be Considered a Precedent.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The galleries of the house were well filled yesterday in anticipation of the debate on the Puerto Rican tariff bill. The house passed Mr. Wheeler's resolution providing for an investigation of the charges of former Consul Macrum. After routine business the Puerto Rican bill was presented.

Interest in the bill is intense among the members on both sides, and there is urgent demand for time. The Democrats are solidly arrayed against the measure, and they will have powerful support from the Republican side in Mr. McCall of Massachusetts and Mr. Littlefield of Maine, both able and forceful debaters. How far the Republican disaffection will extend, or whether it will endanger the bill, it is impossible to say at this time.

Mr. Payne, the floor leader of the majority, refused to agree that a vote should be taken upon a substitute to be offered by the minority. This substitute, which has not yet been framed, will be in substance the bill originally introduced by Mr. Payne, providing for free trade with Puerto Rico by the extension of the customs and revenue laws of the United States over the island. The debate yesterday lacked exciting feature. It was in the nature of a long range bombardment before the clash of the contending parties in battle.

Mr. Payne opened with a general argument in support of the bill, going largely into the material side of the situation which the bill is designed to relieve. He referred to the cordial reception given the Americans by the people of the island, and stated that he knows of no opposition to the annexation of this gem of the Antilles. The bill, he said, refers only to Puerto Rico, and should not be considered a precedent for the Philippines. To allay the feeling of discontent likely to arise we must open up markets for the people of Puerto Rico.

The original bill, which was introduced by Mr. Payne Jan. 19, provided that the customs and internal revenue laws of the United States must be extended to Puerto Rico; but it was found that this action would not produce sufficient revenue to meet the expenses of the government, and the substitute measure was prepared, which provides a duty equal to 25 percent of our own rates on all articles imported from Puerto Rico into the United States.

This plan, it is believed, will furnish sufficient revenue to meet the expenses of the government and have a sufficient surplus to establish common schools. The remission of 75 percent now paid means an increase of income of $2,500,000, which will doubtless increase and restore prosperity to the island. The plan will not injure any interests in the United States; the beet industry is considered able to take care of itself, and tobacco growers in this country will find a new market for the wrappers produced here, and the plan would thus bring gain instead of loss.

That we have absolute power in governing newly-acquired territory was proved in the debate of the Louisiana case. Mr. Payne proposed keeping the people in leading-strings until they are educated, then crown them with the glory of American citizenship.

Mr. Richardson, the Democratic leader, joined issues upon the power of congress to enact the proposed legislation, and Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania backed up Mr. Payne with a constitutional and legal argument. All three were listened to with close attention.

Representative Tomkins (Rep., N. Y.) announced his purpose to vote against the pending Puerto Rico tariff bill, as he holds the island should be given the same rights as the states or territorities.

A simple resolution of inquiry, introduced in the senate by Mr. Hale, precipitated a constitutional debate which was prolonged for more than an hour, and was participated in by some of the ablest constitutional lawyers in the body. The discussion finally turned on the authority of congress at its pleasure to extend the constitution to territory acquired by the United States, or to withhold it from such territory.

The bill providing a government for the territory of Hawaii was under consideration most of the afternoon.

Russia's Alleged Designs.

London, Feb. 20.—The Daily Chronicle, in a rather alarmist editorial today, regarding Russian designs on the Afghan frontier, after reciting what is known of the position of affairs there, says: Both parties in parliament have repeatedly asserted that the very next step—that to Herat—means war. There is no doubt that Russia could take Herat tomorrow, if she liked. England would need a month to reach the same objective. The only barrier between Russia and her prey is a moral one.

Confession of Pickpockets.

Boston, Feb. 20.—Two pickpockets, William Albert and his 14-year-old partner, Charles Elms, have made a confession, in which they admit picking pockets extensively in Boston. They also admit having thrown a bag of jewelry down between the walls of a lodging house, while in fear of arrest last summer. The bag contained jewelry valued at $1000.

The Michigan Militia Scandal.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 20.—Judge Wiest has denied the motion to quash indictments found by the grand jury against Colonel Sutton and General Marsh of the state military department, who are charged with having been concerned in the militia clothing frauds.

GREAT INCREASE IN COMMERCE.

Imports and Exports at Boston Second Only to Those of New York.

Boston, Feb. 20.—An interesting comparative statement regarding the foreign commerce of the principal parts of the United States is contained in the last monthly bulletin of the statistics department of the city of Boston. By statistics of imports and exports it is shown that Boston has been making great strides forward during the last 10 years. Baltimore is the only other large city whose commerce has increased. New York, New Orleans and Philadelphia have lost ground.

While it is shown that New York is by all odds the chief port of the United States, particularly with regard to the value of its imports, Boston stands second with regard to both the total values of imports and exports of merchandise. Respecting imports, Boston has been second only to New York for the past decade, excepting in 1894, when Philadelphia led Boston by $3,417,632. The excess in value of the imports of Boston for the entire decade amounted to $168,778,394.

The total export trade of Boston was less by $27,114,703 than that of New Orleans for the last 10 years' period; although for the last years of this period, the excess of exports from Boston over the exports from New Orleans amounted to $75,878,701. As for exports, New Orleans led Boston in 1890, 1891, 1892 and 1897. Baltimore also led Boston as regards value of exports in 1890, 1892 and 1898, although the total value of Boston's exports led those of Baltimore. This value was $105,405,448.

The aggregate commerce of the five principal ports of the United States—New York, Boston, New Orleans, Philadelphia and Baltimore—forms a diminishing proportion of the total commerce of the United States, thus showing that the smaller ports are obtaining an increased share.

Whittaker's Case to Come Up Soon.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 20.—J. L. Sutton, the sheriff of Whitely county, arrested recently on a charge of complicity in the Goebel assassination, was brought here from Louisville last night, waived examination and was admitted to bail. Harland Whittaker, charged with com-



HARLAN WHITTAKER.

plicity in the assassination, was also returned from Louisville and put in the jail. Lee Jones, another suspect, is also in jail here. Whittaker's trial will probably be called some day this week.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 20.—Representative Reed of Taunton caused a gentle sensation by slipping into the gypsy moth investigation room long enough yesterday to say that a professional lobbyist had tried to talk him out of voting against the appropriation, on the ground that such a vote would hurt his speakership chances, and had several times "flagged" him in the corridors.

The senate met to elect a councilor from the Third councilor district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Oliver H. Durrell. The result of the vote was as follows: Total number of votes, 37; necessary to a choice, 19; Henry D. Yerxa, 24; Joseph B. Maccabe, 13.

Without nominating speeches the result in the house was as follows: Whole number of votes cast, 203; necessary to a choice, 102; Henry D. Yerxa, 131; Joseph B. Maccabe, 53; scattering, 19.

Split in Populist Ranks.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 20.—A split and a walk-out followed a turbulent meeting of the Populist national committee here last night. The anti-fusion leaders, after having a number of their followers turned down by the credentials' committee, organized a bolt and formed a new committee. The members favorable to fusion will probably call the national convention for the same city and at the same time the Democratic convention is held. The bolters prepared an address and called a national convention at Cincinnati on May 9.

Skull Probably Smashed by Bottle.

Bennington, Vt., Feb. 20.—Philip Elwell of Shaftesbury, aged 62, who has found unconscious in Hoosick, N. Y., died Monday. Elwell's skull was crushed and several ribs were broken, and it was supposed at first that he had fallen from a bridge. Upon further investigation, however, the wound in his skull indicated that he had been murdered by a blow from a bottle. An inquest will be held.

Bid For Manufacturing Enterprises.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 20.—A concurrent resolution has passed both houses of the legislature inviting capitalists to invest in manufacturing enterprises, especially cotton factories, and setting forth the advantages of Mississippi as a manufacturing state. Bills to exempt newly-established factories from taxation for 10 years will be passed.

But One Survivor.

Norfolk, Feb. 20.—The schooner Hardcastle was capsized at Roanoke marshes and all on board, with the exception of the captain, were lost. The Hardcastle was a small schooner, and did not carry a crew of more than seven men.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Fair weather has prevailed from the Rocky mountains to the Atlantic coast. The temperature will moderate in New England and it will be cloudy. Along the Atlantic coast westerly winds will become variable and shift to easterly.

DECISION IN KENTUCKY CONTEST

Will Tie Up Every Branch of the State Government, Pending Action by the Courts.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 20.—The state contest board is expected to render a decision by Saturday seating the Democratic contestants for minor state offices. The Democratic contestants will then be sworn in and will make a formal demand for possession of the offices. This will be refused by the Republican incumbents and injunctions similar to those pending in the courts over the governorship will be filed.

The most important immediate effect of this will be to tie up every branch of the state government pending settlement of the contests by he courts, as it is generally regarded as certain that banks, county officers, and probably everybody else who has financial business with the state will refuse to recognize either set of state officials till the title to the offices is judicially ascertained.

Clark's Big Political Expenditures.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Senator Clark of Montana was again the star witness before the senate committee on privileges and elections yesterday. Mr. Clark insisted that he had spent no money for corrupt purposes during the Montana senatorial campaign. He gave a detailed statement of expenditures for political purposes during the legislative and senatorial contests, which footed up $139,000. He declared that his only purpose in entering upon the campaign was to overthrow Daly's rule in the state, which, he said, was so tyrannical that he would not desire to continue his residence in the state if it was to continue.

Marquis of Queensbery's Last Request.

London, Feb. 20.—A codicil to the will of the Marquis of Queensberry, who died on Feb. 1, made the following provisions: "At my death I wish to be cremated, and direct that my ashes be placed in the earth uninclosed, 'Earth to earth, ashes to ashes.' I particularly request that no Christian mummeries or tomfooleries be performed at the grave, but that I be buried as an agnostic. No monument will be required nor any procession, as the ashes can be carried in a man's hand. Any place for burial would suffice where the stars shall ever shed their light and the sun shall gild each rising morn."

Are Hatpins Dangerous Weapons?

Albany, Feb. 20.—Assemblyman Phillips has introduced a bill amending the penal code so as to include women's hatpins of greater length than three inches in the class of "dangerous weapons," which it is a misdemeanor for any person to have in his or her possession. Mr. Phillips says that while the enactment of the bill into law may cause some temporary inconvenience to women, inventive genius will probably soon devise some means of keeping women's hats on their heads without the use of either bowie knives or daggers.

Missing Employe Mystery Solved.

Boston, Feb. 20.—The mystery about the disappearence of W. F. M. Rideout, an employe in the Charlestown navy yard, has been solved by his arrest at Brooklyn, which is reported from that city. Miss Annie W. Alden, who disappeared from her home in Malden on Feb. 12, was arrested at the same time, the couple having engaged a tenement. It is understood that Rideout's discharge from the navy yard will be recommended to Secretary Long at once.

Cardinal's Resignation Wanted.

Paris, Feb. 20.—The Gaulois gives prominence to a statement that the government has entered into diplomatic negotiations with the vatican to obtain the resignation of Cardinal Richard, archbishop of Paris, who recently showed sympathy with the Assumption Fathers, whose order has been dissolved by the government, on the ground that the members used their influence against the interests of the republic.

Alleged Attempt to Drown a Boy.

Shelton, Conn., Feb. 20.—John Tracey of Rockville was arrested here yesterday and taken to Vernon, to answer to the charge of assault with intent to kill. It is alleged that on Feb. 11 Tracey, while intoxicated, threw a boy named Walter Scheets into a pond twice, in an effort to drown him. Tracey escaped, and his whereabouts was unknown until he was located with relatives here.

Public Policy Not Threatened.

Boston, Feb. 20.—Judge Knowlton, in the supreme court yesterday, dismissed the proceeding brought with a view of defeating the consummation of the proposed plan of reorganization of the United States Mining company, holding that the arrangements made were not sufficiently contrary to public policy to warrant interference by the court.

"Insubordinate and Indiscreet."

Ottawa, Feb. 20.—Premier Laurier, in a statement relative to differences which existed between the government and General Hutton, who retired from the command of the Dominion militia and left for South African service last week, says that General Hutton was insubordinate and indiscreet.

Gilbert Retains Championship.

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 20.—The contest between Fred Gilbert and J. R. Elliott at 150 birds for the "E. C." cup and for the world's championship as a target shot, resulted in Gilbert's favor, by a score of 133 to 125. Gilbert thus retains the championship and the cup.

Crew of Four Lost.

New London, Conn., Feb. 20.—The barge Oaklands, coal laden, and consigned to the Pomeroy company of Providence, which was in tow of the tug Nathan Hale, was lost off Barnegat yesterday, and the crew of four men perished.

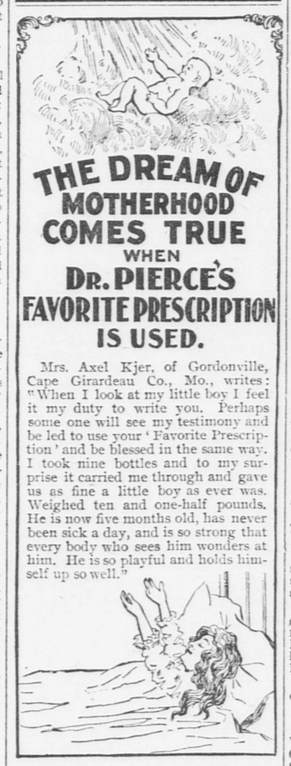
Complete Recovery Assured.

New Haven, Feb. 20.—Dr. Gilbert, who has been attending Mr. Phelps, ex-minister to England, during his serious illness, last night, for the first time, expressed himself authoritatively that his patient had passed the crisis. His complete recovery is but a question of a few weeks.

Leveling a Chimney.

An engineer recently made an interesting report to the British Institution of Mining Engineers on the felling of a huge chimney, which was so high and constructed so strongly that the prospect of demolishing it by the slow and expensive means of breaking it down from the top was appalling to the owners. The engineer who was intrusted with the task of devising a better way of taking it down decided that he would try to fell it as one would fell a tree, with the exception that, of course, so simple an expedient as chopping it down was out of the question. He had the problem also of making it fall to the south, as it would wreck buildings if it fell in another direction.

The chimney was 220 feet high, with a base of 21 feet. The workmen were set to work cutting away the brickwork on the south side. As fast as the bricks were taken out they were replaced with wooden supports, which had spaces left in them. After about 40 feet had been cut out the spaces were filled with tar and paraffin, wood was piled up high around it, and the fire was set. Six minutes afterward the chimney fell exactly on the line marked out for it. The cost of the work was only a trifle compared with what it would have been had the old fashioned method of throwing the material down bit by bit from the top been employed. And, in addition, many thousands of bricks were saved for further use.



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Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts. lb.
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts. lb.
Round Steak,	16 cts. lb.
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Beef Liver,	8 cts. lb.
Pigs Feet and Tripe,	8 cts. lb.
5 lb. Box Good Butter for	$1.35.

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Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

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TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *6 12 abc		6 32	*5 53 ihgfedcba		6 22 r
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r 7 12 abc		7 32	7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 7 26 ad		7 45	8 28 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 02	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	2 28 cba		2 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 32	3 28 cba		3 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 32	4 28 cba		4 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 32	4 58 cba		5 19 r
r 1 12 abcd		1 32	5 15 da		5 36 r
r 2 12 abc		2 32	5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 3 12 abc		3 32	5 45 da		6 06 r
r 4 12 abc		4 32	5 58 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 32	6 15 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 32	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abcd		7 32	6 58 cba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 07	7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 32	8 28 fedcba		8 53 r
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r 9 34 abcdefghil		10 02	10 28 fedcba		10 53 r
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r 7 42 abc		8 02	6 28 cba		6 49 r
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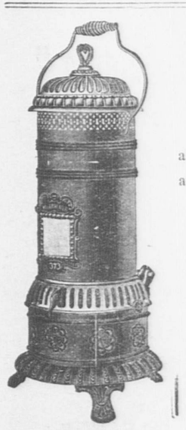
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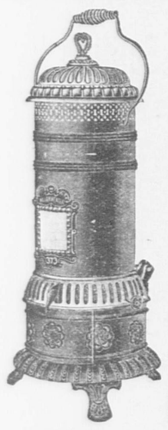
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CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Assessors will meet at City Hall, on THURSDAYS of each week from 9 until 11 A. M., for the transaction of all business that may come before them for the ensuing year.

Per order of the Board,

JAMES THOMPSON,
Principal Assessor.

Feb. 15. 1p-2w

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

BOERS ARE RETIRING.

British In Natal Making a Steady Advance Toward Ladysmith.

Federals Evidently Assembling to Oppose Roberts.

Probability That Cronje Will Be Greatly Reinforced by Fighters From Natal.

London, Feb. 21.—Close on an unofficial dispatch announcing that Hart's brigade of Buller's army had on Tuesday occupied Colenso comes an official dispatch from Buller confirming the news and adding that Joubert is in retreat and that Hart is crossing the Tugela in pursuit of his rear guard. This is in culmination of a series of dispatches from Natal which have chronicled a steady advance toward the Tugela, beginning Wednesday last. The climax, the relief of Ladysmith, should follow very soon. Buller's expressed opinion that Joubert has raised the siege of Ladysmith and is marching to defend the allies' territory, leaving only a thin line to dispute the relief of White's garrison, is strengthened by the fact of the feeble resistance encountered by Buller in his campaign since Wednesday.

General Clements reports that the force confronting him has been greatly diminished. Ten thousand men are estimated to have gone from the Colesberg district alone. The Boers are also retracing their steps from Zululand. Thus they are relaxing their hold on all sides in order to assemble to oppose General Roberts. He is pressnig on steadily towards Bloemfontein. This is shown by his inconsequential telegram from Paardeberg, 50 or 60 miles away. Doubtless he is miles behind the column that is pursuing the Boers, and the next important news may be the occupation of Bloemfontein.

Nothing has been heard from the chase of Cronje for two days. Although the last words of the war office last night were that there was no news for publication, there is a strong disposition to believe that favorable information has been received, but is being withheld until the operations culminate in something more conclusive. There is an equally strong disposition to think that General Cronje has got away.

Owing to the lack of transport, the British are not likely to invade Boer territory, except where Lord Roberts is operating.

General Buller will have to stop at the Drakensberg mountains. Probably a part of his 40,000 men will ultimately join the legions of Lord Roberts.

If, as General Roberts avers, the Boers are retreating from him, then the news on every side is favorable to the British.

Nevertheless troops continue to go up. The war office thinks that the call to veterans to rejoin the colors, together with the bounty, will bring out 45,000 men to the home defense. The urgency with which home defense is pressed excites some wonder.

With the casualties just reported, the British losses in killed, wounded and captured now aggregate 11,102.

A dispatch from Crabock, Cape Colony, dated Feb. 20, says: Details have arrived here with respect to the capture of the British convoy at Riet river. It appears that the wagons were laagered near the drift, and that the convoy was attacked by 1800 Boers, with four guns. The shelling continued all day. One hundred and eighty wagons were captured. They contained provisions and forage. Half the drivers and leaders were killed, or are missing.

Spenser Wilkinson, reviewing the military situation in The Morning Post today, says: The meaning of the position in Natal is that the Boers have sent the bulk of their forces to resist Lord Roberts. General Buller's aim is to join Sir George White, and then either to push on to Laing's Nek, or to send back two divisions to reinforce Lord Roberts, retaining two in Natal to complete the recovery of the northern triangle.

It is to be hoped that Lord Roberts will overcome General Cronje before the latter is reinforced. Otherwise the British commander may find himself facing a Boer army equal in strength to his own, as all the Boers appear to be hurrying toward Cronje. The British commanders ought soon to be able to free both Natal and Cape Colony from the enemy. The actions now in progress are the decisive battles of the war, and every effort must be made to reinforce Lord Roberts.

The house of commons last night, by a vote of 286 to 152, refused to reopen the inquiry into the connection of Mr. Chamberlain with the Jameson raid.

There were great expectations regarding the debates in both houses of parliament yesterday, but these were rather disappointing. The debate in the house of lords continued in an uninteresting strain. Lord Rosebery spoke only about 10 minutes, in a scornful manner referring to the government and to Lord Lansdowne for a weak and vacillating policy, but not making any new points.

In the house of commons the attack upon Mr. Chamberlain by the Radicals was furious enough, but weak, owing to the fact that it was not shared in by the Liberal leaders. Mr. Chamberlain was almost unnecessarily fierce. Mr. Harcourt practically acquitted Mr. Chamberlain, and then the whole interest went practically out of the debate.

TAFT CONFERS WITH ROOT.

Three Additional Members of Philippine Commission to Be Announced in a Few Days.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Judge Taft, president of the Philippine commission, had a long conference with Secretary Root at the war department yesterday in regard to the proposed work of the commission. It is expected that the commission will be completely organized in the near future, and that it will start for Manila about April 1.



JUDGE WILLIAM H. TAFT.

Only two members of the commission have been appointed so far, viz: Judge Taft, and Professor Worcester of the original commission. Colonel Denby of the old commission who was invited to serve on the new commission, has declined the offer. As the commission will consist of five members, it remains for the president to appoint three others. He has several distinguished men in mind, and will announce his selection in a day or two.

A Desperado's Struggle.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 21.—Fred Lewis, one of the trio under arrest charged with a murderous assault on Watchman Morris at Eckert's brewery a few weeks ago, made a desperate attempt to escape last evening, as he and a number of other prisoners were being taken back from court to the county jail. Lewis succeeded in breaking away from the other prisoners, but was soon caught. Lewis was handcuffed, but fought desperately, and before he was overpowered was badly punished. When locked in his cell a piece of tempered steel, half file and half [illegible] was found on him.

A Great Lumber Season.

Waterville, Me., Feb. 21.—The lumbering operations on the Kennebec river for this season have been successful in every way, the snow not coming until late, which made the work of doing the chopping and yarding very easy, while the later snows were just what was wanted for the hauling of the logs to the landings. The cut this year is the largest which has ever been known on the Kennebec river, there being 135,000,000 feet ready to be landed.

Gallifet's Significant Statement.

Paris, Feb. 21.—During the discussion of the war budget in the chamber of deputies yesterday, a great impression was made by a declaration from War Minister Gallifet relative to the improvement of the French rifle. He said: "Thanks to the eminent director of infantry, General Mallet, France in six months' time will possess the finest rifle in the world, and only a slight modification of the present weapon will be necessary."

Maine Socialists' Nominees.

Rockland, Me., Feb. 21.—At the state convention of the Socialists of Maine, held here yesterday, N. W. Lermond of Warren was nominated as a candidate for governor. L. D. Carlton of this city was nominated as a candidate for representative to congress from the Second district, and Charles L. Nye of Skowhegan from the Third district. The attendance was exceedingly small.

Should Fight Oleomargarine Trust.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 21.—The eighth annual convention of the National Association of Butter Makers was called to order by President Boardman. In his opening remarks he declared the oleomargarine interest to be a gigantic trust, which threatened the existence of the dairy industry. The association, he said, must bury all differences and stand united and vigilant.

For Regulation of Hours of Labor.

Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 21.—The conductors and motormen on the Pawtucket Street railway system have all signed a petition, asking the legislature to enact a law regulating the hours of labor of street railway employes, similar to the present Massachusetts law. This action is preliminary to obtaining the signature of all street railway employes in the state.

American Manufacturers' Opportunity.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Consul General Stowe at Cape Town urges American manufacturers to seize the opportunity to introduce their goods, saying that goods of all sorts, taken by the Boer army from the British colonies, will have to be replaced.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
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HIS SKULL FRACTURED.

Chinaman Perhaps Fatally Assaulted by a South Boston Boy.

Conflicting Stories as to How the Affair Happened.

Police Say Chinaman Was Tormented, Boy Claims That Assault Was Attempted.

Boston, Feb. 21.—Wan Hing Wan, a Chinese laundryman, whose establishment is at 592 Broadway, South Boston, lies in the city hospital suffering from a fractured skull. Wan was hit on the head by a flatiron stand, which was hurled at him with full force by Arthur Finn, a 13-year-old boy, who is locked up, charged with assault and battery. The hospital authorities say that Wan is in a very dangerous condition. Should he die the boy will be charged with manslaughter.

According to the police, the Finn boy and his younger brother, Albert, and another boy went into Wan's laundry shortly after 7 o'clock last night. They have in the past been in the habit of getting Chinese nuts from Wan, and when they went there last night they asked him for some. It is said that Wan gave them some.

Then the boys began to torment him and he ordered them out of the store. They refused to go, and he pushed all three of them out of the door into the street. They returned immediately, and a second time he pushed them out. They entered the store for the third time, and just as they got in the store Wan made a dash for them. It is asserted that Arthur Finn reached over the small railing and picked up a flatiron rest, which he hurled with full force at Wan, catching the Chinaman on the top of the head, inflicting a deep gash, which fractured his skull. Wan fell to the floor bleeding and stunned. A passerby called Dr. Devine, who then notified the police.

Officer Shea was detailed on the case, and called at young Finn's home. Young Finn was in bed at the time, but was dressed and taken to station 12. At his home he claimed that it was in self-defense that he threw the iron. The police say that he told the above story to them after reaching the station house.

The Finn boy's father tells the following story:

"For some time past my boys have been the victims of indecent assaults that this Chinaman, Wan, has committed upon them, and it was only Monday that I warned my younger son Frank not to even enter the shop again.

"I left my boy Arthur shortly before 7 o'clock at the corner of I street and Broadway last evening, and he was starting for the house. When he reached home his mother gave him a bundle of goods to be taken to the laundry. Arthur was accompanied by his younger brother Albert and another boy.

"After disposing of the laundry and getting his check, Arthur asked Wan for some nuts, and the boy says Wan gave him the nuts.

"Wan then grabbed Albert and attempted to assault him, and while Arthur was remonstrating with him, he turned on Arthur, who backed toward the door. Wan again rushed at the boy, who, when he saw him coming toward him, picked up the iron and threw it at him.

"Arthur came home immediately and told the story to his mother and myself, and Albert corroborated it. When Officer Shea called here, and after listening to the boy's story, he said it was the same story that he had heard."

Kentucky Democrats' Conclusion.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 21.—The Democratic members of the two houses of the legislature met in joint session yesterday, and, by a vote of 74 to 2 ratified the former proceedings by which William Goebel was declared governor and J. C. W. Beckham lieutenant governor, and through which Beckham, since the death of Goebel, claims title to the office of governor. The Republican members of the legislature remained away from the joint session.

General Dyrenforth Under Fire.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Charges have been preferred before the commissioner of patents alleging misconduct on the part of General R. G. Dyrenforth in connection with a patent case. General Dyrenforth is commander of the Union Veterans' Union. A patent firm of this city are the complainants. A hearing of the case was held before A. W. Greeley, assistant commissioner of patents, and a decision will be rendered within a week or 10 days.

Jury Couldn't Find Cause.

New York, Feb. 21.—A coroner's inquest into the death of Charles B. Beirne and Martin Loeffler, the boys who disappeared last August and whose bodies were found in a closet of an untenanted house a few days ago, was held yesterday. The jury returned a verdict that the boys came to their death in a way unknown to the jury, and exonerated Cornelius Ahearn from all blame.

Not Fond of Publicity.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The Turkish minister, Ali Ferroun Bey, recently returned from Constantinople accompanied by his wife and sister, and this led to several references to them in the press. The minister does not question the good intent of the writers, but he requests that the press respect the customs of his country in this particular and refrain from references to affairs personal to his own household.

1900 Bicycles.

People are already beginning to think of their new wheel for Spring, and at present we are taking many orders.

The leading 1900 wheels with all the latest devices, are here for you to inspect.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	20	37	46	34	46
Monday,	30	48	45	40	38
Tuesday,	34	60	30	33	34
Wednesday,	—	38	48	38	51
Thursday,	—	45	50	37	35
Friday,	—	36	47	44	38
Saturday,	—	35	26	44	37

New Advertisements Today.

Hearing—State House.

Found—Carpenter's Tools.

HOLIDAY NOTICE.

The Thursday edition of the Daily Ledger will be suspended because Washington's Birthday is a legal holiday. Friday's paper will contain the news of two days.

Good Afternoon.

With the frequency of fires of late, the firemen will be lucky if they are undisturbed at their annual ball tonight. They have earned a little recreation, and should have it.

Woburn, our twin city, succeeds admirably in keeping her debt down. The net funded debt of the city—municipal, sewer, water and all—is but $348,648. What is better, there was a reduction during 1899 of $34,051. The tax rate of the city continues large however, being $19.20 last year.

Several comments have been heard on President Bryant's ruling Monday night on the order for money to change the plans for the new school building on Cranch hill. When asked after the Council meeting about it, he said, that when he asked the Commissioner if the plans could have to be changed, that gentleman replied that they would. As the City Council had no right to make any changes unless approved first by the School Committee he had ruled the motion out of order. It would seem however that he was a little hasty, for according to all accounts the School Committee had already approved the change in the plans, and if President Bryant had asked that question of the Commissioner he would doubtless have been informed of that fact.

Drift of Opinion.

☞What Miss Anthony has accomplished in securing limited suffrage for women in nearly every state of the union, with full suffrage in four states, is of small account compared to the widening of woman's opportunities in the industries, sciences and arts that has resulted from her long and valiant crusade.—Chicago Times-Herald.

☞Col. "Ben" Lovell, to whom death came Monday at his home in Weymouth, was a whole-souled, manly man, companionable and likeable. He had an honorable war record, served the State well in the legislature, and had assumed his full share of the duties of citizenship. He was essentially a man of the people.—Brockton Enterprize.

☞The general impression in regard to the proportion of public school pupils who enter the high school is probably very vague. One constantly hears it stated that they are "very few," but that is safely indefinite. It is well, therefore, to present this statement, whose correctness, we believe, is vouched for by the secretary of the state board of education, that in cities of one hundred thousand and less of population fully one-third of the children in the second grade enter the high school and one-fifth graduate. The second year is rightly taken as the basis because the usual two seasons for admission of pupils to the first grade of the primary school and the consequent irregularity of promotion makes the first year's membership an unstable basis. It is true that the larger the city the smaller is the percentage of high school pupils. In this state twenty-five per cent. of the pupils enrolled in the public schools avail themselves of high school privileges.—New Bedford Standard.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

THE SCHOOL REPORT.

The Urgent Need of More Accommodations.

A Teaching Force of 137 Now Employed.

Seven of the Teachers Taught Under Col. Parker.

Continuing the review of the school report of Supt. Lull there is the usual schedule of school property, which shows 12 buildings with land and furniture valued at $459,900. The buildings contain 111 rooms and the proper capacity is put down at 4,867, but the actual number of seats is 5,029. The material of construction, heating arrangement, ventilation and sanitary system of each building is shown.

NEW ACCOMMODATIONS.

"The newest school buildings were occupied for the first time in January, 1897. In December of the present year the Council voted an appropriation for a new nine-room brick building at the junction of Glendale road with Whitwell street in the Cranch hill district. This action confirms again the general statement that at least two years must elapse between the request of the Board for new accommodations and the realization of the request; for not before September, 1900, can the rooms be ready for use.

"This Cranch hill building is not what the Board asked for, although it will be very acceptable. The Lincoln district needed relief most. By the new house it will be helped indirectly; that is, its pupils, now out of the district, will still remain outside; but they will be better accommodated in the John Hancock, which will send to the new house 170 pupils. The probabilities are, then, that the parents in the Lincoln district will still have the extraordinary privilege of sending their children away from the very doors of their own building. The basement must be used as a recitation room. The average number of pupils per room is 51. In April of 1898, 22, and in April of 1899, 23 'five-year-olds' entered. What shall be done with the new ones next April?

"As the children of the Lincoln must go to the John Hancock, a route more direct than Centre street or Brook road should be made. The Ward III playground extends from Water to Gilbert street. If a path were built over this low land, the distance would be reduced to at least one-third, and the 54 children living north of the Lincoln building would have a direct route to Gordon street.

"The Quincy school stands almost on the southern bound of its district. Therefore it is far from the centre of its population. The rent and cost of running one overflow room are equal to the interest at three per cent. on $9,000.

This amount would build and furnish an addition of two rooms to the present building. There would also be a saving of coal and the expense of janitorship.

"Average of pupils per room—Adams, 42; Coddington, 46 (including basement); Gridley Bryant, 43 (one unoccupied room); John Hancock, 54; Lincoln, 51; Massachusetts Fields, 39 (one unoccupied room); Quincy, 43 (including overflow room); Washington, 39; Willard 44 (including unfurnished room on third floor); Wollaston, 40 (including overflow in the hall).

"The Washington school is in no better condition than in 1896 when the Council decided to expend on it no more money for repairs."

TEACHERS.

A summary of the teachers, shows a total of 137, which include 18 assistants and 5 specials. Supt. Lull makes these comments:

"In the corps of teachers there are seven who taught while Col. Parker was Superintendent.

"Eleven teachers have resigned during the year.

"Three have been obliged to ask for indefinite leave of absence due to illness.

"Four have attended a normal school, but did not graduate.

"Thirty-eight have graduated from a normal school.

"Six have attended a college, but did not graduate.

"Ten have graduated from a college.

"Fifty-two are graduates of the Quincy High.

"Seventy-six have their homes in Quincy.

"Average salary of all teachers in the first eight grades not including principals, $490.92.

"Average salary of all teachers in grades IX, X, XI, XII, (not including principals,) $732.73.

"Minimum and maximum salary of principals below High, $1,000—$1,400; in High, $1,800—$2,200.

"It is a pleasure to record the fact that the Adams and the John Hancock schools have a master's assistant for a half of each day. This assistance makes the principals far more valuable to their schools.

"The experiment of placing the Massachusetts Fields and the Wollaston schools under one principalship has been a success.

The new Cranch hill building will naturally belong to the John Hancock district, and therefore, if the John Hancock principal is put in charge, he will need next September a full-time master's assistant."

(To be continued).

Unity Club.

The regular meeting of the Unity club of Wollaston will be held Friday evening, Feb. 23. The subject for the evening will be "Electricity," and President C. E. Finch, Jr., will have the meeting in charge. Papers will be read by the following artists:

Uses of Resistance, Mr. Charles W. Cartwright, Shelby Electric Co., Boston.

Electro Magnet and its Uses, Mr. G. S. Comins.

Dynamo and Motor, Mr. A. F. Campbell, sub-master of Quincy High school.

Possibilities of Electricity, Mr. Charles F. Harper, head-master of Quincy High school.

The musical programme will be under the direction of Prof. J. H. Marceau, of the Quincy Mansion school, and the following selections will be rendered:

Serenade to Juanita, Jouberti; solo, by Miss Ruth White, Quincy Mansion school.

Duet, Noontide Heat, A. G. Thomas; Misses Isadore Chase Lull and Zanetta Sprague.

Serenade, Schubert; solo, by Miss Beatrice Crismon, Quincy Mansion school.

Q. Y. C. Fixtures.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Quincy Yacht club was held at the Adams building on Tuesday evening. A committee on the handicap races was elected to serve for the ensuing year, viz: Herbert W. Robbins, Ira M. Whittemore, John A. Evans and Charles W. Hall.

The regatta fixture for the coming season will be as follows: Club races, June 18, July 4, Aug. 4, Sept. 1, and Sept. 3. Open race, Saturday, Sept. 1. Cup races begin week of July 16. Ladies' day will be observed July 6.

The Concord Strike.

A dispatch of Tuesday from Concord, N. H., says the strike of the granite polishers, inaugurated last week, in consequence of the refusal of the contractors to grant a demand for an eight-hour day and a 25 cents advance in wages, has been settled. It is understood that the demand for the advance pay was granted, and the polishers withdrew the demand for an eight hour day.

☞It is increasingly clear that it is only by creating a public sentiment against pruriency in playwriting that the awful degeneracy of the latter-day drama can be abated. Every dollar that is invested at the box office swells the evil. The public, and the public alone, is responsible. We must, therefore, use our Christian ethics in the matter of the theatre quite as much as in any other affair of life.—Boston Budget.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. White will give a holiday whist party tomorrow afternoon and evening at Commercial hall, 694 Washington street, Boston, and offer valuable prizes.



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FIRE AT WOLLASTON.

A Good Stop by Department in Spite of the Snow.

The Steamer Was Capsized on the Run from Quincy.

Not as Badly Wrecked As at First Reported.

The alarm from box 59, Beale street, Wollaston, at 6.30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, was pulled in by N. G. Nickerson for a fire in a house on Belmont street owned by Rawson D. Wentworth of Boston and occupied by Albert H. Sayward. The first round of the alarm erroneously came in as 117, but was immediately followed by 59.

The fire caught in the wood box near the kitchen stove. Before it was discovered it had communicated to the adjacent wood work and had worked through the partitions to the attic. Hose 2 was soon on the scene and was the only piece of apparatus that could pull up the steep hill to the burning building without assistance. Deputy Chief Sparrow with a plaster hook tore away the ceiling and uncovered the blaze. It was necessary to use a hydrant stream to subdue it. Chief Williams and Deputy Chief Sparrow made such a good stop that the loss will be comparatively small, considering the headway the fire had attained. Loss on the house, $250; on the furniture, $400; both insured.

As the steamer was responding to the alarm, when turning the corner at the Wollaston Hotel, the transom bolt broke, throwing the machine over on its side. Driver George Faircloth, who was handling the four horses, was thrown from his seat but fortunately landed in a snow bank. Other than a severe shaking up and the wrenching of his back, he escaped uninjured. The horses with the forward wheels continued until they were caught near the Unitarian church.

An alarm was turned in from box 56 at the hotel to call help to right the apparatus. The machine was soon righted. The nickel casing to the smoke stack was knocked askew and the rear axle sprung. Other than that, there seemed to be little damage. Chief Williams lashed the machine to the forward wheels and had the apparatus back at the Central station by 8.15.

This engine is the property of the town of Randolph and is relieving our machine, which is at the repair shop. Last night the city was without a steamer, but as the steamer is but little used nowadays the danger was not great.

No steamer has been secured to take the place of the disabled steamer, but Chief Williams has made arrangements with Milton and Boston to send a steamer to Quincy upon telephone message if one is needed. The repairs will cost about $150.

Happy Baptists.

The dedicatory services of the East Milton Baptist church drew a large attendance Tuesday evening. The dedicatory address was by the Rev. Dr. Nathan F. Wood, president of the Newton Theological Institution, and the Rev. Dr. W. H. Eaton, secretary of the Massachusetts Baptist state convention, delivered the dedicatory prayer. A special musical programme was given.

Regarding "Numskulls."

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

The West Quincy cutter who inserted such an interesting column in the Ledger of February 20th, may or may not deserve credit for his history of the labor movement, but in writing up articles he should avoid using words of which he does not know the meaning.

The granite manufacturers would not and do not employ "Numskulls" in their offices, and should they discover that a blockhead was in their employ as office assistant, they would soon dispense with his services, advising him to seek employment digging trenches for the Water department, sewers, or at some other similar occupation where brain work was unnecessary.

☞Surely the so called "Numskulls" who are constantly employed at the desk of the manufacturer, have a better opportunity of knowing the real facts regarding the labor movement, than those who are continually branching from one occupation to another.

Indignant.

—A Lowell, Mass., woman in writing from Bedford to a friend at home, said of her recalcitrant spouse: "With the help of two policemen, the judge and God, a loving husband and kind father has been returned to the bosom of his family."

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

A holiday tomorrow.

No Ledger Thursday.

The snow is fast disappearing

Rain or snow is predicted for Washington's Birthday.

The social events are numerous for the holiday, and the night before.

Another whist party will be held at Odd Fellows hall, Thursday evening.

There will be a sale of cows at the Cushman farm at East Weymouth next Monday.

Two more of the new cars of the Quincy & Boston arrived at Quincy Adams this morning.

With a grand sunlight party and a private masquerade for children tomorrow, the young folks will have attractions of their own.

Note the list of soloists for the Choir Boys' concert next Tuesday evening in Music Hall. We will tell you more about them Saturday.

The fall of snow Saturday night has furnished one of the necessary articles for sleigh parties, several of which have been held this week.

The Wollaston band, which was organized late in the fall of '99, will give a concert and ball at Quincy Music hall, on Monday, April 16.

The exclusive ball of the Quincy Home Science Association will be held tomorrow evening, at Music hall, and promises to be the dressing party of the season.

The late Matthew Lyons was reported to have been 45 years old and to have left three children. He was 37 years of age and left a widow and four children.

Mayor Hall was one of the many who hastened to Wollaston Tuesday night when the second alarm came in, thinking that there must be a big fire in that district.

A movement is on foot at West Quincy to have a Savings bank established there. Such an institution would mean the saving of many dollars that are now expended.

The sixteenth annual ball of the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association will be held tonight. There will be a concert from 8 to 9 o'clock and dancing from the latter hour until 5 A. M.

Members of the Hospital Aid Association are reminded that the next meeting will be held Friday February 23, at three o'clock, in Bethany chapel. The date is changed because of the holiday and a good attendance is desired.

The Street department street scraper was out this morning cleaning snow from the gutters. Some half dozen plows were also at work in different parts of the city. The storm gave the Commissioner an opportunity, if he desired, to expend $1,500 but the cost will not exceed $300.

The convention of the Legion of Spanish War Veterans will be held tomorrow at the hall of Major Grady camp at East Boston. The delegates from John A. Boyd camp, are Frank Pierce, Harry McLaughlin and William E. Morrissey. The regular meeting of John A. Boyd camp Thursday evening will be omitted.

The police are getting after the Quincy junk dealers, to force them to live up to the laws regulating that business. Tuesday, Inspector McKay summoned into court Nathan Wolf, a North street junk dealer, who it is alleged purchased old junk from three minors, viz, Thomas Graham, William Moriarty and David Norrie. The junk sold is also alleged to have been stolen from Johnson's lumber yard.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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TIKKANEN—KAMPPILA—In Quincy, Feb. 17, by Rev. K. F. Henriksona, Mr. Konstand Tikkanen to Miss Maria A. Kamppila, both of Quincy.

DIED.

LYONS—In Milton, Feb. 19, Bessie B. Lyons of Brook road, aged 64 years and 9 months.

HALL—In Milton, Feb. 19, Mr. Joseph E. Hall of Adams street, aged 62 years.

PITTS—In Quincy, Feb. 20, Herbert H., son of Mr. Paul and Mrs. Ada Pitts, aged 7 months and 11 days.

GANDIANO—In Quincy, Feb. 17, Settimime, son of Mr. Filippo and Mrs. Genoveffo Gandiano, aged 20 days.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 19th, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 774, (petition of Archie N. Frost) relative to the appointment of Assessors in Cities, at room No. 444, State House, on FRIDAY, Feb. 23d, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
FRANK E. WETHERELL, Clerk of the Committee.
Feb. 21-2t

END OF NEW ASSOCIATION.

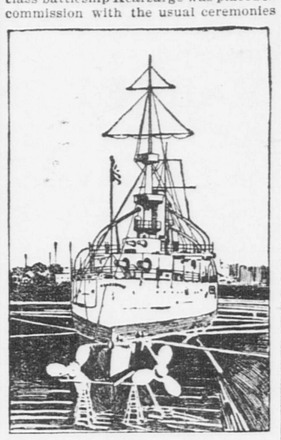
Anson Doesn't Believe In Going to Further Expense and Trouble.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—What will probably prove to be the final attempt to revive the American association has been stifled by President Anson. Mr. Anson has refused point blank to call a meeting of the association, constitution and by-laws to the contrary notwithstanding. He was asked by F. C. Richter of Philadelphia, whose request was seconded by George P. Heckel of St. Louis and Tom McCarthy of Boston, to call a meeting of the association for Friday in Baltimore.

"I will not call a meeting of the association until some good reason is shown why the association members should meet," said Anson. "I have received a request from Richter to call a meeting, but I shall not do so. Of course, I don't have to go if I don't want to, but I thought it would be best to save the rest the trouble of a long journey also. I can see no use in having a meeting in Baltimore or anywhere else."

Folger Commands the Kearsarge.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 21.—The first class battleship Kearsarge was placed in commission with the usual ceremonies



KEARSARGE IN DRYDOCK.

yesterday at the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock company's yard. Captain A. M. Folger assumed command.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 21.—The house yesterday had its annual debate on woman's suffrage, resulting in the defeat of the proposition by 124 to 32, a larger majority than for many years.

The committee on rules reported against the resolution expressing confidence in Senator Hoar. The resolution was introduced last week after the attack on Senator Hoar at the Middlesex club by Congressman Cushman of Washington. The committee in its report says that inasmuch as the attack was made on the senior senator at a private club, it did not call for a reply from the general court.

No Official Complaint Made.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The state department has completed the preparation of the reply to be made to the house resolution, inquiring into the allegations that ex-Consul Macrum's mail had been opened by the British censor at Cape Town. The answer will show that the department has no official information whatever that there was any interference with the ex-consul's mail, as he made no complaint to the department on the subject.

Bulgaria and Servia at Odds.

Vienna, Feb. 21.—Strange rumors are afloat in Vienna, and still stranger things are undoubtedly occurring. Rumors point to impending hostilities between Bulgaria and Servia. There is no doubt that both are massing troops on the frontiers. It looks impossible, however, that a war should occur, because neither country possesses the necessary financial sinews, and neither Russia or Austria would sanction such an outbreak.

Quarter of a Million Involved.

New York, Feb. 21.—Surrogate Thomas yesterday handed down a decision declaring the will of Miss Annie T. Morgan, who perished in the Windsor hotel fire, entitled to probate. He says the evidence, although circumstantial, is sufficient to prove her death. Miss Morgan left an estate, worth $250,000, to Mrs. Hattie Leland, in trust for Miss Ina L. Smith, her neice. Miss Morgan's sister opposed the probate of the will.

Pushed Under a Car.

Boston, Feb. 21.—While waiting at the Park Street station of the subway last evening for a car to take her to her home in Watertown, Mrs. Patrick Monahan, 40 years old, was pushed from the platform by the surging crowd directly in front of an electric car. The woman was dragged several feet. She was removed to a hospital, where she died in a short time.

Famous Painter Passes Away.

New York, Feb. 21.—William H. Beard, the artist, died here last night. Death was due to apoplexy. Mr. Beard had been ill since Jan. 27. Mr. Beard was famous as a painter of animals. He was born at Painesville, O., in 1825. His wife was the daughter of Thomas Leclaire, the portrait painter. Mr. Beard was elected a member of the Academy in 1862.

Increase For Loom Fixers.

Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 21.—The loom fixers employed by the Lorraine Manufacturing company of this city, who recently demanded an increase in wages, were notified yesterday that their demand had been granted.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The temperature has risen east of the Mississippi. The storm which occupied northwestern Texas will move north or east, and rain or snow will fall in New England, with fresh southwesterly winds.

Grand Concert.

GIVEN by the Combined Boy Choirs of Christ Church, Quincy, and St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, for the Choir Boys' Camp Fund.

Sir John Stainer's Famous Cantata,

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And a Miscellaneous Programme will be rendered. Mr. E. Landis Snyder, Director.

Soloists: MRS. H. Y. FOLLETT, Soprano of Trinity church, Boston; MR. SILAS R. MILLS, Basso, of Smith College, Northampton, Mass., and MR. A. W. FERGUSON, Tenor, of Boston. Accompanist, MR. GEO. DUNHAM, Brockton, Mass.

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NOTICE!

To the Public of Quincy.

The Christadelphians of Quincy cordially invite you to a course of lectures to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street, by Mr. Thomas Williams of Chicago, Editor of the Christadelphian Advocate.

First Lecture Wednesday evening at 7.30, FEBRUARY 21.
Subject: Reasons why Christ must return to the earth; and signs that the time is near.

Second Lecture, Friday evening at 7.30, FEBRUARY 23.
Subject: Man, what he was, what he is and what he may become.

Third Lecture, Sunday morning at 10.30, FEBRUARY 25.
Subject: The Great Salvation and How to Obtain it.

Fourth Lecture, Sunday evening at 7.30, FEBRUARY 25.
Subject: The Signs of the times in the present troubled world and the Grand Sequel.

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HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents

It is now announced that the quarry syndicate will be successfully launched on the first of March.

The Tawasentha club met with Miss Leila Miller Tuesday evening and passed a few hours pleasantly.

Rather sharp and cold this morning but good weather for the ice men who have cleared their ponds of snow.

Nearly all the stone necessary for the foundation of the new Catholic church at West Quincy has arrived on the site.

Driver Faircloth of the steamer had a narrow escape Tuesday night from serious injury, and as it is, he feels a little sore today.

The Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany church delivered the leading address at the temperance conference in Brockton, Monday afternoon.

The course of free Bible lectures under the auspices of the Quincy Christadelphian Ecclesia opens tonight at Orangeman's hall, 110 Hancock street. The lecturer is Thomas Williams of Chicago, whose subject tonight will be "Reasons why Christ must return to the earth, and signs that the time is near."

Twenty-three bell alarms of fire have been rung in up to Tuesday night. There have also been several still alarms. If it keeps on this year will be a record breaker as far as fire alarms are concerned. In most cases the losses have been small considering the property at risk, except Stuarts boat building establishment.

Mayor Hall has recently had a conference with the officials of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, in reference to abolishing grade crossings in Quincy, and the erection of new stations at Quincy and Atlantic. While all arrangements are not perfected as yet, he has been assured that the new depots will come in the spring. He is to have another conference with Supt. Clark at an early date.

Fell Into a Well.

One of the inmates of the National Sailors Home had quite an adventure one day last week. He was engaged in carrying coal from a shed in the yard to the kitchen, but on one of the trips he and the two hods both disappeared into a hole in the ground. Nobody saw the accident, but after a while the unfortunate man succeeded in attracting attention. The hole was an unknown well 30 feet deep, and contained about a foot of water. The sailor was rescued, and escaped with but few bruises for such a fall, but has been sore all over since.

Widow MacMahon Dead.

Paris, Feb. 21.—Marechale MacMahon, duchess of Magenta, widow of Marechal Patrice Maurice MacMahon, second president of the third republic of France, died yesterday, after a short illness. On Saturday evening she had an apopletic stroke. The duchess, who was in her 71st year, was much liked in Paris society. She had occupied herself all her life in charitable work.

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QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

There were in Quincy during the year 1899 a total of 712 births. The number was smaller than in 1898 or



1897, but a hundred more than in 1892, and a gain of 262 over the first year of the city. March was the banner month of 1899 while May had the smallest number. In 1898, September led and February footed the list.

The January instalment appears today and will be followed by the other months.

	1899.	1898.	1897.	1892.	1888.
January,	63	64	69	55	36
February,	62	52	51	43	30
March,	75	56	68	59	33
April,	55	55	48	43	30
May,	44	71	56	50	43
June,	48	56	45	43	33
July,	62	64	50	60	33
August,	51	64	66	54	45
September,	46	78	70	55	39
October,	61	51	57	41	44
November,	60	68	54	45	34
December,	61	66	54	64	49
	712	795	723	612	450

The following summary for five years will be of interest:

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
January 1.	Bessie A. Dunham,	George H. and May E. T.
1.	Mary Florence Hannan,	Stephen and Bridget
1.	Patrick Henry Murphy,	Patrick and Bridget
1.	Mary Brughera,	John B. and Josephine
2.	Josephine Roccio,	Ernest and Lizzie
2.	——— Givoiai,	John and Rosie
2.	Ethel Marie Chapman,	Hazen B. and Jessie M.
2.	Oscar Johnson,	John and Hulda
3.	Cleod Alvin MacDonald,	Hugh and Catherine
3.	Harold Leo Myette,	Mark and Jennie
3.	Sovnia Mattson,	Henry and Hedrick
3.	Eva Decelle,	Mitchell and Rose
3.	Margaret Mae Collins,	James and Katie
4.	——— Matson,	Andrew and Mina
5.	William Harlow,	James F. and Bessie P.
5.	Thomas Howard Langton,	George and Margaret A.
6.	Edwin John Stephen,	William and Vella
6.	Margaret Hogan,	Joseph F. and Lizzie M.
8.	Ottarina Zaverttoni,	Stephen and Veronica
8.	Percy Edward Veal,	Thomas and Georgina
8.	Philip Zaverttoni,	Stephen and Veronica
8.	Theresa Cahill,	Peter J. and Mary Ellen
9.	Fredell Bernasconi,	Angelo and Jennie
9.	——— Siostip,	Christian and Christine
10.	Walter Wentworth Black,	Joseph F. and Viola Belle
10.	——— Beaton,	Alexander and Martha E.
10.	Walter Daniel Lennon,	Daniel and Elizabeth
11.	Annie Gandiano,	Philip and Genoretta
12.	John Hughes,	James and Mary
12.	Inez Waterhouse,	Edwin J. and Ida
12.	Edwin Thomas Saville,	Michael and Bridget
13.	Stillborn,	
14.	Charles Irving Mullaney,	Thomas A. and Elizabeth
14.	Ralph Ellsworth Burrell,	Frank E. and Susanna F.
14.	Krasmski,	Leon and Ella
14.	Josephine Lyons,	William S. and Flora
14.	Joseph Lyons,	William S. and Flora
14.	— ——— Sugrue,	Cornelius and Elizabeth
15.	Marchi Isadore Fletcher,	Calvin and Agnes
15.	Carl Axberg,	Charles and Hannah
16.	Ethel Charlotte Johnson,	Swan and Anna L.
16.	Marguerite Louise Moody,	Horace W. and Margaret J.
17.	Helen Dorothy Quinn,	J. Henry and Maggie K.
17.	Hilda Anderson,	Charles and Ida
17.	Elizabeth Cornie Johnson,	Charles A. and Minnie
19.	Ignazia Bova,	Cosimo and Ignazia
20.	——— Swanson,	Fritz and Jennie
20.	Margaret Newell Ellard,	James and Catherine
20.	Hubert Girouard,	Hubert and Sopiah
21.	Grace Agenes Spargo,	Frederick J. and Margaret
22.	Mabel Geneva Dixon,	Albion I. and Jennie
23.	——— Hunter,	George and Chaslotte A.
24.	Henry Hardwick Faxon,	Henry M. and Lizzie C.
24.	Alice Mildred Avery,	John A. and Hanna G.
24.	Annie Blanche Holdsworth,	John and Susie
25.	———Bisson,	Thomas and Edith
28.	Eaton Perkins,	Fred A. and Dora May
28.	——— Griffin,	Lewis G. and Addie
29.	Edward Patrick Devany,	James and Kate
29.	Albert Arthur Pareti'	Stephen and Alvira
30.	George Thomas McLaughlin,	Thomas and Lena
30.	Percival Augustus Ames,	George and Alice S.
30.	Martin Raymond Chrisham,	Peter and Sarah
31.	Ruth Julia Carlson,	Andrew and Annie

Editors' Outing.

The party from New England to the fifteenth annual convention of the National Editorial Association at New Orleans, which left Boston, Tuesday, in the Pullman car Avon included:

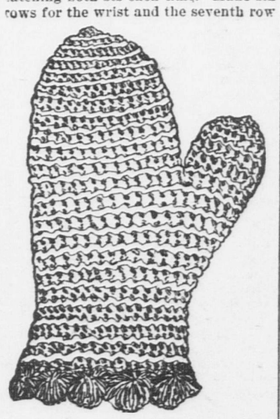
Hon. Wolfe Londoner, Denver, Col.
Chris. H. Wells and Mrs. Wells, Free Press, Somersworth, N. H.
E. A. Hall and Mrs. Hall, Gazette, Greenfield, Mass.
Louise L. Barrows, Jamaica Plain News, Jamaica Plain, Mass.
Edith A. Winship, Journal of Education, Boston.
E. H. Pierce and Mrs. Pierce, Journal, Revere, Mass.
J. S. Baldwin and Mrs. Baldwin, Spy, Worcester, Mass.
J. A. Bolles, Gazette, New Milford, Conn.
C. W. Robbins and Mrs. Robbins, Enterprise, Old Town, Me.
L. M. Puffer and Mrs. Puffer, Record, Stoughton, Mass.
Charles T. Fairfield and Mrs. Fairfield, News, Rutland, Vt.
Dr. William F. Jarvis and Mrs. Jarvis, Journal of Education, Boston.
G. C. Fairbanks and Mrs. Fairbanks, Bulletin, Natick, Mass.
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—"To put one's foot in it" is an English country saying. After the milk is drawn from the cows it is commonly placed in large flat pans and set on the ground to cool, in which position it is an easy matter for a clumsy fellow to put his foot in the pan.

Baby's Crocheted Mittens.

A baby's crocheted mittens, for which The Designer gives instructions, require as materials one skein of white saxony and a skein of pink silk for the edges of the wrists.

Begin with a ch of 40 st joined to form a ring. Make a h d in each st of the ch and work round and round, making a h d in each h d beneath, catching both sts each time. Make six rows for the wrist and the seventh row



BABY'S CROCHETED MITTEN.

begin to widen for the thumb. Widen one st in the seventh row, then 2 in every alternate row until 13 st have been widened. Leave 18 st for the thumb and work 10 rows round the remaining portion, then narrow off the end. Take up sts for the thumb and work round until it is the desired length, narrowing off the end quite abruptly. Finish the wrists with a row of shells and edge them with a chain of pink. The mitten may be made any size and is easily worked.

An Art That Interests.

A person who can draw well will find something to interest him in the humblest thing. I do not know anything connected with drawing that has not something interesting about it.—John Ruskin.



Soldiers by experience taught
Learn the art of packing,
Luxuries receive no thought;
But, whate'er is lacking,
Soap is there. The veteran shows
Care in its selection.
Ivory Soap is best for clothes;
For the bath—perfection.
Then—it floats; and so he chooses
Ivory, as the soap he uses.

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FEATHER BEDS AGAIN.

Great Changes In the Theory and Practice of Bedmaking.

"The science and practice of bedmaking have undergone a radical change in the past few years. In newly done over and decorated houses nothing could be more impressive, more luxurious and more radical in their departure from the hitherto accepted laws of hygiene than the new beds." So says the New York Sun, which adds a few details as follows:

The model just now in the houses where antique mahogany sweeps everything before it is the Georgian bed. Three could sleep, with an abundance of stretching room, in the area inclosed by the four massive carved posts of one of these big couches, and three mattresses are required to bring the sleeping platform up to the required height. One is of hair, one of cotton, and in winter on top of these reposes a mighty tick, stuffed full of the best white goose feathers. When these requirements are fulfilled, the full fledged Georgian bed is dressed with great attention to detail and elegance. Old brocade edged with bullion fringe is used for the hangings and counterpane that sweep the floor, and the coat of arms of the owner is carved on the headboard of the couch.

It is not everybody who can lay hands on a genuine carved Georgian bed or dress it in antique brocade, but even with the modern brass and iron bed curtains about the head and big feather stuffed mattresses for winter use are no longer a mere fashion, but are a general custom. For half a century the feather bed has been looked upon very coldly by experts in hygiene, but recently, both with regard to the hangings and the feather mattress, a change of heart has come, and delicate, nervous, neuralgic, rheumatic women, and particularly elderly persons and those afflicted with insomnia, have been recommended to take the feather bed cure in the winter. Queen Victoria is one of the shining proofs of the efficacy of the feather bed, for where she goes a big tick full of feathers in its leather traveling jacket goes, too, and always the curtains are drawn about the head of the bed to shut off any drafts. Queen Victoria and her doctors believe that the proper way to sleep in winter is in a cold room luxuriously lapped in a nest of feathers that preserves all the heat of the body and necessitates in the coldest weather a covering of only one pair of blankets and a down quilt. The modern bed, so called hygienic, requires more heavy covering than a pair of tired shoulders can stand, and the hair mattress constantly dissipates the human heat instead of conserving it, besides drawing away that priceless force, human electricity; at least, that is what advocates of the feather bed say.

All this drain the feathers prevent, and the easily yielding surface they present permits a perfect relaxation of the muscles that can never be gained on a bed of even the best hair. With the coming of the eighteenth century type of English bed the feather mattress was introduced, and now there are numbers of women who have not only learned their virtues, but, like the queen of England, travel about with their beds done up in leather cases. Some of the rheumatics and sufferers from cold feet have pronounced themselves free from their afflictions when luxuriating among the feathers.

Feather beds are coming into use as well in nurseries, and, though for children the Georgian four poster is not yet the fashion, the gayest beds are made to chime in with the schemes of nursery decoration.



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RAILROADS Want Operators. I teach Telegraphy, and prepare you for Railway service. Terms reasonable. Enroll now. Box 512, Wollaston, Mass. Feb. 16-6t

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Quincy, April 25. tf

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TODAY'S COURT.

Oscar Weeden was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy, and was held in $500 until Friday.

David Ford was arraigned for assault on Soloman Ford at Weymouth. Case continued until March 1.

Nathan Wolf was arraigned for violation of the city ordinances by purchasing junk from minors at Quincy. Case continued until next Tuesday.

The continued case of Frank Kelley was called and he paid a fine of $5.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1-4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

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To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

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Uttered a Horse Laugh.



"Say, aren't you the teamster who helped me up a steep hill when I was out with my automobile the other day?"

"I am, sir."

"All right. I'll start your balky horse for you by pushing the wagon up against him with my automobile. Then we'll be even."

Mother Drowned With Her Sons.

Cape May, Feb. 21.—The wife and two sons of Enoch Stephenson were drowned in a pond near their home at Eldora yesterday. The two boys, aged 10 and 13 years, were playing on the ice when they broke through. Their mother ran on the ice close to the hole where her two sons were struggling and in attempting to draw them from the water also fell in.

The Customary Uncertainty.

Corbin, Ky., Feb. 21.—In a gambling affray in the "Blind Tiger" in this city yesterday George Harp was shot through the heart, dying instantly; Lieutenant Abe Early was shot in the elbow and back and Jim Sulfridge was shot through the arm. The affair started in a dispute over a game of craps. It is uncertain who killed Harp.

Explosion and Cave-in.

Hazelton, Pa., Feb. 21.—An explosion of gas occurred yesterday in a colliery at Gowen. Two miners were entombed by a fall of coal, caused by the explosion, and have not yet been reached by the rescuing party. Another miner was badly injured.

Relieved of $7000 In Cash.

Mead, Neb., Feb. 21.—Lee Johnson sold his hardware store Monday, and received cash in payment, amounting to a little over $7000. Burglars last night got the entire amount from his trousers pocket. Bloodhounds have been put on the trail.

Automobiles as an Army Adjunct.

Berlin, Feb. 21.—In the reichstag yesterday, before the budget commission, Minister of War Von Gossler admitted that automobiles had proved a valuable adjunct in army transportation, but only to a limited extent.

Repairs Will Cost $400,000.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The board of naval consitruction has received estimates of the board of survey on the Boston. The necessary repairs to the ship will cost about $400,000 and occupy two years. When they are complete the Boston will be a thoroughly modernized type of warship. The work will be done at the Mare Island navy yard.

Gompers Returns From Havana.

New York, Feb. 21.—Samuel Gompers arrived here from Havana yesterday. He said his visit to Havana was really for his health. "For five weeks prior to my arrival," he said, "14,000 cigarmakers had been on strike. I helped to settle the strike to the satisfaction of all concerned."

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

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PUERTO RICAN TARIFF.

Great Hustling by Both Friends and Opponents of the Measure.

McCall Men Feel That They Can Defeat Committee.

Republicans Have a Slender Majority, Which May Possibly Be Overcome.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Tuesday was another day of earnest work on both sides of the Puerto Rican tariff controversy. The McCall managers claim that they are getting a fair support, and while not wishing to boast of what they can accomplish, feel that the chances of defeating the committee are good.

The other side asserts, however, that the remonstrants are every hour getting into line and that by the time a vote is taken they will have the Republican ranks substantially unbroken, besides some Democratic assistance. In evidence of this they point to the disintegration of Michigan opposition. Henry C. Smith of that state says Dalzell's speech convinced him, and that he shall now vote with his party. Mr. Crump (Mich.) will go the same way, because he has received so many petitions from his district, mostly from the beet-sugar people, that he cannot disregard their wishes.

Again yesterday there were but three speeches in the house upon the bill. Five hours were consumed in their delivery. Mr. Hopkins (Ills.) spoke in support of the bill, and Mr. Newlands (Nev.) and Mr. Swanson (Va.) in opposition to it. The speakers devoted themselves almost exclusively to the constitutional question involved and were listened to with attention.

The Republican leaders are becoming nervous over the fate of the bill. They have only a majority of 14 over the opposition, which is solidly opposed to the measure. Eight votes from the Republican side would therefore defeat it, and there are from 12 to 15 Republican votes in doubt. A movement for a Republican caucus is being agitated, and although no call had been issued up to the time of adjournment last night, the general understanding is that one will be held tonight.

The Republicans reported to be opposed to the bill are Messrs. McCall (Mass.), Littlefield (Me.), Powers (Vt.), Tompkins (N. Y.), Bromwell (O.), Lorimer (Ills.), Heatwole (Minn.), Tongue (Or.), Loud (Cal.), Jones and Cushman (Wash.) and Crumpacker (Ind.). The bill will be supported by the following Democrats: De Bries, Sibley, Berry, Wilson (Silver Rep.) of Idaho and the two Florida men, with possibly two votes from Louisiana.

There are four vacant seats, three on the Democratic side, known as the Wheeler, Roberts and Smith (governor of Maryland) seats, and one on the Republican side, occasioned by the death of Chickering of New York. It is supposed that Mr. Boutelle (Me.) will be paired with his party.

Discussion of the Philippine question was resumed for a time in the senate, Mr. Kenny speaking against the retention by the United States of the islands and urging that the Filipinos be accorded the right to govern themselves.

After the passage of 52 pension bills and a number of bills on the general calender, consideration was resumed of the Hawaiian government bill. Some amendments were agreed to, but consideration of the measure was not concluded.

Suicide of Boston Business Man.

Boston, Feb. 21.—E. L. Thayer, aged 50, president of the Boston Elevator and Safety Lock company, who has for the past six years made the Parker House his home, committed suicide in his room yesterday by shooting. It is reported that he had been disappointed over the failure of some business project that he had attempted to carry out. He was well known in business circles.

Played With a Revolver.

Newton, Mass., Feb. 21.—Paul Hershey, 10 years old, son of Rev. and Mrs. Scott P. Hershey, who was recently shot in the head, died yesterday. He underwent a surgical operation and the bullet was removed, but he could not rally from the shock. The boy and two companions were playing with a 22-calibre revolver on Feb. 12, when one of the boys shot Hershey.

Big Order For Automobile Bodies.

Amesbury, Mass., Feb. 21.—A representative of a New York automobile company yesterday contracted with several local carriage manufacturers for the delivery of from 20 to 30 finished automobile bodies per day for six months. As the cost of these bodies will be from $100 to $150 each, the contract will amount to $500,000 or more.

Bryan Talks to Women.

Tampa, Fla., Feb. 21.—W. J. Bryan held an informal reception in the rotunda of the Tampa Bay hotel yesterday, and thousands of people greeted him. Later Mr. Bryan held a reception for women only, and made them a short address. Last night Mr. Bryan addressed a large crowd on the issues of the day.

Crown Government Re-established.

Kingston, Ja., Feb. 21.—There is excitement here over the present crisis. The elected members of the legislature, as a protest against the subversion of the constitution, left the chamber in a body. Additional official members were then introduced and sworn, marking the re-establishment of crown government.

A Six Round Draw.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—At Tattersall's last night Oscar Gardiner and Tommy White fought six fast rounds to a draw. White had a clear lead throughout, but it had been agreed that if both were on their feet at the end of the sixth round a draw should be declared.

PEACEFUL BOYCOTT IS LEGITIMATE.

Jury Returns Verdict In Accordance With Instructions of Circuit Court Judge.

Kansas City, Feb. 21.—Judge Stover, in the circuit court yesterday, declared that labor unions had the legal right to put in force a peaceful boycott against employers of non-union labor and had a legal right to try by peaceful and fair persuasive means to induce customers of a boycotted person or firm to quit that person or firm and patronize employers of union workers.

The decision was made in the suit of a veterinarny, who asked $20,000 damages against members of the Master Horse Shoers' Protective association of Kansas City and the Journeyman Horseshoers' union, No. 108, for boycotting his non-union horseshoeing shop. He claimed that the boycotters had greatly damaged his business, which had been lucrative. The jury, under instruction from the court, returned a verdict for the defendants.

Wellcome Denies Allegations.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Senator Clark yesterday completed his testimony before the senate committee on elections and privileges, but his testimony was unimportant. The other witnesses were Frank Corbett of Butte, recalled; E. C. Day, who was Clark's leader on the floor of the Montana house, and John B. Wellcome, who was general manager for Clark. Wellcome made a general and specific denial of all the allegations made by Whiteside and others. Day admitted having accepted a present of $5000 from Clark, and said he understood that it was given as a testimonial and as compensation for his services. Corbett and Justice Piggott were confronted for a brief period. They both testified concerning a mortgage held by Corbett, and there was a direct clash in statements.

Populists Favor Bryan.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 21.—The next national convention of the Populist party will be held in Sioux Falls, on May 9. The feature of the meeting was the unanimity with which the members accepted and endorsed the declaration of Senator Allen of Nebraska, that W. J. Bryan will be the candidate of both the Populist and Democratic parties, and the coupling with his name that of Judge Henry Caldwell of Arkansas as the logical and most promising vice presidential possibility. Senator Allen said that he had positive knowledge that if Judge Caldwell were nominated by the Populists as Mr. Bryan's running mate he would be acceptable to Democrats, and the fusion national ticket would be Bryan and Caldwell.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Fire on the sixth floor of the Caxton block at Buffalo caused insignificant loss, but the water damage will amount to over $100,000. The 25 offices in the building were drenched by the sprinkler system.

The German foreign office confirms the report that Germany intends laying a cable to Kiao Chou and later extending this to the Carolines, and connecting the German cable with the American-Philippine line.

A movement is on foot at Yonkers, N. Y., to save the historic old manor house, now the city hall, the place where Mary Philips resided when courted by George Washington.

Chief of police John G. Currier of Woonsocket, R. I., died at Lawrence, Mass. He was 44 years old.

Hannah Long, aged 70, was burned to death at Boston by the overturning of a lamp.

Announcement is made that a steamship company will operate a line between Bangor and New York during the coming summer.

Fire destroyed the greater portion of one of the main business blocks at Decatur, Ala., causing a loss of $100,000.

Joseph E. Bennett, for 11 years the city clerk, and one of the most prominent citizens of Manchester, N. H., is dead, aged 82.

The new memorial building of Myron E. Stowell Grand Army post was dedicated at South Deerfield, Mass., with interesting exercises.

Stephen Ball, a well-known insurance man and president of the National Life association, died at Hartford, aged 60 years. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Pretty Hands,

Hands delicately moulded and daintily white are among the chief of woman's charms. When such hands are marred by eruptions, their very beauty draws attention to the repulsive disease. Humors which break out on the body begin in the blood. Soaps and salves may cover up a humor but they can't cure it. There *is* a cure for salt-rheum and other eruptive diseases, caused by a corrupt condition of the blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures these diseases perfectly and permanently. It carries off the poisons which cause disease. It makes the blood pure and rich. It increases the quantity of the blood supply by increasing the action of the blood making glands. It makes the skin white and clear by making the blood pure.



"Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol, whisky or other intoxicant.

"I write to tell you the benefit I have received from your 'Golden Medical Discovery,' after having suffered for three years with salt-rheum," writes Miss Bertha Peters, of Lulu, Monroe Co., Mich. "The humor was on my hands, and I had been treated by our home physician who did not help me. After I began the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery I took seven bottles, and can now say with pleasure that I am cured. Nobody knows the distress pain I have suffered. I could not sleep at night, the stinging, burning, and itching sensation would be so bad, sometimes I could hardly bear it. I thank you for your kind advice."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets assist the action of the "Discovery" when there is constipation.

INFLUENCE OF MEALTIME.

Everyday Furnishings Which Mold the Manners.

The educating influence of table appointments upon the taste and refinement of a family should not be overlooked, says Good Housekeeping. We are all better behaved in good clothes. Children will be more careful at a well dressed table. A coffee spot is so much more noticeable on a clean cloth than on a crumpled, soiled one; disorder so much more apparent if there was first immaculate order.

The table pushed against the wall, covered with a colored cloth or a dingy white one and crowded with dishes that look as if they had been thrown at it may subserve the primary end of its being, but it will never be a place where man's aesthetic nature will be nourished.

Suppose the mother who habitually sets her family down to that kind of a table should conclude some day to institute a reform. She draws the table out squarely in the middle of the room, puts on exactly even a spotless white cloth, arranges her pretty centerpiece and bowl of flowers, makes her silver and glass shining and places her dishes with the law of symmetry before her eyes, making this balance that and finding the best place for each. When the family comes in, what do you suppose they will say? Why, ten to one they will lower their voices and say, "Is somebody here?" They are not prepared for taste and beauty in the setting of the table unless there is company.

In many families this strikes at the root of the matter. The best things are reserved for "the sometime guest." Elaborate centerpieces are embroidered at a limitless sacrifice of time and eyesight and are used half a dozen times a year, and then usually at a time when children are banished from the table. Wouldn't it be better to have two or three of drawn work that could be washed at will and always look fresh and dainty? And isn't it better in general to strike a generous average and have the company things less pretentious and the everyday furnishings such as will delight the eye and educate the taste?

Injury to Sight From Soiled Glasses.

An oculist's opinion on the amount of damage that is done to the eyes of the community from negligence in the very simple matter of keeping eyeglasses and spectacles clean is quoted thus by The Household: "I am shocked to see the number of persons, intelligent men and women, who should know better, who spend their lives behind grimy eyeglasses. Lawyers, writers, students, schoolgirls and schoolboys and eye taxers of various sorts who use glasses rarely use them clean.

"To keep the pebbles in good wearing condition they should be cleaned about once an hour. Water is not so good a cleansing agent as alcohol, and a handkerchief should give place to a piece of tissue paper. Chamois is useful also, and either is better than the linen handkerchief.

"The amount of injury done to the world's eyesight through cloudy glasses is almost incalculable."

A Pleasing Coiffure Now In Style.

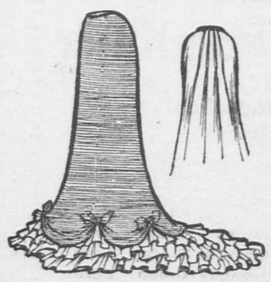
It will please those women who instinctively hate anything outre to hear that the bird's nest coiffure, so untidy and disheveled to look upon, is for good and all done away with. The hair is now gracefully and simply raised upward from the nape of the neck toward the top of the head, where it is coiled smoothly, the ends being drawn through the middle of the coil and arranged in soft, light curls with a wavy fringe on the forehead. In the evening high ospreys, small tufts of feathers, jeweled buckles or a knot of real flowers are added, and for grand occasions of course the tiara or diadem is placed slightly on one side, which gives a somewhat rakish, but very attractive, look to pretty and piquante faces, says a Paris correspondent of Vogue.

Congratulating the Bridegroom.

Apart from the letters of congratulation received by the bridegroom from his men friends, he receives not a few from the ladies of his acquaintance, and it has been asked whether young ladies should write and congratulate a young man or not. There is no rule against so doing if they have known him for some time and are constantly meeting him in everyday life, but young girls would not be expected to do this and would either congratulate him personally or not at all. The notes written by a bridegroom in response to good wishes are usually of the briefest and merely express thanks for the same.

Model For Silk or Satin Skirt.

For satin, silk or some such fabric no prettier model could be chosen nor one which more fully illustrates the mode of the moment than the one here presented. The frills are composed of billowy chiffon in a shade paler than the color of the tunic, the draped edges of which give a pleasing touch of originality. At the back a box plait is formed, with two tiny tucks stitched down it.



FASHIONABLE EVENING SKIRT.

A Woman's Trials

increase from girlhood to the grave.

The question of health is always before her. Thirty years of her life is a battle with menstruation, and not one woman in a hundred escapes the ills which lie in wait from month to month.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

has restored a million women to health.

Letters from grateful women are constantly being printed in this paper.

Mrs. Pinkham has fifty thousand such letters. Her counsel is safe counsel. It always helps women and it will help you.

Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass. She will advise you free.

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r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

A FIGHT TO A FINISH.

Cronje's Reply to Kitchener When Request For Armistice Was Refused.

Roberts Has Scattered the Advance Reinforcements.

Buller Reports Finding Boers North of the Tugela Largely Reinforced.

London, Feb. 23.—General Cronje, on the third day of the fight, asked for an armistice to bury his dead. Lord Kitchener refused, but gave him half an hour to consider whether he would surrender unconditionally or fight to a finish. The Boers having said that their intention had been misunderstood and that they would fight to the death, the battle was resumed.



GENERAL KITCHENER.

This was the situation of General Cronje Tuesday evening, as sketched in the scanty telegrams that have emerged from the semi-silence of South Africa.

Officially, Lord Roberts wires that he has scattered the advance commandoes of the reinforcements that were striving to reach General Cronje. It is regarded as singular that Lord Roberts, wiring Wednesday, should not mention the appeal for an armistice on the previous day, and also that the war office should withhold good news, if it has any.

Without trying to reconcile even the scanty materials at hand, it seems plain that General Cronje is in a bad, and even a desperate situation, and that the British are pressing their advantage.

While the attack on General Cronje proceeds, there is a race for concentration between the Boers and the British. The engagement with General Cronje's 5000 to 8000 entrenched men is likely to become an incident in a battle between the masses. The separated fractions of the Boer power are rapidly drawing together to attack Lord Roberts.

Will General Cronje be able to hold out until the Boer masses appear, or, if he does, will they then be able to succor him? The British are facing the Boers on ground where the arms, tactics and training of the British are expected to give them the advantage.

General Buller, according to a dispatch from Chieveley, dated Wednesday, finds the Boers in positions north of the Tugela reinforced. This seems strange.

The war office, for the first time, has given out an official compilation of the British losses. The total is 11,208 to Feb. 17. This does not include, therefore, Lord Roberts' recent losses, nor the Wiltshire prisoners.

The Press association learns that the British losses at Koodoosrand were 700.

The morning papers allude to the thoughtfulness of Lord Roberts in sending a dispatch to the Earl of Minto, the Canadian governor general.

The military critic of The Times urges the continuance of efforts to send more troops to South Africa, so as to be ready for the many difficulties that must be surmounted even after Lord Roberts has succeeded against General Cronje. He adds: The splendid spirit shown in Canada, which has just received the first news of losses incurred in the cause of the empire, should serve to impel us to greater exertions.

Spencer Wilkinson, reviewing the military situation in The Morning Post, says: Lord Roberts, who was once an artillery officer, will take care that the artillery fire is properly concentrated. Prolonged shelling will compel the Boers either to hurl themselves at the British infantry in the hope of forcing their way out or to surrender.

The best chance for General Cronje would be to make a night attack, but the bayonet will serve the British at night as well as by day. There are, of course, in war all sorts of chances. A party of Boers from the north or the south might conceivably fall by surprise on some point of the investing ring and thus gain a chance to escape for the beleaguered Boers, but the probabilities are that General Cronje will be compelled to surrender, and that thus at Paardeberg will be effected the destruction of the first fraction of the Boer army.

George Wyndham, the parliamentary secretary of the war office, in the house of commons announced that he did not know the nature of the wound of General Hector MacDonald, but it was described as "severe, though not dangerous."

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New York Crook Showed Lynn Man How to Make Money Quickly Disappear.

New York, Feb. 23.—F. D. Stanley, said to be a merchant of Lynn, Mass., has fallen a victim to swindlers in this city, and the police are looking for them. Mr. Stanley lodged at the Hotel Jefferson. As he left the hotel he was accosted by a well-dressed man.

"Mr. Stanley, I believe," said the stranger, cordially, "and my name is Breed. I am from Lynn. You may remember me." Mr. Stanley entered into a friendly conversation. The man told Mr. Stanley that he was about to enter the woolen business, and suggested that they go into a saloon to look over samples which he displayed. Seated at a table in the saloon was a second well-dressed man, who was on the point of paying for refreshments from a large roll of bills.

"Guess you haven't been in New York long, or you wouldn't display your money so recklessly," said the supposed Mr. Breed. The second man laughingly replied, and the conversation turned to the subject of bunco men.

"Just to illustrate their cunning," said Mr. Breed, turning to Stanley, "give me a roll of bills and I'll show you how money can disappear before your eyes."

Mr. Stanley produced the bills and placed them in "Mr. Breed's" hands just as a third man appeared, caught sight of the money and yelled angrily: "None of that; no gambling in my place. I'm the proprietor. Get out of here."

He gave "Mr. Breed" a shove which sent him flying through one door, the money clutched in his hand. A second blow and the man at the table vanished through another door. And, waiting a few moments to glare at Mr. Stanley, he hustled him out of the front door.

Detective Lockwood arrested John Ryan, who was identified by Mr. Stanley as the woolen "Breed" of Lynn.

Grand Statue of Washington.

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 23.—Without ceremony, Thomas W. Ball's heroic statue of Washington was unveiled at Methuen yesterday on the grounds owned by Edward F. Searles. The statue, with its accompanying figures, is said to have cost $250,000. The pedestal of white marble is 60 feet in height. The figures are bronze. Busts of President Lincoln, Generals Lafayette, Knox and Greene occupy recesses near the tops. At each corner are figures symbolic of oppression, rebellion, victory and peace.

Stricken With Typhoid Fever.

New York, Feb. 23.—Princess Cantacuzene, who was Julia Dent Grant, granddaughter of General U. S. Grant, is ill with typhoid fever in St. Petersburg. Her mother, wife of General Frederick Grant, now in the Philippines, sailed hurriedly on the American liner St. Louis. She hopes to reach the bedside of her daughter within 10 days. She took with her an American trained nurse—Esther A. Shafer, assistant directrix of the Metropolitan hospital on Blackwell's island.

Two Killed and Five Overcome.

New York, Feb. 23.—A couple registering at the Klondike hotel here as John and Mary Storry were found dead yesterday, having been asphyxiated by gas escaping from a stove. It is believed the deaths were accidental. Escaping gas in a tenement yesterday almost caused the death of Mrs. Horowitz, a widow, her two sons and two daughters, ranging in age from 21 to 17 years. After half an hour's work a physician pronounced them out of danger.

Sons of Veterans Elect Officers.

Boston, Feb. 23.—At the concluding session of the Sons of Veterans' convention these division officers were elected: Commander, F. E. Warner, Salem; senior vice commander, F. H. Miller, Westminster; junior vice commander, L. W. Blanchard, Whitman; council, G. M. Howard, H. S. Thompson, Chelsea, and J. E. Coulter, Needham. The per capita tax for the next year was fixed at 20 cents.

State Capitol Guard Reduced.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 23.—The state capitol is guarded by fewer soldiers than it has been at any time since the assassination of Mr. Goebel. Adjutant General Collier, acting under directions from Governor Taylor, told the soldiers that such of them as did not desire to remain in the service longer might return to their homes. About 150 went home, leaving probably 100 still there.

Captured In Connecticut.

New London, Conn., Feb. 23.—Detective O'Day last night arrested Frank B. Leland here on the charge of embezzling $1000 from the law firm of Thayer & Perry of Worcester, Mass. Leland had been employed as bookkeeper and collector of the firm. He arrived in this city last Saturday and had been traced by the detective from Worcester to Boston and finally here.

Exonerated by Jury.

Williamsburg, Ky., Feb. 23.—Organizer Purcell of the United Mine Workers has been acquitted by a jury of the charge of leading a riot at the Proctor mines recently while attempting to organize a union.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Rain has fallen generally in the Atlantic coast states. Easterly gales have prevailed on the New England coast. Rain or snow will be followed by clearing weather in New England. Along the north Atlantic coast high easterly winds will shift to northwesterly.

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FIREMEN'S BALL.

The Annual Party a Success in Numbers and Good Time.

A success in every particular, was the verdict pronounced by those who attended the fourteenth annual ball of the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association, Wednesday night. The affair was held in Music hall and it is safe to say that this hall has seldom held a larger party.

There is a certain attraction about a fireman's ball that appeals to the public, for it is to these men that citizens look in time of fire for protection. Quincy people have never looked to them in vain, and whenever their services have been wanted, they have always been found ready and willing. It is no wonder then that the generous public gives these annual parties their hearty support.

There were but few decorations about the hall, and these were confined to a row of handsome potted plants along the front of the platform.

The participants began to arrive early, and at 8 o'clock, when Doherty's orchestra commenced the first number of the concert, there were but few vacant seats in the gallery.

Those who came early to hear the concert were well repaid, for the programme was an excellent one and was well rendered. The several numbers, included the march "Thoroughbred," overture from "Bohemian Girl," a selection from "Black and White," a polka, "Forge in the Forest," and concluded with "McAtherny's Cake Walk."

Promptly at 9 o'clock a large fire alarm gong on the platform sounded one round from Box 26 and Chief Engineer Peter J. Williams and Mrs. Williams headed the grand march, which opened the ball. Following them were Engineer Rooney, Aids John P. Duffy, Thomas F. Hogan and Charles E. Weeks with ladies, and sixty or more couples.

It was but a portion of those present, however, who participated in the march, for many from choice watched the couples as they marched gracefully around the hall, first in couples, then fours, and so on until a straight line of sixteen front came slowly down the hall, in perfect step and time with the music.

The line had nearly reached the turning point when a fireman put his head in the door and shouted, "Box 41 has just come in."

Chief Williams did not stop to finish the march, but made a dash through the door and in an instant was followed by a score or more firemen. The Chiefs' carriage was near at hand, and he was soon on his way to the box. Fortunately the fire did not amount to much and he soon returned. The hasty exit of the firemen in no way interfered with the march which was continued to the end, the ladies who had so suddenly lost their escorts dropping out of line.

The march over, dancing became general, and it was 5 o'clock in the morning when the last strain of the closing waltz had died away and the fourteenth annual had become a matter of history.

There was a brief intermisssion in the festivities at midnight, during which time Caterer Nash served one of his popular suppers in the annex.

Among those in the gallery, who watched the merry throng on the floor below, were: Mayor Hall and Mrs. Hall, Commissioner of Public Works C. F. Knowlton, Chief of Police Walter H. Riley, City Clerk Edgar G. Cleaves, City Messenger Harry W. Tirrell, Fire Marshal Warren W. Adams, Postmaster Charles L. Hammond, ex-Chief of Police J. W. Hayden, ex-City Treasurer James F. Burke, ex-Tax Collector A. I. Dixon, Councilman Packard and Dr. C. W. Garey of the Board of Health and other dignitaries. There was also present prominent members of fire departments of adjoining cities and towns.

The guests were well care for by the Reception committee consisting of Chief Williams, James, F. Rooney, James A. White, William F. Powers, Marcena R. Sparrow, and Thomas F. Hogan.

William F. Powers was chairman, James F. Morrissey secretary, and James A. White treasurer of the Committee of Arrangements.

The floor which was also well managed was in charge of the following officials:

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	20	37	46	34	46
Monday,	30	48	45	40	38
Tuesday,	34	60	30	33	34
Wednesday,	45	38	48	38	51
Thursday,	41	45	50	37	35
Friday,	39	36	47	44	38
Saturday,	—	35	26	44	37

New Advertisements Today.

Flour, Coffee and Tea—The Star Tea and Coffee Store.
Found—Ladies' Fur Boa.
Hearing—State House.
Eggs—For Sale.
Lost—Bunch of Keys.
Public Hearing.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ President Eliot of Harvard responds nobly to his country's call in offering to provide, free of charge, for 1,000 Cuban teachers at the next summer school at the university.—Springfield Republican.

☞ A woman has left Chicago, after warning her neighbors that the city was to be destroyed in a few days because of its wickedness. She had probably read of the anti-trust conference and had a misconception of the power of the members.—Ansonia Evening Sentinel.

☞ The unfortunate stockholders of the Globe bank of Boston will have to pay an assessment of 100 per cent. to make good the losses to the depositors. This all comes of a directory which did not direct, and allowing two or three men to smash the bank in holding up by the tail copper mining ventures.—Milford Journal.

☞ The action from the Dewey silly season long ago set in, but now and then an occasional suggestion that it is hard work raising funds for the New York arch reminds us of the inevitable consequences of the foolish tendency of public sentiment in this country to "go off half cocked."—St. Albans Messenger.

Utopian Club.

The monthly meeting of the Utopian Society occurred Monday evening, Feb. 19. On account of the disagreeable traveling there was not as large a company as usual present. The singing was by Mr. Wilde of Wollaston, who as usual rendered the solos in a manner much appreciated.

The speaker for the evening was Mr. E. L. Robbins of Wollaston, subject, "A trip through London." This was exceedingly interesting, as Mr. Rollins had made it a special study, and had given it particular attention. His description of the Temple and surroundings was exceedingly interesting.

The next meeting will be March 19, subject, "Electricity."

It seems by some oversight the report of the January meeting was not printed. As it was one of the most interesting of the season, we feel it due the artists to make mention. A mandolin solo by Miss Claire Foucher, 11 Belvidere street, Boston, assisted by Miss Bertha D. Taggart, was one of the attractions, as it proved to be more than the ordinary. The audience would hardly allow Miss Foucher to be seated, such was the appreciation for the able manner in which the music was rendered. Mr. Barbour of Wollaston gave an exceedingly interesting talk on "A Tour Through Europe," illustrated by the stereopticon. Mr. Barbour is a very interesting speaker, and presented his subject in a manner thoroughly instructive. The views presented were evidently selected with great care.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Oscar Weeden of Quincy was placed on file.

The continued cases of Patrick H. Hand and Thomas Mullin of Randolph were continued for another month.

The continued case of Thomas Murray of Weymouth was again continued until March 3.

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HOME SCIENCE BALL.

A Brilliant Party of Quincy's Four Hundred.

Rich and Beautiful Gowns Were Numerous.

Excellent Music by Daggett's Orchestra and a Good Time.

The most brilliant dance of the season was the grand ball of the Home Science Association held on the evening of Washington's Birthday at Music hall. It was attended by about 200 of the society people of Quincy and vicinity, and each of the ladies seemed to vie with the other in the richness of their gowns. There were several very pretty muslins, and some rich black dresses; white gowns trimmed with black, light blue with white, a taffetta with stripes of blue and white, one of brown and white stripes, and others equally rich, and taken collectively it was a very pretty party.

The officers of the Association served as matrons and received during the evening in the corner at the right of the stage. They were Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Mrs. Warren W. Adams, Mrs. C. T. Hardwick and Miss Alice Putnam.

At the left of the stage there were tables presided over by pupils of the Quincy High school, Miss Elsie Martin, Miss Elizabeth Dunn and Miss Mary Dunn, at which was served during the evening frappe and coffee.

The decorations were simple, and included a few potted plants on the stage, and a pariotic display on the front of the gallery, with a framed picture of Washington in the centre and red, white and blue streamers on each side. The committee on decorations were Mr. Bateman, Mrs. Hunting and Mrs. Randall.

The ushers and floor directors were Mr. George Dewson, Mr. Delcevare King, Mr. Ramon Burke, Mr. John Estabrooks, Mr. Morton Swallow, Mr. Herbert Barker, Mr. Gordon Keating and Mr. Charles Slade.

No orders of dances were supplied, and the informality was enjoyed. Round dances predominated, but there was a Portland Fancy and the Lanciers to tempt those who dance but little nowadays. It was a merry party, and could not have been otherwise with the quick inspiring music.

As the advance sale of tickets was largely in excess of the attendance, and the price was $1 for each person, a goodly sum was realized for the summer kindergarten schools conducted by the Home Science Association.

Young Peoples' Masquerade.

The weather for a sunlight party Thursday afternoon was not as fine as could have been desired. The rain which had been coming down in torrents all day, suspended operations for a brief time in middle of the afternoon however, which gave the young people who were to participate in the private masquerade party at Faxon hall, given by Mrs. Rhines, an opportunity to reach the hall.

The hours of the party were from 3 to 7 p. m. Hunt's orchestra furnished music and the grand march which opened the affair was led by Master Chester Gage and Miss Abigail Waldron. There were fifty couples in the march. Many were in fancy costume, while the others wore masks which served to keep their identity a mystery. The jockey, the gypsy, "Three little maids from school," and other well known characters were impersonated by the dancers.

Round dances prevailed and the young people had a merry time. The participants kept arriving all the afternoon until at 5.30, when there were one hundred and fifty present. Ice cream and cake were served during intermissions but the supply gave out.

Master Tyler Brigham had charge of the floor, and the matrons were Mrs. A. C. Drinkwater and Mrs. J. C. Morse. Mrs. Rhines next party will be on the afternoon of Patriots' Day at Colonial hall.

Box 41 Pulled.

The alarm from Box 41 at 9.12 Wednesday evening was for a slight fire in the house of Charles Hayden on Fort street. Mr. Hayden lived alone in the building and occupied the lower part. He built a roaring fire in the stove in the room he occupied and as the chimney to the house was old the fire probably started from that. When discovered the fire was in the upper part near the chimney. The loss was slight.

The costliest rugs in the world are owned by the shah of Persia and the sultan of Turkey. Each possesses a mat made of pearls and diamonds, valued at over $2,500,000. The Carleton club, London, owns the largest mat or rug ever made.

SUNLIGHT PARTY.

One Hundred and Fifty Young People Enjoy the Holiday.

A large and very pretty dancing party for children was held at Music hall on the afternoon of Washington's Birthday, under the direction of Miss Corlew. About 150 young people, many not having reached their "teens," enjoyed the dancing, and showed that they were as expert as adults. It was a dressy party and all were on their good behavior. Fond parents were also in attendance, and were pleased to see their children happy and accomplished in dancing.

The ushers of the afternoon were: Homer Morrison, Carl Prescott, George Brown, Morton Smith, Foster Hitchcock, Harold Curtis, Sidney Carr, Roscoe Ricker, Lyndon Hardwick and Allen Arnold.

After the parents and friends were seated around the hall, the matrons were escorted in by the ushers and were seated midway on the west side of the hall. Then the children were escorted in and were presented in turn to the matrons, and escorted to seats by the usher.

The matrons were Mrs. E. F. Carr, Miss Clara Thayer, Mrs. A. E. Sproul, Mrs. Henry G. Fay, Mrs. George H. Hitchcock and Mrs. H. F. Spear.

Music was furnished by Mullahy's orchestra, and from 2.30 to 5.30 the young people tripped blithely the light fantastic. The party concluded with a march, and all who participated saluted the matrons as they passed by for the last time. The party reflected great credit on Miss Corlew.

Among those present were:

Ethel Parker, Francis Bishop, Chester W. Melville, George Brown, Carlena Walker, Gertrude Thompson, Marguerite Davis, Grace F. Spear, Marion Tirrell, Helen King, Jack Pfaffmann, Alan F. Arnold.

Estelle Tirrell, Grace Parker, Clark Svaille, Morton Smith, Muriel Rogers, Mabel Lovejoy, Mila Bates, Harris E. Dexter, Harriet Spooner, Abby Wilde, Parker R. Dexter, Hazel Mowry, Philip Gleason, Helen Barnes, Avard C. Sproul.

Louise I. Randall, Minnie R. Hardwick, Ruth McConnell, Marion Howe, Edward Russell Hall, Ralph M. Read, Louise W. Hinkley, Helen Louise Curtin, Helen M. Lincoln, Helen Barstow Josselyn, Marion Gleason, Mabel Read, Elsie Foretier, Mirriam Marsh, Elizabeth Read.

Wallace Carr, Huntington Hardwick, Ethel J. Swift, Inez Ziolkocisk, Marion E. Thomas, Roxbury; George D. Thomas, Roxbury; James N. Lincoln, Harry Redding, Lyndon B. Hardwick, Bennie F. Hodgkinson, George M. Hodgkinson, Roscoe R. Ricker, Foster Hitchcock, Hannah Litchfield, Mildred Rogers, Marion Tirrell.

Henri Moreno, Carl Sheppard, Ethel Hersey, Edith Lovejoy, Bessie Hallowell, Carleton Hallowell, Lorenzo Gilson, Gerna Saville, Mabel Lovejoy, Joel Sheppard, Janet Carr, Ruth Winslow, Charlie Hearn.

Charlie Slomes, Gertrude Jones, Mary Coyle, Eleanor Randall, Helen Durgin, Ethel Babcock, Helen Baxter, Mary Durgin, Thorpe Babcock, Beatrice Marstin, Willie E. Howe, Carl Prescott.

Jesse S. Corlew, Mollie G. Brown, Henry Prescott, Avah R. Gilson, Muriel M. Badger, Dorothy Sayward, Pearl Hayden, Evelyn Newcomb, Grace Lapham, Catherine Gay, Stanley Ferguson, Viola Hayden, Helen Sayward, Marian Johnson.

Lela Smith, Frank Tirrell, Estelle Tirrell, Marion Carver, Helen Sturgis, Lauretta V. Lowe, Louise Wilde, Alfred W. Brown, M. Beatrice Lowe, Sadie Johnson, Ruth Parker, Morton Smith.

Bartlett Spooner, Lyndon B. Hardwick, Dorothy Federhen, Clara Tolman, Ethel Humphrey, Grace Bishop, Eva S. Sheldon, Marjorie Fay, Horace Jentens, Thomas Gleason, L. F. Loring, Carl Sheppard.

Francis Bishop, Esther Swift, Evelyn Cummings, Albert Prescott, Winnifred White, Louise Bates, Ethel B. Kittredge, Lillian Mead, Dorothy Fay, Russell B. Hall, Thomas C. Hardwick, Dorothy Walls, Gertrude Sayward and Winthrop Fenno.

St. George Ball.

The concert and ball under the auspices of Granite lodge, No. 193, Order Sons of St. George, and English Ivy lodge, No. 116, Order Daughters of St. George, at Hancock hall Wednesday evening drew a large attendance.

The concert programme was of an interesting kind and was thoroughly enjoyed. The programme opened with an address by James Rapson, G. O. P. Other numbers were selections by the Arlington Male quartette, solos by John Lingard, Lewis Griffiths, Miss May Vidler, Miss F. Graham, Henry Chequer, James Kershaw and J. E. Daniels; humorisms by Prof. George Batty and Billy Troy; flute solo by A. N. Alexander, and mandolin, guitar and piano trio by Misses Caiger and Hatfield.

The concert lasted until 10 o'clock, and at its conclusion dancing was in order until 4 o'clock. The affair was a success in every way, and netted quite a sum, which will be given to the British South African widows and orphans.

Vespers at Wollaston.

The music at the Wollaston Unitarian church, Sunday, at 4 P. M. will include:

Arise shine for thy light is come,	Holden
God is Love,	Shelley
Father lead us by thy hand,	Butterfield
Hear O Father,	Ludden
Tenor solo, Far from the land of rest,	Greely

The quartette is composed of Miss Cora F. Hayden, soprano; Miss Ida G. Haynes, contralto; Prof. J. H. Mahan, tenor; Mr. E. Walter Arnold, bass. Mr. John E. Nickerson organist.

Fyfe—Davidson.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening, Feb. 21, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson of 10 Washington court, Neponset, when their eldest daughter, Jeannette, and Mr. William Fyfe of Quincy were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by the Rev. Robert F. Gordon of the Dearborn Street Congregational church, Roxbury.

The bridesmaid was Miss Agnes, sister of the bride, and the groomsman was Mr. Thomas Robertson of Quincy, who has been residing in Barre, Vt., for some time.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was very becomingly attired in white organdie trimmed with satin and lace, and carried a bouquet of white roses.

Among the guests were friends from Lowell, Quincy, Dorchester, Randolph, Highlandville, Hyde Park, Gleasondale and Roxbury.

A most tempting supper was served by the bride's mother after the ceremony.

In the party were several vocalists and musicians of no mean ability, by whom an excellent programme was rendered during the evening.

The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful and costly gifts from their friends and well wishers. They sail from New York on the Cunard S. S. Campania Saturday, for a prolonged tour in Europe.

Salad Supper.

There was a salad supper and entertainment at the Point church Tuesday evening. The supper consisted of lobster, chicken, salmon, egg and potato salads, tea, rolls and fancy pies. Several members of the Ladies' Aid society were waiters, and both the first and second tables were bountifully supplied. Everyone knows what the suppers at the Point church are and they are generally well attended.

The first part of the entertainment was a "Cake Carnival," in which many young people beside members of the Ladies' Aid society participated. The prize that each were striving to win was a cake. This was to be given to the person representing a cake which the audience failed to guess from the costume worn.

The cakes, impersonated and not guessed by the audience were:

Duchess,—Mildred H. Sampson.
Variety,—Bertha F. Hayden.
Down East,—Frank Melville.
Shortcake, — Master Markie Fitzpatrick.

The cake was awarded to Master Fitzpatrick, he being the smallest.

The other part of the entertainment consisted of readings by Mr. Snow; a vocal solo, "A Dream of Paradise," by Miss Muriel Clapp: and a piano solo by Mr. Sterling of Weymouth. This is the second time that Mr. Snow has read during the season, and both times his readings have been well selected and rendered. Miss Clapp has a very clear and sweet voice and her solo, as well as Mr. Sterling's, was greatly appreciated.

Alliance Entertainment.

The Ladies' Alliance connected with the Woliaston Unitarian society gave a sale and entertainment in the vestry Thursday afternoon and evening. Notwithstanding the inclement weather there was a large attendance and a ready sale for the tempting array of useful and fancy articles which were offered for sale.

The various tables and the chairmen of the different committees in charge were as follows: Fancy table, Mrs. Charles S. Comins; flowers, Mrs. William G. Curtis and the flower committee; Sunday school, Mrs. George W. Bennett and class; Alliance apron table, Mrs. Joseph N. Smith; candy, Mrs. William E. Rowe; parish committee, President Simmons; lemonade, Mrs. E. S. Taylor and Mrs. Walter E. Parker; fish pond, Mrs. W. E. Simmons; supper, clam chowder and fixings, Mrs. Frank P. Waterhouse.

In the afternoon the entertainment was given by the children, the music being furnished by Mildred and Olive Huston, John and Ernest Merrill and Carl Gram. There were recitations by Margaret Hall and Lucien Thayer.

In the evening there was music by an orchestra under the direction of Mr. S. P. Moorehouse, then Miss Lulu Phelan sang two solos and Miss Annie Newton of the Emerson School of Oratory gave readings.

NOTICE!

To the Public of Quincy.

The Christadelphians of Quincy cordially invite you to a course of lectures to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street, by Mr. Thomas Williams of Chicago, Editor of the Christadelphian Advocate.

Second Lecture, Friday evening at 7.30. FEBRUARY 23.
Subject: Man, what he was, what he is and what he may become.
Third Lecture, Sunday morning at 10.30, FEBRUARY 25.
Subject: The Great Salvation and How to Obtain it.
Fourth Lecture, Sunday evening at 7.30. FEBRUARY 25.
Subject: The Signs of the times in the present troubled world and the Grand Sequel.
Seats free. Positively no collections.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

The new telephone system at City Hall is in working order.

The prediction for the holiday weather came too true.

The City Council Committee on Streets will meet tonight.

This is the last Friday of the month; not very good weather to govern March.

W. H. Fay has remodelled his stable off Greenleaf street and made a cosy cottage.

Presidents hill people say they escaped the flood but expect to wear rubbers all the year.

The wheel of an overloaded stone team collapsed in front of the First church on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Wallace of Squantum street has been confined to her house the past week with an attack of the grip.

A meeting of the Fragment society will be held in the Unitarian chapel, Wednesday afternoon February 28, at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Edward A. Chase will repeat, by request, the sermon on the "Palace Beautiful" at the Congregational church, Wollaston, Sunday morning.

It has been reported by a number of the young ladies of Wollaston Park, that the man who made his appearance a few weeks ago and frightened them has returned.

The postponed Valentine party, which was to be held at the Wollaston Yacht Club, had it not been burned, will take place at Polands hall, Norfolk Downs, next Tuesday.

A special meeting of the Gleaners' Circle of King's Daughters will be held at the home of Mrs. Watson Brasee, Grandview avenue, on Monday, February 26, at 2.30 P. M.

There was quite flood on Independence avenue, Thursday, near Goddard avenue. The water evidently came from the hills and one time was a foot deep. The trouble is said to have been due largely to the under drains becoming clogged.

The banquet to be served by the men at the Universalist vestry March 7, bids fair to be the most interesting ever held. A large number of tickets have been sold and among the speakers who have signified their intention to be present are Mayor Hall and Rev. E. W. Preble.

A large number were present at the social and supper of the Universalist Ladies' Association Wednesday evening. Young people from the Weymouth Universalist church presented the bright little comedy "Poor Pillicody" in a commendable manner. Miss Hattie H. Lincoln of Hingham also read two selections very commendably.

The Quincy steamer is in commission again. It was taken to the brook on Bigelow street in the rain on the afternoon of Washington's Birthday for trial. In a short time steam was generated and the steamer drafted its own water and played a grand stream. The Randolph steamer will be returned all repaired the first of the week.

There was a goodly attendance at the whist party at Odd Fellows hall, Thursday evening. There were 26 tables. Prizes were awarded as follows: First ladies', china tea set, Mrs. Harry Tirrell; second, a plaque, Lucy Pendleton Day; third, china hair receiver, Carrie Walcher. First gentlemen's prize, scrap basket, W. H. Lewis; second, clothes brush, Channing Furnald; third, thermometer, R. Smith.

Swedish Fair.

The Sewing Society of the Swedish M. E. Church, held their annual fair last week, but on account of the storm Saturday evening it was continued Thursday evening this week.

The program which preceded the sale each night consisted of solos, declamations, readings, phonograph, etc. Saturday was children's evening and in spite of the storm a very attentive and large audience was present. Besides many useful articles that the society has made our business and some private citizens contributed very generously.

The different tables were managed as follows: Fancy table—Mrs. A. Sirberg, Mrs. H. Larson and Miss Anna Gronvall.

Tea cream table—Mrs. L. Gustafson Miss Alida Nilson and Miss Beda Erikson.

Coffee table—Mrs. John Carlson, Miss Emma Carlson, Mrs. Charles Carlson and Miss Olga Nilson.

Candy and flower table—Miss Hermanna Carlstrom.

The church was prettily decorated with plants, flags, bunting and Japanese lanterns.

The fair was well attended every night and a good balance in cash and credit was realized.

Mrs. A. Sirberg and Mrs. H. Larson are worthy of much praise and thanks for their activity in bringing the fair to such a success.

TO EXPEND AT LEAST $12,500,000.

Uruguay to Deepen Montevideo Harbor and Make Other Waterway Improvements.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The state department has received from United States Minister Finch at Montevideo full details of the vast project for the improvement of the harbor at that capital, which the minister forwards at the instance of the Uruguayan government with the view of securing proposals from American engineers and constructing corporations.

The project contemplates the expenditure of $12,500,000 in gold in the immediate future, and there are large extensions of the project held in reserve.

What is wanted at once is the construction of a canal, port and ante-port, up to at least 7½ meters depth, docks, moles and breakwaters. Proposals will be received up to July 31 next.

The port revenues of Montevideo, amounting to a minimum of $1,500,000 gold yearly, are pledged as security for the payment of the contractors.

Feeling of Profound Gratitude.

Washington, Feb. 22.—General Corbin has received from Mrs. Lawton the following acknowledgement of the receipt of the home fund: "Such kindness as yours can never be repaid, and my heart is very full when I try to thank you. Words seem very poor at such a time. Will you please believe that I do appreciate it, and all my life will find comfort in the remembrance. The universal feeling which prompted such wonderful generosity from the nation is so beautiful to me, and so dear, my gratitude is inexpressibly profound. It has relieved the one anxious thought Henry would have had, and I do not know how to thank you or the nation."

Alleged Embezzlement of $4000.

Boston, Feb. 22.—Jesse H. Bailey, former assignee of the Spaulding & Pepper Co., bicycle manufacturers of Chicopee, is under arrest here charged with the embezzlement of $4000. It is said that $4000 of a deposit of $8000 that had been placed in a bank to the concern's credit was found to be missing. A company which had furnished bonds for Bailey as assignee made good the amount, and as Bailey had disappeared, they placed the case in the hands of a detective agency, which effected the arrest yesterday.

In Their Last Resting Place.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The bodies of 85 soldiers who died in Cuba were buried in the Spanish-American section at Arlington cemetery yesterday. The burial services of the Episcopal and Catholic churches were read. The cavalrymen at Fort Myer and the full band of the garrison were present. The troopers were dismounted. After the spiritual exercises the firing party delivered three volleys over the rows of flag-draped boxes and the bugler sounded "taps."

Modest Campaign Expenses.

Washington, Feb. 22.—John B. Wellcome, Senator Clark's manager in his senatorial contest, was the only witness before the senate committee in the Clark case yesterday. He placed his expenditures for the senatorial campaign at not to exceed $25,000, and produced his bank book and old checks to substantiate his statement. He said that he suspected Mr. Daly of supplying the money used in the Whiteside exposure.

Shipping Bill May Go Through.

Washington, Feb. 22.—It is stated by Republican members of the house committee on merchant marine that the prospects are improved for reconciling all differences on the shipping subsidy bill. It is stated that the changes proposed by three house members have been favorably received by two of the senators, although Senator Hanna prefers to retain the original form of the measure.

Family Perished In Flames.

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 22.—Edward Lawrence of Lakeville Corner, his wife and three children were burned to death in their home at that place on Wednesday. Mrs. Lawrence rushed from the building, but went back to get her children. As she entered the roof fell and the father, mother and three children were consumed. Two boarders escaped by leaping from the second-story windows.

Battle With a Prisoner.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 22.—Sheriff Hawley and the officers at the county jail had a desperate struggle yesterday with Henry Ogden, a prisoner charged with murderous assault. In the lining of his waistcoat was found a key which exactly fitted the lock of the handcuffs. The key probably was made with a file previously found in Ogden's cell.

Political Crisis Continues.

St. John's, Feb. 22.—The Bond and Morris wings of the opposition party cannot coalesce and Mr. Bond, therefore, is not in a position to meet the legislature as premier. Under these circumstances the cabinet of Mr. Winter will probably remain in control of affairs until a new session has been called.

Yerxa Takes Oath of Office.

Boston, Feb. 22.—With all the ceremonial prescribed for such occasions, Henry D. Yerxa of Cambridge appeared before the joint convention of senate and house yesterday and took the oath of office as a member of the executive council. The oath was administered by President Smith of the senate.

Skull Probably Fractured.

Boston, Feb. 22.—During a quarrel in a saloon on North street yesterday Chissi Tretti, an Italian, was hit by a tumbler, thrown by Angelo Maletesto, a fellow countryman, and sustained a probable fracture of the skull. Tretti is in a dangerous condition, and his assailant is still at large.

A Gratifying Increase.

Boston, Feb. 22.—It is announced that the donations of the American Board of Foreign Missions for the first five months of its fiscal year show a net increase of $51,892. The advance over last year in donations must exceed $50,000 to meet the obligations taken by the board.

PUBLIC HEARING.

CITY OF QUINCY.

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ORDERED. On the petitions of the Quincy and Boston Street Railway Co., by its Board of Directors, for a location for the extension of the tracks of said company, beginning at the present location of tracks at a point near the junction of Coddington and Canal streets, where the new laying out of Sea street diverges from Sea street, as it formerly existed, thence running over and along the part of Sea street newly laid out to the intersection of the original location near the premises occupied by Joseph W. Dennen, also the location of a second track beginning at a point where the newly laid out portion of Sea street intersects Sea street as formerly existing, near premises occupied by Joseph W. Dennen, thence over and along said Sea street to the place where the tracks leave the highway near the premises called "the willows;" also for the location of tracks for a turnout at the junction of Coddington and Canal streets.

Also, that on account of the rebuilding and change of grade of Coddington and Sea streets, public necessity and convenience require the alteration of the present locations of tracks of said company between a point in its present location of tracks on Washington street, nearly opposite the intersection of Coddington street and the point where the present location of tracks intersects the northerly line of Sea street, as now existing near the southwesterly corner of the Mount Wollaston Cemetery, also between the point where the newly laid out portion of Sea street intersects Sea street, as formerly existing, near the premises occupied by Joseph W. Dennen, and the place where the tracks leave the highway near the premises called "the willows," all as shown by a plan now on file with the City Council, together with the right to build all necessary turnouts, erect all necessary poles and string all necessary wires for the proper operation of its cars by electric motive power, that a public hearing be given by the City Council to all parties interested, on MONDAY Evening, March 12th, 1900, at 8 o'clock, in the Council chamber, City Hall building, and that public notice of the same be given by publishing a copy of this order in the Quincy Daily Ledger and Quincy Advertiser at least fourteen days before the time of said hearing.

Adopted Feb. 19, 1900.
Attest: CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR, Clerk of Council.
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Per order of the Board,
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Feb. 15. 1p-2w

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A. A. MAXWELL, C. W. HAZELTON, } Chairmen.
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LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
FRANK E. WETHERELL, Clerk of the Committee.
Feb. 21-2t

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PROFITS OF FARMING (?)

Henry H. Faxon, Esq., Propounds a Problem for the Assessors to Solve.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

In arriving at the amount lost in interest upon the assessed value of land, taxes, etc. I submit the following as a fair example of the manner in which the real estate owner is getting poor:

I have a farm comprising several lots of land which is taxed for,	$23,700.00
The yearly interest on the above sum at 4 per cent. amounts to	$948.00
Taxes on the land (33 acres) and buildings consisting of large old-fashioned house, barn, etc., are	455.04
	$,403.04
The above named farm is rented per annum for	300.00
Yearly loss on same,	1,103.04
	$1,403.04

Now I shall be pleased to have the Board of Assessors inform me through the columns of the press how long a time will be required for me to lose a sum equal to the present valuation of the property.

Viewed from another standpoint, at what price will those who own and work farms be compelled to sell the potatoes, onions, corn, turnips and tomatoes for by the bushel, and what must be the rate per dozen for cabbage heads, in order that all concerned may make a living under the present conditions? I leave this last conundrum to be solved by the Assessors and Council, who regulate the financial affairs of our historic city.

In considering the prospects of the real estate owner it must be borne in mind that there is an additional cost of repairs, insurance and fencing to deduct from the amount received for rent.

I have heard men express themselves as being "land poor." My experience has convinced me that this saying is applicable to those who hold land in Quincy at the present rate of taxation.

HENRY H. FAXON.

Quincy, February, 1900.

QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
February 1.	Lewis Barry Nyhan,	Daniel and Nellie
1.	Velma Frances Haskins,	George E. and Edna F.
1.	William Ray Westland,	William and Mary
2.	James Herbert McLeod,	Archie and Julia
2.	James Henry McCleary,	Michael and Hannah
2.	Gracie Agnes Prario,	George and Josephine
3.	Irwin Nilson,	Richard and Gertrude
4.	William Nicholson,	James and Mary
4.	——— Holmes,	Frederick and Alice
4.	Robert Everett Mayo, Jr.,	Robert E. and Margaret A.
4.	Edith Sturdevant,	Frank and Edith
5.	———Catara,	Theophile and Victoria
5.	Lydia Johnson,	Matthew and Lydia
7.	———Whalen,	Thomas and Mary
7.	Francis Joseph Ferguson,	Edward and Alexandrine
7.	Elsie Russell Olfine,	Charles and Mary
7.	Charles Smith,	William and Hilda
8.	Simon Taurendeau,	Simon and Emma
8.	William Joseph Cunniff,	Martin W. and Nellie R.
8.	——— Kilpatrick,	Charles W. and Martha
8.	Edna Myrtle Abbott,	Henry P. and Ella
8.	Nellie Jones,	Charles S. and Mary
8.	Julia Agnes Tracy,	Hugh P. and Julia A.
9.	Beatrice Josephine Brown,	Joseph B.and Maria A.
9.	John W. Jellow,	John H. and Rose
10.	———Grise,	David and Georgiana
10.	Sisilia Mattson,	John and Sophia
10.	Mabel McEachern,	Ronald and Emma F.
11.	Veda Ceconnio,	Vichomeus and Beegmie
12.	Thomas Ritchie Craig,	Thomas H. and Annie
12.	Carroll Kennedy McTear,	Ellis M. and Addie E.
12.	Marion Viola Gardiner,	Frank A. and Oleva C.
14.	Henry Duggan,	John and Catherine
14.	Ralph Leroy Webster,	Eugene A. and Lottie F.
14.	Charles Edward Bosclair,	Peter and Annie
15.	Julia Frances Mahoney,	Dennis and Nora
—	——— Osborne,	Robert and Annie
17.	Dennis Louis Ford,	Daniel F. and Mary R.
17.	Carl Edwin Johnson,	John and Anna
18.	Albert Johnson,	John and Betsey
18.	——— Viden	August and Marie
18.	Clarence Sidney Pinel,	Walter P. and Elizabeth
18.	John Walter Boudro,	Edmund M. and Mary E.
19.	Raymond Kenneth Hoyt,	James E. and Mary
19.	Stillborn,	
21.	——— Donahue,	Dennis P. and Mary J.
21.	Louis Grossman,	Louis and Ida
21.	Fritz Walter Johnson,	Carl O. and Helma
22.	Frank Hubbard McLeod,	Daniel and Cassie
22.	George Cronin,	John and Hannah
22.	Harold Thornton Hall,	Albert H. and Mary
23.	——— Riscobi,	Jacob and Amanda
23.	——— Beattie,	David and Jane,
23.	Elmer C. C. Bergstrom,	Fred W. and Emma O.
23.	Norman A. Johnson,	Joseph W. and Isabelle S.
24.	Annie Muagni,	Eurico and Rosa
24.	Annie Elizabeth Dwyer,	Frederic C. and Annie
25.	Axel George Bergman,	Gustaf and Edla
25.	Mary Elizabeth Lewis,	Robert J. and Delia M.
25.	——— Murphy,	William and Mary
27.	Marion Francis Bailey,	Charles D. and Nellie M.
28.	Helen Gertrude Meany,	James and Ellen

(To be continued.)

St. John's Minstrels.

The St. John's C. L. and A. A., minstrels held forth at St. John's hall Thursday night and considering the weather had a good attendance.

Part one of the programme included selections by the semi-circle and solos by Matt. Foy, William Westland, Robert Foy, Robert Kennedy, P. J. O'Brien, John C. McGuane, Bert Capaciolli Francis A. Roche, Jimmie Logan, Jack Denwood and J. E. Glover and a quartette composed of J. Wright, J. Lillicrap, L. Savoy and R. Kennedy.

Part two included, Irish jig and reel dancing by M. J. Sullivan, illustrated songs by J. E. Glover, buck and wing dancing by Solly Smith, banjo solo, by John McKallan, and tenor solo by Allie LeCroix. Miss Bertha Trepanier was pianist. The concluding number was a farce entitled "Scenes in a Sanctum."

Edward H. McGinty was interlocutor and in the semi-circle were Matthew Fay, Robert Foy, Robert Capaciolli, John McGuane, Stephen Coffin, Henry Mullane, John Sweeney, Miles Burke, Robert Kennedy, Joseph Wright, Joseph Lillicrap, Leo Savoy, Thomas Gould, Daniel Dourley, C. Pitts, John Clare, James Clare, P. J. O'Brien John Denward, James Logan, Dennis Donohue, M. T. Walsh, William Westand and Francis Roach.

MILTON.

The warrant for the annual town meeting contains 57 articles. It calls for the usual appropriations for streets, police, fire department, etc.; for additional police regulations, and for action looking to the purchase of the plant of the Milton Water Co.

Nomination papers are in circulation for James H. Packard for Sewer Commissioners and for the present board of selectmen Messrs. Simpson, Bradlee and Turner.

Ladies' night was observed at the Uniquity club Wednesday evening. There was a pleasing musical programme. Lunch was served.

The Coon club have secured headquarters on Adams street.

The Thursday Evening club defeated the Mattapan club at whist last week by 54 points.

Stephen W. Reed of Mechanics street is quite ill.

Mrs. Flanders of Church street observed her 92d birthday Thursday. For one of her age she is unusually smart. Wednesday she was up bright and early making cake and pastry for her guests.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

DEATH OF DR. KEELEY.

Gained Fame Throughout the World as Discoverer of Cold Cure For Inebriety.

Dwight, Ills., Feb. 22.—The death of Leslie E. Keeley, M. D., LL. D., in southern California, was announced yesterday. He gathered fame and an immense fortune through his discovery of the gold treatment for inebriety and drug habits. His famous cure began to attract public attention in 1880.

Dr. Keeley was a native of New York state, a graduate of Rush Medical college, Chicago, and a LL. D., of the Missouri state university. He was the first regularly appointed railroad surgeon in the United States. He made inebriety his life study. From childhood the subject fascinated him, and, as a surgeon during the Civil war, he began to study it, as other doctors study surgery. Investigation convinced him that inebriety was a disease, that its seat was in the nerve tissues and that the craving for liquor was only one of the symptoms. He decided that inebriety was a species of circular insanity, a recurrent mania, acting independently of the will of the victim, and leading, or forcing, him to drink to satisfy the physical craving which the poison of alcohol had caused.

Dr. Keeley opened the famous institute at Dwight in 1880, and has since treated thousands of persons. Branches were established, uniform success attending them, and today there are Keeley institutes in every state in the Union, in England and on the continent.

Intervention Not Considered.

Washington, Feb. 22.—In view of the persistent circulation of the rumor that the government of the United States has reached an agreement with the German government to intervene between the combatants in South Africa, the Associated Press has secured from the highest authority a statement of the present position of the government in this matter. This is to the effect that there has been no discussion of the propriety of joint mediation between the British and the Boers. Nor has the United States government undertaken or contemplated any intervention on its own account.

Involves Recognition of Governor.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 22.—The Franklin county jury yesterday ordered G. C. Heilth, a negro, confined in the state prison, to be sent to the state asylum here. The negro was accompanied by an order from Governor Backham to return him to the penitentiary when cured. The official in charge of the asylum received the patient but ignored Beckham's order. The asylum is under a superintendent appointed by Governor Bradley during his term.

Stars and Stripes Conspicuously Displayed.

Halifax, Feb. 22.—Thousands of people yesterday witnessed the departure of the last detachment of the Second Canadian mounted rifles for South Africa. Six hundred men in kharki uniforms embarked on the transport Milwaukee. Conspicuous among the flags decorating the transport was the Stars and Stripes beneath the British blue ensign at the fore. This is a most unusual circumstance.

Police Suspicious of Foul Play.

Newburyport, Mass., Feb. 22.—The police were notified last evening that Olaf Jansen, employed as and engineer on board the barge Hercules, had fallen from the boat to the ice on the side and had been killed. When the officers arrived some of the crew told conflicting stories, and George Wilson was arrested on suspicion.

Miller In Bankruptcy Court.

New York, Feb. 22.—William F. Miller of Franklin syndicate fame, appeared yesterday before A. J. Koehler referee in bankruptcy. He was not allowed to testify, however, as some of the creditors objected, and claimed that 10 days' notice on such proceedings was necessary. The examination was therefore adjourned until Feb. 27.

Iron Moulders Out of Work.

Springfield, Mass., Feb. 22.—Thirty-five iron moulders employed by the Chapman Valve Manufacturing company at Indian Orchard went out on strike last night, because the company refused to recognize the union. The men were paid off in full, and the company will hire other men to take their places.

Fifteen Percent Dividend.

Boston, Feb. 22.—Receiver Wing of the Globe National bank says: "We will declare a dividend to depositors within the next two weeks. The exact amount of the dividend cannot now be stated, but it will be at least 15 percent."

Victoria's Heavy Loss.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 22.—With flags at half mast the city mourns the loss of 40 percent of her volunteers in the first South African contingent. The legislature adjourned yesterday as a tribute to the dead.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The cable companies announce that telegrams will now be accepted for Kimberley "at the sender's risk."

Rev. William Dixon of the Advent Christian church, Torrington, Conn., has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Advent Christian church in Providence.

Some 8000 Berlin cabinet makers have gone on strike.

Frank Sparks, who pitched for the Pittsburg team in the National league last year, has been signed to play with Milwaukee in the American league this season.

Dr. Charles Piazzi Smyth, for 42 years astronomer royal for Scotland, is dead.

Jerome Buck, lawyer, writer and public speaker, died at New York from a complication of diseases, largely due to overwork. He was born in Philadelphia in 1837.

Former Tax Collector Charles H. Milliken, one of the most wealthy and highly esteemed citizens of Saco, Me., died of heart failure, aged 75 years.

The German reichstag committee adopted the amended bill for the inspection of cattle for slaughter and the inspection of meat, including the more stringent penal provisions advised by the sub-committee.



The laundress is sure of satisfactory results in her work if she uses Ivory Soap. Linens are of immaculate whiteness; no dirt or streaks anywhere. There's no room for criticism in the work when brought home. Ivory Soap is cheaper than common soaps in the end.

A WORD OF WARNING.—There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the 'Ivory';" they ARE NOT, but like all counterfeits, lack the peculiar and remarkable qualities of the genuine. Ask for "Ivory" Soap and insist upon getting it.

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HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents

A new house is being started on Walker street.

F. P. Foley will reply to "Indignant" in the Saturday issue of the Ledger.

A special meeting of the Managers of Public Burial Places will be held Monday evening.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the St. Mary's Temperance Society will hold a flag drill and dance next Monday evening.

The dance which was to have been given in Poland's hall on Thursday evening, was postponed indefinitely on account of the storm.

Although the sun did not shine Thursday afternoon there was a large party present at St. Mary's hall, given under the auspices of the charitable society connected with St. Mary's church. Dancing was in order from 2 to 6 o'clock, music being furnished by Haine's orchestra.

Social and Supper.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society held a social and supper in the parlors of Bethany chapel Wednesday evening. The tables were very prettily decorated. Supper was served by Miss Blanche Peters and her assistants, with much credit to themselves, as it was a very enjoyable repast. The following were in attendance.

Rev. E. N. Hardy, Melville P. Hayward, Henry Taylor, A. L. Hayden, Mrs. A. L. Hayden, Miss Blanche Peters, Miss Addie J. Park, Miss Hattie E. Sargent, Mrs. M. A. Peters.

Phillips Hardy, Nina Bates, Guy H. Peters, Flossie Pratt, P. Minnie Packard, Jennie M. Walker, Lottie R. Kingman, Helen B. Kingman, Edward Albert Taber, Eddie Carson, Harrison Carson, Willie A. Sanderson, Mabel Wentworth, Edith MacVitie, Henry S. Porter, Jr., Eddie Hayden, Everett Hayden, Charley Parker.

Minnie Townsend, Bessie Flowers, Marion Flowers, Stanley Sherman, Percy Peters, Alice Webb, Helen Damon, Ruth Winslow, Ethel M. Pearson, Bessie E. Roberts, Bessie P. Pratt, Dorothy Blodgett, Edith M. Glines, G. Mabel Chubbuck, Majorie Taber, Eva Clough, Amy Clough, May Langley, Ella Packard.

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WORMWOOD—In Wollaston, Feb. 20, Mrs. Kate B. wormwood, aged 65 years, 10 months and 17 days.

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KEYS LOST—On Sunday morning, between Merrymount park and Granite street, a bunch of keys with owner's name. Notify Theodore Hermanson, 69 Granite street. Feb. 23-1t Feb. 24-1w

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FOUND—On Washington street, early Thursday morning, Feb. 22, a ladies' fur boa. Owner can have by paying charges. Apply at the Police Station or at residence of Officer Larkin, 39 South Walnut street, Quincy. Feb. 23. 3t

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Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,

A READER

KANSAS CITY GETS IT.

Offered Big Inducements For the Democratic National Convention.

Bryan and Chicago Platform Favorably Received.

Opposition to Trusts and Expansion, but No Allusion to Free Silver.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The next national Democratic convention will be held at Kansas City, July 4. This was the decision of the Democratic national committee, which met here yesterday to fix the time and place of holding the convention. Milwaukee was the only other city which competed for the honor of entertaining the convention, and the poor showing made when the vote was taken (the result being Kansas City, 40; Milwaukee, 9;) caused general surprise. The claims of the rival cities as to hotel accommodations, railroad and telegraphic facilities were presented in open session by representatives of each city, and subsequently in executive session. Ex-Governor W. J. Stone, on behalf of Kansas City, and National Committeeman E. C. Wall, on behalf of Milwaukee, explained the financial inducements which the city he represented was willing to make. Each offered the committee $50,000, but, in addition, Kansas City was willing to furnish hotel accommodations for the members of the committee, and the hall with decorations and music free of expense to the committee.

One of Milwaukee's strongest arguments was the political effect the holding of the convention in that city would have upon the German-American voters, who were represented to the committee as wavering in their allegiance to the Republican party.

It seemed to be taken for granted by at least two speakers that Bryan would be renominated and that the Chicago platform in substance would be reaffirmed. Opposition to trusts, expansion and imperialism, together with every mention of Bryan and the Chicago platform aroused enthusiasm, but during the open session of the committee there was no allusion to the issue of free silver.

Three dates for holding the convention were proposed, May 9, by Mr. Townsend of Oregon; June 14, by Senator Tillman of South Carolina, and July 4, by Mr. McGraw of West Virginia. A speech by ex-Senator Gorman in favor of holding to precedent and naming a date later than that for the convention of the party in power had considerable influence in causing Independence day to be chosen.

After the committee had selected the "Gate City" of the west, the Kansas City boomers held a jollification meeting in their rooms at the Raleigh. Ex-Governor Stone addressed the gathering, and predicted that the nominee of the convention would be the victor at the polls in November.

The committee call says: "Each state is entitled to a representative therein equal to double the number of its senators and representatives in the congress of the United States, and each territory, Alaska, Indian Territory and the District of Columbia, shall have six delegates. All Democratic conservative reform citizens of the United States, irrespective of past political associations and differences, who can unite with us in the effort for pure, economical and constitutional government, and who favor the republic and oppose the empire, are cordially invited to join us in sending delegates to the convention."

Too Much Enthusiasm.

Wheeling, Feb. 23.—Wheeling's enthusiasm was evidently too much for Admiral Dewey. Last night he is reported to have said: "No more invitations for me, gentlemen. I can't stand another day like this." He was jostled to and fro in a crowd, his toes were trampled on and his uniform soiled. This over-doing of the thing is said to have caused the admiral to decline on the plea of weariness to attend the Sons of the Revolution banquet last night, an invitation which he accepted last November.

Spent $118.000 During Campaign.

Washington, Feb. 23.—C. W. Clark, son of Senator Clark of Montana, told the senate committee on elections yesterday that he had an independent income of $250,000 a year, and that he was in business for himself. He denied in detail the assertions of Mr. Whiteside, Mr. Hewitt, State Senator Myers and others. Mr. Clark submitted what he said was a detailed statement of his receipts and expenditures for political purposes during the Montana campaign. The aggregate footed up $118,000.

Married Woman Twenty Years His Junior.

Washington, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Ada F. Murray, widow of the editor of the Norfolk Landmark, and Henry M. Alden, editor-in-chief of Harper's Weekly, were married in this city yesterday. Mr. Alden has three daughters, one being a teacher in the New York Woman's university. Mrs. Alden, who is 20 years the junior of her husband, has five children, the youngest being about 5 years old.

Boer Sympathizers In Georgia.

Columbus, Ga., Feb. 23.—William J. Bryan spent a busy day here. During the afternoon he addressed several thousand people at the Opera House, and later talked outside to an overflow meeting. The sentiment that drew the most applause in the speech was an expression of sympathy for the struggling Boers.

Commoner Asked to Resign.

London, Feb. 23.—The Conservatives of the Bodmin division of Cornwall, incensed by the attitude towards the war of their representative in the house of commons, Mr. Courtney, formerly deputy speaker, have demanded his resignation. Mr. Courtney, however, refuses to resign.

AMBUSHED BY UNKNOWN MAN.

Two Pistol Bullets Fired Into the Body of a Teamster at Concord N. H.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 23.—The dead body of Antonio Cosato, an Italian teamster, was found yesterday by Mrs. Cosato, who became alarmed when her husband did not come home to breakfast after completing his early morning duties at the stable. It was soon found that death had been caused by two pistol bullets, which entered the abdomen, three inches above the navel, and went clear through the body, one coming out and the other lodging just under the skin.

The police investigation disclosed that the shots had in all probability been fired by an unknown man, who had laid in wait for Cosato a few yards from the stable, in a crouching position, and had shot the teamster as he emerged from the door after finishing his work. From the spot where the murderer is supposed to have fired, tracks led down over a hill and across a marsh to the tracks of the Northern railroad. These tracks are those of a man running in rubber boots, and afford the only present clue which may lead to the detection of the guilty man.

Cosato had lived in West Concord since 1892. He was 28 years of age. Nothing is known here as to his antecedents. He had had numerous little disputes with his neighbors and fellow employes, but none of them serious enough to furnish a motive for this cold-blooded murder.

Was Not on the Program.

New York, Feb. 23.—Two hot fights took place at the dog show yesterday. Two bull terriers named Tinker and Highland Dick were side by side on benches on the first gallery. In some way the wire screen separating the terriers was knocked down. Tinker was so badly bitten before the combatants were separated that he bled to death. In the other instance Laurelton Greenhorn, an Irish terrier, caused considerable excitement at the garden by indulging in a fierce battle with a great Dane. Both dogs were badly bitten before they were parted.

Alleged Embezzler In Hospital.

New Haven, Feb. 23.—Jesse H. Bailey is in a hospital here in a very weak condition. Bailey had acted as assignee for the Spalding & Papper Manufacturing company, bicycle manufacturers of Chicopee Falls, Mass. When Bailey disappeared from Chicopee Falls last November it is alleged that a shortage of about $10,000 existed in his accounts. Detectives were put to work and Bailey was traced to this city, where he was arrested Wednesday. It is said that he has practically admitted his guilt.

Theory of Murder by a Thief.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 23.—The latest developments in the case of the unidentified body found on Osborne hill, in Fairfield, serves to strengthen in the minds of the police that the man was the victim of a murderous assault. The police advance the theory that the man, who probably had a considerable sum of money upon his person, was decoyed to Osborne hill for the purpose of robbery and the thief, in order to accomplish his purpose, found it necessary to commit murder.

Sensational Story From Berlin.

London, Feb. 23.—The Berlin correspondent of The Standard says: The United States government purposes sending some warships into Chinese waters shortly, as the Chinese foreign office does not heed the collective note sent by the United States minister and the other powers' ministers a fortnight ago, in which they demanded that measures be taken to insure the safety of missionaries. Germany designs sending ships for the same reason.

Anti-Imperialists In Session.

Philadelphia, Feb. 23.—An "eastern conference" of anti-imperialists began here yesterday, and will remain in session two days. The program for the conference includes business sessions and public meetings, for the purpose of forming plans for a more thorough organization and to affect public opinion. The principal speaker of the occasion was Carl Schurz.

Boy Accidentally Hangs Himself.

New Bedford, Feb. 23.—Frank Russell, aged 9 years, while playing in a gymnasium fitted up in his father's cellar, got his neck caught in a noose of rope. A chair on which he was standing slipped from under him, caused the weight of his body to come suddenly on his neck, caught in the noose, the result being that the lad's neck was broken.

Reformer Dennett Insane.

Hanover, N. H., Feb. 23.—A. T. Dennett, formerly a well-known New York reformer and associate of Dr. Parkhurst, who for some time has been living in retirement in Concord, owing to mental trouble, but who came here on business several days ago, left here yesterday, in charge of an attendant from the insane asylum at Concord.

Made and Lost Fortunes.

New York, Feb. 23.—"Dan Rice," the veteran clown, died at Long Branch, N. J., last night after a lingering illness. He was 75 years of age. Mr. Rice's real name was Daniel McLaren. He was born in New York. He made three independent fortunes. He died, however, comparatively poor. He had about completed a book on his life.

Byers Disqualified For Fouling.

Hartford, Feb. 23.—Referee White disqualified George Byers of Boston in the 14th round last night in his fight with George Gardner of Lowell and gave the fight to Gardner. Gardner slipped down in a clinch and while on the floor Byers made several attempts to strike him. Byers had fought foul in the previous rounds.

Bad News From Hawaiian Islands.

San Francisco, Feb. 23.—The steamer American Maru, from Honolulu, brings advices that the black plague has broken out in other cities of the Hawaiian group. Seven cases are reported at Kahuli and one at Hilo. The situation at Honolulu is no better. No new cases have developed.

AN UNCLOUDED TITLE.

Grosvenor Declares That Philippines and Puerto Rico Belong to Us.

Natives Will Be Treated With Absolute Fairness.

Resolution Introduced In House Directing Investigation of Macrum's Charges.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The debate on the Puerto Rican tariff bill brought out several speeches in the house yesterday, including one by General Grosvenor of Ohio, who answered a number of questions as to the attitude of the president.

Mr. Grosvenor said, in closing his speech: "But we have got the Philippines on our hands, and I will tell you what we shall tell the people of this country, my friends, if you will listen to me now. We will say we have acquired title to the Philippines and Puerto Rico. We did not go after them, but they came to us, and we could not help ourselves.



CHARLES H. GROSVENOR.

"A gentleman went out into the Orient, with a little more power than he had authority, and the first thing we knew he had captured the Lord only knows how many islands out there. We have never found out for ourselves. But he took them, and we are there, and our flag is there, and we were aided in getting a perfect title to them from the Democratic senators in congress without any protest from anybody.

"We have got them, and the duty is upon us, and we are going to take care of them. We are going to make all the money out of the transaction we can, by enlarging our trade with the Oriental countries, and we are going to embalm the doctrines of the Declaration of Independence upon the statute books of the Philippines just as quick as we think the time has come to do it; and we are not going to do it one minute before, if all the Democrats on God's earth go howling that we have got to do it now. We are going to do it under the persuasive influence of the constitution, of the Declaration of Independence, of our Christian civilization. We are going to do it as rapidly as it is possible to do it, and in the meantime we propose that every attribute of the constitution shall persuade us to treat these men with absolute fairness."

Another speech was made by Representative McCall of Massachusetts, the Republican member of the ways and means committee, who dissented from the majority report, and Representative Moody, another Massachusetts Republican, who sharply criticised the position of his colleague. Mr. McClellan (N. Y.) and Mr. Brantley (Ga.) also spoke against the bill, and Mr. Parker (N. J.) in support of it.

Representative Wheeler of Kentucky yesterday introduced a resolution directing the committe on foreign affairs to investigate the truth or falsity of the charges made by Charles E. Macrum, late consul of the United States at Pretoria, that his official or personal mail was opened, read, suppressed or detained by the censor of the British government at Durban, or that a telegram sent by him to the department of state was delayed by a British censor for several weeks.

In accordance with a ticit agreement with the senators who were unable, on account of the meetings of the Democratic national committee, to attend yesterday's session, Mr. Penrose refrained from calling up the Quay case, as he had announced he would do. When he announced his intention to call it up today a brief parliamentary squabble ensued as to the rights by which the case would come before the senate. No conclusion was reached, the questions involved being postponed for consideration until today.

Rough Weather Off Cape Cod.

Provincetown, Mass., Feb. 23.—The easterly gale which began at midnight Wednesday and continued with great fury all day abated considerably last night and was succeeded at a late hour by dense fog. An unknown three-masted schooner, anchored near Long Point Shoal, set her distress signal in the rigging at noon and tug Sea King went alongside. All the fleet in the harbor hung to the anchors safely.

Policeman Commits Suicide.

New York, Feb. 23.—Because he was ordered to report for duty by the police surgeon when he himself believed that he was unfit, Policeman William G. Dressell committed suicide by shooting. It is thought that Dressell was temporarily insane at the time.

Less Serious Than Reported.

Berlin, Feb. 23.—The German foreign office has information that the situation between Chili and Peru, Bolivia and Argentina, is less serious than has been represented by the cabled accounts. It is not expected that there will be a rupture.

Harry Miner's Sudden Death.

New York, Feb. 23.—Harry C. Miner, former congressman and proprietor of three theaters in this city, dropped dead of apoplexy at his home in this city. Mr. Miner was about 55 years old.

"GREAT AMERICAN RECEIVER."

Death of John McNulta, Who Gained Fame as Lawyer, Statesman and Soldier.

Washington, Feb. 23.—General John McNulta of Chicago, well known throughout the west because of his identification with the receiverships of railroads and other great corporations, died suddenly here last night in his apartments at the Hamilton House of angina pectoris, aged about 60 years. He had been apparently in the best of health during the day and had returned to the hotel only a short time before he was stricken. Medical aid was hastily summoned, but it was evident to the physician that his case was hopeless and he died within an hour after the attack. The deceased leaves a wife and two children in Chicago, a son in Montana and another son, who is a lieutenant in the regular army in the Philippines.

Because of the great success he had attained in managing the affairs of the various organizations to which he was appointed, General McNulta became popularly known as the "great American receiver." He was at various times receiver of the Wabash railroad, the Clover Leaf road and the whisky trust, and at the time of his death was acting in a similar capacity for the national Bank of Illinois, which failed several years ago.

General McNulta was at one time a member of congress and was a lawyer of distinguished ability. He was a close friend of General Grant, and saw active service in the Civil war, in which he was severely wounded.

An Estimate of Cecil Rhodes.

New York, Feb. 23.—Miss Amelia Kusner, the miniaturist who went to Kimberley to paint a portrait of Cecil Rhodes, was a passenger on the Teutonic, which arrived here yesterday. She was in South Africa about three months, but left before the beginning of hostilities. Miss Kusner compared Mr. Rhodes with the Czar of Russia, whose miniature she painted before undertaking to paint that of Mr. Rhodes. The czar, she said, was a man of peace, while Mr. Rhodes was a man of war.

Pope Blessed Fifteen Thousand.

Rome, Feb. 23.—The pope gave his blessing to 15,000 Italian pilgrims in St. Peter's yesterday. The appearance of Pope Leo, borne on the sedia gestatoria, evoked tremendous outbursts of enthusiasm. After praying at the high altar, the pope, carried in St. Peter's chair, listened to the singing of anthems, in which the congregation joined. The pontiff was then borne through the midst of the crowd, and pronounced the benediction.

Salem Youth Shoots Himself.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 23.—Clifford Ferris, 17 years old, shot himself in the breast yesterday and will probably die. He had been to a party and returned home shortly after 1 o'clock in the morning, when it is supposed he took the revolver and went out again, as some time after he was found on the street with a bullet through his lungs.

Brook Over Its Banks.

Andover, Mass., Feb. 23.—Stony brook, flowing through the center of the town, overflowed its banks yesterday, and flooded the Boston and Maine station platforms, railroad tracks and several streets. Essex street was considerably damaged by the overflow. The brook left its course for several hours.

Newfoundland Crisis Continues.

St. John's, Feb. 23.—The political situation remains unchanged. The government sympathizes with Winter in the desertion of his followers. The controversy has now assumed a sectarian aspect, which will greatly increase the difficulty of reaching a satisfactory adjustment.

Wright Not Appointed.

Memphis, Feb. 23. — General Luke Wright has returned to Memphis from Cincinnati. He says the president has not yet tendered him a place on the Philippine commission.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Washington's birthday was fittingly observed at Hanover, N. H., by the dedication with appropriate exercises of the elegant new town library building, the gift of Emily H. Howe of New York city.

The business portion of Glen Hazel, Pa., for the second time in recent years, was almost totally destroyed by fire. A heavy rain prevented the total destruction of the village.

Helen G. Bradford, aged 4 years, was fatally burned at Norwich, Conn., while playing near the kitchen stove.

The tablet presented to the naval academy by the Maryland Society of Daughters of the Revolution was unveiled in the chapel at the academy yesterday.

Washington's birthday was observed generally throughout Puerto Rico. The stores were closed and at the theater patriotic addresses were delivered.

At a meeting of the Canadian Lumbermen's association a resolution urging the Canadian government to impose an import duty on lumber corresponding with that imposed by the United States government was adopted.

Private telegrams in plain language to and from the Orange Free State and the South African republic are now admitted over the lines from Lorenzo Marquez to Pretoria under the reserve of the censor at Pretoria.

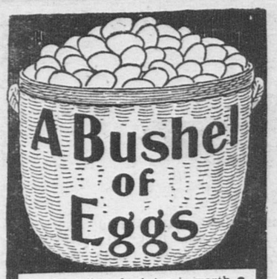
The $50,000 school, known as the eighteenth school district, and the finest structure of its kind between Providence and New Haven, was formally turned over to the town of Westerly, R. I., with customary exercises.

Edward O'Donnell, secretary of the Central Labor union of Boston and vicinity, died at Boston. He was about 50 years old. He was at one time associate editor of The Irish World.

Charles A. Painter of Pittsburg won the amateur championship at pigeon shooting on the grounds of the Carteret Gun club near Garden City, L. I.

The New England team checker match was won by the New England team from the All-Boston team at Boston, 80 to 71 games, and 83 draws.

Jesse Overstreet, author of the house financial bill, was renominated by acclamation for congress from the Seventh Indiana district. Strong gold standard resolutions were adopted.



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Choice Fowl and Chickens,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Short Leg Lamb,	12 cts. lb.
Loin of Lamb,	10 cts. lb.
Leg of Mutton,	10 cts. lb.
Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts. lb.
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts. lb.
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts. lb.
Round Steak,	16 cts. lb.
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Brazilian Monarchists Celebrate.

Rio Janeiro, Feb. 23.—The Monarchists took advantage of the birthday of Viscount de Curo Preto, premier under Don Pedro II, to make a demonstration against the republic. They unveiled a bronze bust and held banquets. Eulogistic articles appeared in their leading organs.

Found and Gagged a Woman.

New York, Feb. 23.—Two Italians yesterday gagged and bound Mrs. Wattous Wilson at her home at High Bridge. They stole $227 in cash and fled, but were caught by the police. They are Jumberino Jacabo and John Lobone.

Work of Agitators.

Fort de France, Island of Martinique, Feb. 23.—Agitators in bands of 40 or 50 are traveling about the island endeavoring to prevent the resumption of work. Night before last an incendiary fire was kindled in a cane field at Francois. Yesterday there was a fresh fire at La Trinite, where three lighters, each laden with 30 tons of cane, have been sunk.

Celestials Under Lock and Key.

Newport, Vt., Feb. 23.—The jail here again has been filled with smuggled Chinamen. Four have just been deported and two cleared. About 15 are left in custody to wait till March 30 for a hearing.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturdays.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M., 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

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r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
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r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
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r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
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d, Neponset.	i, South Boston.
e, Pope's Hill,	r, Quincy Adams.

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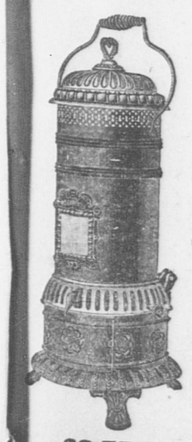
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The Social Realm.

"Where are they—the afterwhiles—
Luring us the lengthening miles
Of our lives? Where is the dawn
With the dew across the lawn,
Stroked with eager feet the far
Way the hills and valleys are?
Where the sun that smites the frown
Of the eastward gazer down?
Where the rifted wreaths of mist
O'er us tinged with amethyst,
Round the mountains' steep defiles?
Where are all the afterwhiles?"

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Mr. William T. Issac was in New York a few days this week.

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Dr. J. D. McSweeny has returned from a few days recreation in the country.

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The Old Maid's whist club of Braintree will meet Tuesday evening with Miss Susie Clark of Thayer place.

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Mrs. George T. Magee is at Winthrop, Mass., for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Snow entertain a few friends at whist next Wednesday evening.

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The committee from the Braintree club will meet this evening to make arrangements to hold a members' whist party.

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The Junior Friday club met on Monday with Mrs. Harry E. Russell. The programme for the afternoon was in charge of Miss Randall, the subject being: Louis Spolir and Carl Maria Von Weber.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Ida E. Anderson and Mr. George A. Leavitt both of Quincy.

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Of the many whist parties and tournaments held in Braintree of late the invitation party given by Mr. and Mrs. George D. Willis excelled them all. About seventy-five invitations had been sent to their friends, to meet at their home on Washington street, Monday evening, and 48 accepted the invitation, and spent a most enjoyable evening. A sitting at whist was the feature of the occasion and two hours at that game was spent, there being twelve tables in the play. One of T. D. Cooks' suppers was also an enjoyable feature. It was a late hour when the party returned to their homes.

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Miss Alice Redding of Quincy Point entertained a few young lady friends last Saturday evening, to help celebrate her birthday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ignaz Strauss of New York city were the guests of L. E. Elson of Liberty street, East Braintree, early this week.

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Edna Marie Goullaud, who has just completed a very successful concert tour with the John Thomas Concert Co., will return to Braintree about March 1, after a visit to her brother Eric in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burke receive their friends the first Saturday in the month at the King homestead on Adams street. Next Saturday the young ladies who helped from the living aisle at their wedding, have been invited to assist them in receiving. A great many called the first Saturday in February and doubtless a great many more will call next Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Cushing of Hingham celebrated their golden wedding on Saturday evening, holding a reception at Wilder Memorial hall. A host of friends were present to extend their congratulations. The hall was artistically arranged with potted plants and cut flowers. There was an orchestra and dancing by the young people.

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Mr. S. B. French of Braintree is entertaining Mrs. Gibbs formerly of that town.

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Mr. George W. Prescott, and two daughters, Misses Etta and Annie, left on Tuesday for New Orleans to attend the National Editorial convention. They will enjoy the Mardi Gras festivities at New Orleans and will visit California before their return.

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Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Ewart gave a party at their home in Braintree in honor of Mr. Frank A. Ewart of Arlington. A most enjoyable evening was spent in games and other forms of amusement. Those present included: Misses Mabel Clapp, Lora Emerson, Mabel Crocker, Edith Littlefield, Emily Arnold, Elsie Stoddard, and Helen Qualey; Albert Qualey, Haven Belcher, Elisha Thayer, Donald Storrs, Fred Arnold and Carl Emerson.

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The Atlantic whist club, which is made up of twelve members, has been the rounds once, the women giving the invitation, preparing the "treat" and selecting the prizes; this week, the men are to try their turn, and it is whispered that the unfortunate, whose turn is to come first, was seen reading Miss Lincoln's cook-book going in on the train for several mornings in succession.

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Miss Alice Gilpatrick of Maine is the guest of Miss Lillian Waterhouse of Squantum street.

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Mrs. C. Hobart Davis of Newton has been the guest of Mrs. Charles R. Stecher of Clive street this week.

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Miss Lucy Goodwin of Mason, N. H., is visiting friends in South Braintree.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Wight gave a whist party to a large number of their friends at their home on Washington street, Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening enjoyed by all. The ladies and gentleman's first prizes were awarded to Mrs. H. D. Adams and Mr. Bradford Hayden, while Mrs. Thomas Lincoln, Jr., and Mr. Fred Boyden received the consolation prizes.

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The regular meeting of the Unity club was held at the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church on Friday evening. The vestry was crowded with an appreciative audience. The subject for the evening was "Electricity," and President Charles E. French, Jr., had charge of the meeting. Papers were read as per programme announced, and Miss Ruth White and Miss Beatrice Cusmon favored the audience with musical numbers.

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Mrs. C. F. H. Crathern of Braintree accompanied by friends will visit Atlanta, Ga.

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The Knights of Columbus held a largely attended dancing party at Faxon hall last night.

Continued on page 4.

Popular Lecture Course

AT THE

Washington Street Cong. Church, QUINCY POINT.

Jan. 22,—Rev. William Gallagher, "A month in Egypt."
Feb. 5,—Rev. A. A. Ellsworth, "Human Books."
Feb. 12,—Mr. William Milwitzky, "Turkey and the Turks, as I saw them."
Feb. 26,—Rev. Charles A. Dinsmore, "Washington as a General."
March 5,—Concert conducted by Mr. Van Buskirk.
March 12,—Rev. Walter Russell Breed, "Matthew Arnold."

Season Tickets $1.00.
Single Admission, 25 cents.

Jan. 20. s 6t

Grand Concert.

GIVEN by the Combined Boy Choirs of Christ Church, Quincy, and St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, for the Choir Boys' Camp Fund.

Sir John Stainer's Famous Cantata,

"THE DAUGHTER OF JAIRUS"

And a Miscellaneous Programme will be rendered. Mr. E. Landis Snyder, Director.

Soloists: MRS. H. Y. FOLLETT, Soprano of Trinity church, Boston; MR. SILAS R. MILLS, Basso, of Smith College, Northampton, Mass., and MR. A. W. FERGUSON, Tenor, of Boston. Accompanist, MR. GEO. DUNHAM, Brockton, Mass.

MUSIC HALL, QUINCY, MASS.,

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Monday Evening, Feb. 26, 1900.

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Graduate of New England College of Oratory.

There will be lady ushers to escort you to a seat.

Mr. Lord has made the admission small so that most everybody can afford to come to a strictly first-class concert at a little expense.

Ladies will be requested to kindly remove their hats.

Tickets, 20 Cents.

For Sale at Hearn's Drug Store and Nickerson's Candy Store, Quincy.

Doors open at 7.15. Concert at 8 o'clock.

Feb. 24. ol-1t

THE QUINCY POINT BRIDGE.

Should It Be Rebuilt Largely at the Expense of the City of Quincy?

The Petition Comes from a Corporation in the Neighboring Town of Braintree.

At a meeting of the City Council held on Monday, Feb. 5, Councilman Newcomb offered a resolution that the City Council erdorse the petition of F. O. Wellington and others, now before the Legislature, for the widening of Quincy Point drawbridge, and that the Mayor and Committee on Legislative Matters appear before the committee who have the bill in charge and adovcate its passage. It was referred to the joint Committee of Legislative Matters and Bridges.

After giving this matter due deliberation a report was made to the Council at its next meeting, Feb. 19, which was in substance that the joint committee on Legislative Matters and Streets reported ought to pass, on the resolution that the Mayor appear at the Legislative hearing and favor the passage of the bill to widen the Quincy Point bridge. Rules suspended and the resolution passed.

Without any particular word of inquiry from its members the City Council rushes through a resolution giving the city's sanction to a bill before the Legislature for the expenditure of not less than $100,000, as estimated by the petitioner (by Norfolk and Plymouth counties for a new bridge across Weymouth Fore River at Quincy Point.

The bill is as follows:

"Section 1. The trustees of the bridge over Weymouth Fore River in the city of Quincy and the town of Weymouth are hereby authorized and required within two years from the first day of January, nineteen hundred, to construct a new bridge in place of the existing bridge between said city and town.

"Section 2. Said new bridge shall be suitable for ordinary travel, and shall be in such location, of such width, grade and material as said trustees may determine. It shall be built in conformity with such plans, and with a draw of such opening, not less than eighty feet in width, as the board of harbor and land commissioners shall approve, and shall be constructed and maintained subject to the provision of all laws which now are or hereafter may be in force relating to bridges over tide waters.

"Section 3. No contracts shall be made for the construction of said bridge until plans together with detailed estimates of cost from reliable parties who are willing and prepare to furnish bonds with satisfactory sureties for the actual performance of the work and the furnishing of the material and the amounts specified in said estimates have been submitted to the county commissioners for Norfolk and Plymouth counties and approved by them.

"Section 4. One-fourth of the cost of constructing said bridge shall be borne by the county of Plymouth and three-fourths of said cost by the county of Norfolk.

"Section 5. The expense of maintaining and keeping said bridge in repair, and of operating the draw therein, shall be borne by the said counties in the aforesaid proportions.

"Section 6. This act shall take effect upon its passage."

Why should the Fore River Engine Co., a concern doing business in the town of Braintree in the construction of yachts and other vessels come before our City Council and ask that the Quincy and Weymouth bridge be torn down and replaced by a $100,000 structure? Congress at its last session, on March 3, 1899, authorized the construction os six second-class protected cruisers of the Raleigh type, officially known as the Chattanooga, Cleveland, Denver, Des Moines, Galveston and Tacoma. In November the Board of Naval Construction agreed upon the plans, which are described as "improved versions of the Raleigh." Their principal dimensions are: Length on normal load water-line, 292 feet; length over all, 308 feet, 2 inches; maximum beam, 44 feet; maximum draught when fully laden, 16 feet, 8 inches; full load displacement, 3,400 tons; speed (contract) 16 1-2 knots; maximum indicated horse power, 4,500; coal bunker capacity, 700 tons.

The fighting towers of the ships will be centered in a main battery of ten 50 calibre rapid-fire 5-inch rifles of the latest pattern, and in a secondary battery of eight 6-pounders, two 1-pounders and a pair of Colt machine guns. These weapons are mounted on the spar deck and the main decks—two, one forward and one aft, on the spar deck, where they will have commanding fields of action, and the eight remaining in the broadside batteries on the main deck.

The vessels will have protective water-tight decks of half-inch steel worked from stem to stern.

They will be equipped with twin screws, two triple expansion four cylinder engines, and six water-tub boilers. Under a 16 1-2 knot gait they will have a radius of action of 2500 miles; but under a 10-knot speed they will be able to cover 10,000 knots on their full bunker supply of 700 tons of coal.

The Congressional limit of cost for these vessels was $1,141,800 each.

In the latter part of last year the Navy Department awarded the contract for these six cruisers to the following concerns: Union Iron Works, San Francisco; Lewis Nixon of the Crescent Shipbuilding Works, Elizabeth, N. J.; Bath Iron Works, Bath, Me.; William R. Trigg Co., Richmond, Va.; Fore River Engine Co., Braintree; and Neafie & Levy, Philadelphia.

The Fore River Engine Co., the petitioners to the City Council and also the Legislature, who received a contract for one of these cruisers, are located on the banks of the Weymouth Fore River at some distance above the Quincy Point bridge, in the town of Braintree. No bridge intervens between the Works and Quincy Point.

The original Quincy Point bridge was built in 1814. It has a total length of 971 feet as follows,—from the Weymouth side to the draw 783 feet, draw 38 feet, draw to Quincy side 150 feet.

The original draw had a span of 35 1-2 feet and a width of 15 feet 4 inches. In 1883 the draw span was increased to 38 feet and its width to 22 feet. In 1893 the Quincy & Boston street railway constructed an addition for its tracks 13 feet in width and extending from the draw to the Weymouth shore, on the westerly side of the bridge.

(To be continued).

NOTICE!

To the Public of Quincy.

The Christadelphians of Quincy cordially invite you to a course of lectures to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street, by Mr. Thomas Williams of Chicago, Editor of the Christadelphian Advocate.

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Fourth Lecture, Sunday evening at 7.30.

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Subject: The Signs of the times in the present troubled world and the Grand Sequel.

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The Eight Hour Day.

A dispatch from Milford, N. H., to the Herald on Tuesday, says the granite manufacturers, polishers and quarrymen of this place, numbering about 20, have formed an association for protection against irresponsible persons who may come to start in the granite business, and also to consider the demand of the Granite Cutters' Union for eight hours' work at $3 a day, to begin March 1. The organization has asked the men to postpone the desired changes until May 1. The first contract between the manufacturers and the men was dated May 1, 1897, and extended to May 1, 1898. No new written contract has been made since, but the manufacturers claim that the agreement has been renewed by consent each year. Some of the cutters maintain that in asking for a postponement to May 1, the manufacturers only wanted a chance to finish up their Decoration day work before a strike occurred.

LIGHT SIDE OF WAR.

HOW SOLDIERS AMUSE THEMSELVES ON THE FIRING LINE.

New Developments In Regard to the Superior Preparation of the Boers. Mistakes About Boer Intelligence and Character.

[Special Correspondence.]

CAPE TOWN, Jan. 15.—Horrible as war is it has its lighter side. Chronic seriousness may be a characteristic of the Boers, but the British soldier must occasionally have a little fun, even while under fire. One of the veteran regiments before Ladysmith is said to have had no end of amusement drawing the fire of Boer sharpshooters. The old trick of exposing a helmet on the end of a carbine brought forth a shower of bullets whenever repeated during a whole day, and when the enemy discovered the trick it was successfully worked again by use of a straw man.



DRAWING THE ENEMY'S FIRE.

The Boers fired religiously at the decoy, and spies subsequently reported that the sturdy marksmen were much elated over the number of British supposed to have been killed.

Notwithstanding the superior marksmanship of the Boers, it is a notable fact that the shells from their artillery have not been startlingly effective. This is explained by knowing ones in a peculiar way. It is said that large quantities of shells purchased on the European continent were filled with charcoal instead of explosives. There is no positive evidence of this, but the statement is given as one of the curiosities of the war. It seems to be a fact, however, that the wounds of the British are mostly made by rifle bullets, while the wounds of the Boers are caused by exploding shells.

A feature of the war is the utter failure of the armored train. Aside from the fact that the track may easily be torn up, either before the train as it advances or behind it when it endeavors to return, the cars are unable to withstand any kind of artillery fire. Even shells filled with charcoal are sufficiently forceful to shatter the frail boxes, and it is easy to break the wheels and cripple the motive power.

The cordial feeling of British regulars toward colonials is a feature of the situation. Perhaps the mother country can afford to foot the bills for the war for the sake of realizing the feeling of unity throughout the empire upon which the sun never sets.

A significant incident is reported in one of the latest Cape Town papers. It occurred when the town was "clean mad with excitement" over the advent of the Canadian contingent.

A bluejacket brushed up against two Australian and Canadian troopers. As he passed he patted them gently and lovingly on the shoulder.

"Good boys!" he said, with an indescribably benignant smile. "Good boys! You're all right. You're the best sort. Good luck to you."

If this feeling had existed before 1776, who knows but that American soldiers would now be fighting beside British regulars in South Africa?

The electric balloon is proving a success in night signaling. The balloons have a number of electric lamps and are connected by wire with an apparatus below. These lamps are flashed at intervals corresponding to the dots and dashes of the Morse code and on a clear night can be seen 100 miles. The usual military ciphers may be used, so that the enemy cannot read the signals. The chance of balloons being hit by sharpshooters is small, as they are sent up at night, usually at some distance from the army, and are not lighted until out of range.

Facts keep coming to light about the superior equipment of the Boers. It is now known that they began the war with at least 100,000 rifles and ammunition enough to last for years. Much of such supplies comes through Cape Town. The Transvaal is known to have had 2 of the very latest Maxim-Nordenfeldts, 10 Hotchkiss guns and 30 Maxims of the .303 and Martini pattern. The Boers are also known to possess fourteen 6 inch Creusot guns, five Nordenfeldts taken in the raid, ten German 5 inch Krupps, ten 7 pounder English guns, eight 12 pounder English guns, twenty 72 millimeter Krupps and six 90 pounder German guns.

The British and the rest of the world are also learning that they have made a mistake in their estimate of Boer intelligence and Boer character. The average Boer private knows as much about England and the English as the average British line officer knows about the Boers. It seems to have been a part of the Boer programme to show ignorance for the past 20 years, and they have deceived the world.

CECIL HOYT.

LADY SOMERSET'S SON.

Youth Well Known Here Who Has Gone to Fight the Boers.

Young Henry H. Somerset, who has gone to South Africa to fight the Boers along with some 100,000 other Englishmen of high and low degree, is the only son of Lady Henry Somerset, the prominent temperance advocate who is so well known in this country. The young man himself is by no means a



HENRY H. SOMERSET.

stranger in the United States. He was educated at Harvard and has spent much of his time in hunting big game in the west. Indeed, if he has honestly earned his reputation he is a mighty hunter and ought to do wonderful execution in the Boer ranks.

Young Somerset is the grandson of the Duke of Beaufort and some day may be the duke should the Marquis of Worcester leave no heirs. The new recruit was but 19 years of age when he undertook the expedition into British Columbia and then for two weeks in territories until then unexplored.

With Lloyd Griscom, one of the secretaries to the American embassy in London, and Richard Harding Davis, the author, the young man rode across Honduras and traveled through Nicaragua, Colombia and Venezuela. He has published a book containing an account of his adventures.

In England young Somerset is considered a bright, clever, high principled Englishman. Without any passionate predilection for Latin or Greek, it is said of him that he nevertheless has a shrewd wit and a style which, if he cared to cultivate it, would give him a place in English letters. He is known as a great bear hunter, and the giant grizzlies of America, especially in the most northerly points of the country, are his special choice of game. In four years he traveled and covered as much ground as would equal four trips around the world.

A VIRGINIA BEAUTY.

Another Handsome Langhorne Girl Enters New York Society

An unmarried sister of Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson is one of the reigning beauties in fashionable New York society this winter. She is Miss Phyllis Langhorne of Albermarle county, Va. Originally there were four of these Langhorne girls, and they were famous for their beauty all over the Old Dominion State. Now there is only Phyllis left unmarried, and she is perhaps the most beautiful of them all.

Elizabeth is now Mrs. Moncure Perkins, one of the belles of Richmond. Nannie lives in Boston, where she reigns in society as Mrs. Robert Shaw.



MISS PHYLLIS LANGHORNE.

Irene is the wife of the great artist who created the Gibson girl, and it was her beauty that inspired him to draw such wonderfully attractive women. Mrs. Gibson is not socially ambitious, but she has a charming home on Long Island, where leaders of society are often seen.

Miss Phyllis is only 19, but she has already had one season in New York and numbers her admirers by the scores. She has wonderful hair, a Junoesque figure, blue eyes and long dark lashes, put on, as they say in Ireland, "with a smutty finger." She rides to hounds with all the dash and skill for which Virginia girls are famous, and she is fond of golf and coaching.

A Rejected Recipe.

Tramp—I jus' dropped in, mum, to offer my new cure for indigestion, dyspepsia and kindred ailments, mum. It may prove a great blessing to your family, mum, and I charge you nothing for the prescription.

Housekeeper—Well, I must say that's reasonable enough. What is the cure?

Tramp—Live on plain food, and give your rich and indigestible dishes to the poor. I'm the poor, mum.

OIL IN CALIFORNIA.

NEW IMPETUS TO THE INDUSTRY ON THE GOLDEN COAST.

Experienced Operators From Eastern Fields at Work Around Los Angeles—Lack of Coal Makes Oil Valuable as Fuel.

[Special Correspondence.]

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 7.—California is having an exciting oil boom. The times of the gold fever and land speculation are recalled. Men and women by the hundreds and thousands are buying oil prospects and investing in the stock of newly formed oil companies. Newsboys, clerks, teachers, chambermaids, waiters and waitresses share alike the feverish anxiety to get rich.

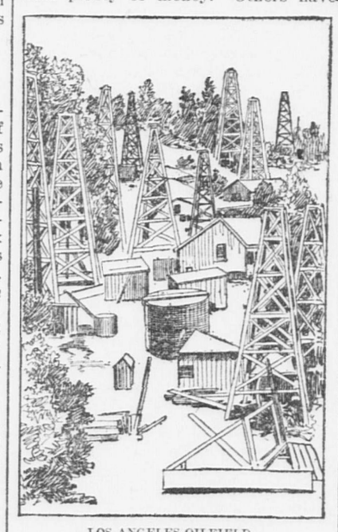
The possession of oil in paying quantities is of the utmost importance to the welfare of this state. California produces little coal, and most of the supply must be imported from the eastern states, New Mexico, Washington, Oregon or else brought from foreign countries. Thus coal for heating and manufacturing purposes is expensive. What is needed is a cheap source of power. To a great extent oil furnishes this deficiency.

The engines of the Santa Fe are run by oil in southern California. This company, in a series of experiments, demonstrated that a given quantity of oil would run a train about 12 miles farther than the same quantity of coal.

The existence of oil in this state was known as far back as 1862. About 16 years later a well was sunk in Pico canyon, 40 miles from Los Angeles, and at a depth of 300 feet seven barrels a day were yielded. There is one well in that section which has since yielded over 300,000 barrels, and the company which controls it has expended $500,000 in a refinery near Alameda. In Ventura county one company owns a tract of 150,000 acres, and oil in paying quantities has been located.

In 1893 California produced 300,000 barrels of oil, valued at a little over $350,000. In 1898 the yield was nearly 2,250,000 barrels, and the value was $2,375,000. In 1899 about 4,500,000 barrels of oil were secured, at a value of at least $5,800,000. There are about 2,500 oil wells in California at the present time, and new wells are being added almost daily. One expert in this city recently assured the writer that three years hence the daily yield of oil will exceed 40,000 barrels.

Capital from the east is pouring into California. At least $10,000,000 is invested in the industry. A considerable part of this sum has come from such places as Buffalo and Dunkirk, N. Y., and Bradford and Titusville, Pa. Dozens of men who once worked among the oil wells of New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio are now employed in this state. Some are bright young fellows with plenty of money. Others have



LOS ANGELES OILFIELD.

seen better days and hope to recoup lost fortunes. Many are veterans and delight to rehearse to listening ears the story of other booms. They tell of sudden and lucky strikes and fortunes made almost in the twinkling of an eye. The loss of $100,000 seems nothing to these people. One wizen faced and bent old gentleman was pointed out to the writer as once having made over $500,000 in the Pennsylvania oilfields. He is now at work for $2 per day.

A large amount of oil is being secured here in Los Angeles. The wells are situated out in the Westlake Park district, which is the most fashionable section of the city. Derricks may be found on the lawns of private houses and on vacant lots adjoining handsome residences. There are about 700 wells in the heart of the city, and at least 75,000 barrels of oil are produced monthly.

C. B. Canfield of Los Angeles was an engineer in a mine five years ago. When oil was discovered, he and a young clerk experimented with wells and began to sink them as business ventures. The men were successful and only recently received an offer of something like $1,000,000 for two of their wells.

A man named Prescott, who is said to have made a fortune in the oil regions about Olean, N. Y., and then lost all of his money, is out here and is very successful. H. W. Palmer of Buffalo, and who was once master of the oil situation at Titusville, Pa., has a number of wells in California. Myron A. Boise of Oil City, Pa., is also at work in California. He is an ex-banker and railroad magnate. Wesley W. Porter was worth less than $100 three years ago, but he now possesses at least $300,000. There are, it must be understood, extreme cases, for there are hundreds and thousands who have not been so fortunate.

DONALD DUNCAN.

HANDSOME RESIDENCE.

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In building a home there are many things to be considered. The first and most important, of course, is the cost. Before a man starts to build he should familiarize himself with the various houses he sees around him, observing their defects and shortcomings as well as points of excellence. The most important point about a building to the housewife after external appearance is the arrangement of the interior, and this should receive careful consideration. A



FRONT ELEVATION.

house may be all that is desired on the outside, but inside may fall far short of what comfort and convenience demand. The architect designs to please his clients and is often forced by his employer to make changes in plans which are almost certain to result disastrously. Therefore a home builder should give due consideration to all proposed changes before he finally adopts or rejects them. The trained architect knows what he is about, and if general directions are given he can produce a plan that will satisfy his client and produce at the same time an artistic as well as a convenient home. The plan here shown is one that has many points to commend it. It is to be built of spruce timber, covered with shingles on the second story and with white pine bevel siding. The dimensions in the clear are 29 feet wide, including bays, and 44 feet deep, including bays. It has a veranda 9 feet wide



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

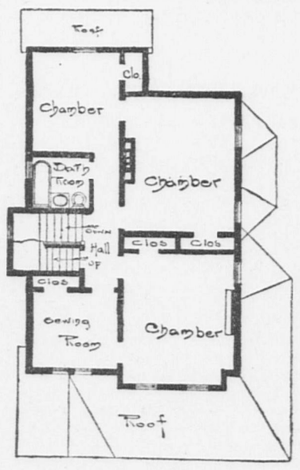
across the front and 6 feet wide on the side. Heights of stories—cellar, 7 feet; first floor, 10 feet; second floor, 9 feet 6 inches. The roof is covered with red cedar shingles, stained green. The trim and throughout the interior is of cypress, finishing oak. All trim in the hall and dining room is of oak, finished in antique.

The hall contains an ornamental stairs case with turned and carved newels and balusters. The dining room has an open fireplace built of tiles, with an elegant wood mantel, all carved, of oak.

The parlor contains a similar mantel. The butler's pantry contains two dressers, with bevel plate glass doors above and drawers below.

The kitchen and the kitchen pantry are wainscoted in Georgia pine and fitted up complete.

There are four large bedrooms and a good sized bathroom, with closets for each room, on the second floor. There is



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

a large billiard room in attic, and the basement has a cemented floor, a furnace and coal bins. The short columns on the front veranda are supported on shingle buttresses, presenting a very artistic effect. Cost to build complete, $2,500.

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Dick Announces His Opposition to the Pending Puerto Rican Tariff Bill.

Littlefield of Maine Antagonizes the Measure.

Senate Votes, by a Safe Majority, to Take Up the Quay Case.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Representative Dick of Ohio will vote against the pending Puerto Rican bill, so he asserts with great positiveness. Some significance attaches to this announcement, owing to his relation to the president and Senator Hanna, for it will be recalled that Colonel Dick managed the Ohio state campaign, and is quite likely to manage the coming Republican presidential campaign.

It is hinted that Colonel Dick's course means more than an expression of personal views, and is intended to save the administration's prestige when this bill is defeated, as it now looks as if it would be. If Democrats should try to make party capital out of the Puerto Rican episode in the coming campaign there would stand Colonel Dick's own vote as an evidence that it was not a purely partisian question.

An agreement was reached in the house yesterday that the vote on the bill shall be taken at 3 p. m. next Tuesday. General debate will close Monday, and short speeches, under the five-minute rule, will follow up to the time of the vote. The leaders continue to express the belief that the bill will pass, but the impression is growing that a motion to recommit the bill to the committee on ways and means will command strong support, and may prevail.

The speech of Mr. Littlefield of Maine was the feature of the day, and he added to his laurels won in the Roberts case, in a speech against the bill, which for brilliancy, wit and logic rivalled the best efforts of the recognized orators of the house. He made a profound impression, and when he concluded it was several minutes before the demonstration that followed could be quelled.

Mr. Littlefield opened with an emphatic declaration of his reasons for antagonizing the measure. "I oppose this bill," said he, "because it is un-Republican, un-American, unprecedented, unwarranted and unconstitutional." He occupied a painful position, he said. He was compelled to dissent from the policy advanced by distinguished men of his party, whose long experience in legislation made them worthy leaders. He was a Republican and should support Republican doctrines, but when a great question of right and wrong, a great question of principle, was presented, he felt, as he had no doubt every gentleman on the floor felt, that each individual had the right to think and speak for himself.

Mr. Littlefield argued that the regeneration of Puerto Rico could be brought about by a loan which the United States could authorize it to raise. No one could doubt the ability of the island to repay the loan. The people of the island in 1873 had paid $12,000,000 to free the slaves. Could not these people, he asked, be trusted to repay a trifling loan to be used for the relief of the island?

Mr. Littlefield directed his sarcasm against the bill, taking as an illustration a case of shipping lumber from Maine to Puerto Rico. At San Juan the duty was collected by the United States. Therefore it had as well been collected by the United States when it left Maine. Mr. Littlefield contended that the bill was un-Republican. When ever before, he asked, had it been proposed to place a duty upon American capital and American labor?

Mr. Littlefield then took up the legal phases of the question and concluded as follows: "May our flag float over the whole republic, in the Occident and the Orient; over the pearl of the Antilles, and the 10,000 islands near far-off Cathay; upon land and sea, over school, home and church, the emblem of our integrity and good faith, of liberty and freedom, of the inestimable blessings of a Christian civilization, of human rights guaranteed by the constitution, not dependent upon the evanescent will of state or national legislatures too often affrighted at their own shadows, rights imbedded in the constitution, but floating as empty bubbles on the perturbed surface of eloquent perorations; rights that are eternal and world-wide, not ephemeral and circumscribed; of opportunity, not oppression; and of regeneration, not repression. Thus and thus only shall it be and ever remain, by the blessing and favor of Almighty God, the unsullied and untarnished symbol of our honor and glory and splendor."

Senator Penrose has carried his point, the senate having voted to take up the Quay case. The vote was 34 ayes to 28 noes.

This means unquestionably the seating of Quay. The most significant thing in the vote was the ayes of a considerable Democratic contingent. Mr. Daniel asked the privilege of making the first speech in favor of Quay. Messrs. Kenney, Martin and Morgan were among the others who went on record the same way. Of the "semi-detached" senators, Messrs. Pettigrew and Stewart voted with Senator Quay's friends, but Teller stood out against them.

There is no question in anyone's mind now that Quay will have a majority when the final vote is taken on his case, ranging anywhere from six to ten. His tactics against the force bill and his care to see that protective tariff favors were thrown into the right Democratic states have done their sure work in his behalf. An unexpectedly large number of Republican leaders voted against taking up the case, such as Aldrich, Hale, Hanna and Proctor. A few of those who voted "no" yesterday are expected to vote "aye" when the farce of a debate is over.

SPORTS GOT A SURPRISE.

Offered Big Odds on Choynski, Who Proved an Easy Mark For Joe Walcott.

New York, Feb. 24.—At the Broadway Athletic club last night Joe Walcott, the Barbadoes negro, and Joe Choynski of California were participants in what was to have been a 25-round bout at catchweights. Choynski weighed 163 pounds, and Walcott turned the scales at 147. Walcott won, and this was a surprise. The betting made Choynski a prohibitive favorite, odds of 100 to 30 being freely laid on his chances, but after the first round, in which Choynski went to the floor five times, the odds shifted, and at the beginning of the second round Walcott was a two to one favorite.

Both men stripped in excellent condition, and Choynski looked big enough to eat his opponent. From the moment that the men donned the gloves, Walcott wore that ever-present smile of his, while Choynski looked very serious. All through the fight Walcott was on the aggressive. He rushed at Choynski, sending his right to the stomach and left to the head at will.

The Californian's legs began to wobble when he came up for the seventh round, and after he received a right on the wind and two lefts on the face he staggered in an evidently helpless manner. Then Walcott sailed in, landing left and right on the jaw, forcing Choynski to the floor, and when the latter regained his feet Walcott rushed him, but was stopped by Referee White, who shoved him back to his corner, and at the same time caught Choynski around the body and led the Californian towards his corner, thus ending the bout. White said afterwards that he felt that another good punch would have put Choynski out of the game. He declared Walcott the winner.

Wants Americans to Aid.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Princess Salm-Salm yesterday explained her ideas and plans in coming to this country for the purpose of asking the aid and co-operation of the National Red Cross of America to raise $30,000 for an ambulance and hospital corps for the Transvaal. She says: "To this end I shall in the next few days issue through the papers of the United States an appeal for contributions for this field ambulance. It is understood that I am going under the Boer flag, but no race or nationality shall be discriminated against in the aid and succor given the sick and wounded. The urgency is great, the need is a terrible one in the Transvaal, and for that my cry shall go forth to American hearts throughout the length and breadth of the land."

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 24.—A bill to permit clerks of assessors to administer the oath in assessing poll taxes was rejected by the senate yesterday, 11 to 10.

These committee reports were received in the house: Recommending reference to the committee on probate and insolvency the petition that the mayors and chiefs of police may summon witnesses; ought to pass on the bill to extend the time of the Old Colony commission; a resolve for the repair and maintenance of apparatus of the district police; against suspending the 12th joint rule on the petition relative to the terms of office of registers of deeds; recommending a suspension to admit the petition of Charles S. Dean, mayor of Malden, for permission to improve waterways.

Loss of Half a Million.

Philadelphia, Feb. 24.—One woman was killed, several other persons were severely injured and property valued at $500,000 was destroyed by a fire which broke out last night in the heart of the wholesale millinery district. The burned district covered nearly two acres. The woman killed, Clara Cohen, met her death by jumping from a fifth floor. Several girls had hands burned and a man received severe sprains by attempting to catch young women when they dropped from the end of a rope.

Fifteen New Vessels Provided For.

London, Feb. 24.—The naval estimates for 1900-1901 total £27,522,600, an increase of £928,100, providing for an increase of 220 officers and 4020 men for new ships. It is proposed to build two new battleships, six first-class armored cruisers, a second-class cruiser, two twin-screw sloops, two gunboats and two torpedo boats. Negotiations, it is added, are in progress for the formation of a naval reserve in Canada.

Severe Resolutions by Anti-Imperialists.

Philadelphia, Feb. 24.—Friday's session of the "eastern conference" of anti-imperialists was characterized by the adoption of strong resolutions condemning the expansion policy of the administration. During the discussion President McKinley was severely criticised and held personally responsible for the "criminal aggression" of the country.

Bimetallic Amendment Retained.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The conferrees on the financial bill agreed yesterday, and the report was submitted to the senate by Mr. Aldrich. The bimetallic amendment and the refunding provision, which were the two points remaining open, were retained in the final bill, but the language was modified to meet the desires of the house conferrees.

MOST HEROIC DEFENSE.

Cronje Undergoes a Fearful Ordeal After Being Surrounded by British.

Probable, However, That He Still Remains Unbeaten.

Lack of Official News as to Actual Occurrences of the Past Few Days.

London, Feb. 24.—According to the best news available Cronje's position is desperate and a less tenacious fighter than he might long since have felt himself justified in saving the lives of his gallant men at the price of capitulation. Finding himself overtaken by Kitchener Saturday night after a two days' running fight, Cronje took position on the Modder river near Paardeberg, entrenching as well as possible. Sunday the British tried to carry his camp by storm, but were bloodily repulsed with losses estimated at 700 up to this time, including two general officers wounded and many line officers killed.

Since that repulse Roberts has girdled the Boer camp with guns, and Tuesday afternoon concentrated upon the square mile of ground held by Cronje the fire of six field batteries, four naval guns and a Howitzer battery, firing lyddite.

In such a situation surrender or annihilation are the alternatives, in the absence of the arrival of a reinforcing column. Such a column is apparently hurrying up, since Boer dispatches tell of the detachment of 6000 Boers from Ladysmith, and its vanguard's arrival on the field of battle is evidently established by Lord Roberts' dispatch announcing the scattering of a reinforcing column, strength not stated by him, but by correspondents said to have been 500 men. Of the arrival of the main body and its effect upon the situation there is no word, but general knowledge of the situation does not come down beyond some time Wednesday, and, indeed, with any accuracy beyond Tuesday night.

Mr. Balfour announced in the house of commons at 12:30 this morning that no further news regarding General Cronje had been received by the government. He had sent to the war office during the hour and he asserted that nothing had come to hand there.

General Cronje, therefore, is presumably still unbeaten. No other construction is placed upon the three days' silence of Lord Roberts.

Yet no one sees how it is humanly possible, judging from the descriptions of his situation Wednesday morning, for him to resist so long. Great Britain does not withhold admiration for the valor of a losing fight against such odds.

"Englishmen feel something like pride in Cronje, even as a foe," says The Daily News. "In a position covering only a square mile, hemmed in on all sides, circled with a chain of fire from rifle, Maxim and Howitzer, played on by deadly lyddite, bursting in its own sickly green light, his hastily built trenches enfiladed by a stream of lead sweeping down the river from the north bank, General Cronje still elects to fight. It is a magnificent courage."

General Cronje's wife is described by the prisoners as urging him to surrender in order to save the lives of his men, but he would not.

The British cavalry patrols sent by Lord Methuen north of Kimberley discovered the Boers concentrating, whether for offense or defense is simply conjecture.

The Boers seem to be retiring from General Gatacre's front at Sterkstroom in order to reinforce the Free Staters.

Ladysmith had not been relieved when the latest news left Natal, two days ago. The Boers had then retired half way between Ladysmith and Colenso. If only 6000 went to the Free State, as both Boer and the British accounts assert, the 12,000 who are left may purpose to maintain the siege, and to resist General Buller within contracted lines, although the impression at General Buller's headquarters is that the Boers are merely covering a retreat.

The admiralty, in order to facilitate the rapid mobilization of the fleet, if necessary, will notify all senior officers not afloat of the names of the ships to which they are assigned. All the naval officers have now been allotted and all the ships are practically ready.

Spenser Wilkinson, in The Morning Post, says: From Boer dispatches we might infer that General Dewet has gathered a considerable force of scattered Boers at Petrusberg, about 15 miles southeast of Koodoosrand, with a view of relieving General Cronje.

It is probable that a battle is also raging in Natal. Anyway there is no need for alarm. It is quite possible that after the fight Lord Roberts may be engaged in pursuing the Boers, which would take him away from the telegraph wires.

Possibly a big fight is proceeding. Lord Roberts may be fighting from 10,000 to 15,000 Boers. This would account for the long silence, as all experience has proved that the battles occupy some days. The Boers are experts at digging cover, and Cronje in his desperation may have risked a sortie in the night.

A Story From Durban.

Durban, Feb. 24.—The rumor gains credence that Ladysmith has been relieved. It is also reported that General Cronje has surrendered 8000 men, and that General Kitchener has been slightly wounded in the left arm. Crowds throng the streets singing and cheering because of supposed victories. Seventeen hundred Boers have been killed or wounded, the latter, it is reported, including General Cronje.

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Ten Lost Years.

Figure it for yourself. From the age of fifteen to that of forty-five a woman gives one-third of her time to the suffering incident to the recurring periodic function. Ten years of suffering! And this condition of things is popularly accepted as natural, and endured as a feminine disability for which there is no help! Is there no help? There is help for every woman and for almost every woman perfect healing in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It insures regularity, dries the drains which weaken women, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It is a temperance medicine—non-alcoholic and non-narcotic.

"I was so weak I did not have breath to walk across my room," writes Miss Isabel Miller, of New Providence, Calloway Co., Ky. "My periods occurred too often and the hemorrhage would be prolonged and the loss of blood very excessive. I also had spells which the doctor said were fainting fits. I did not gain strength from one monthly period to another; was very weak and nervous all the time. Was confined to my bed for three months and the doctor told me I would never be any better. I lived in this way from sixteen years old to twenty-three. I was at last advised by a kind friend to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which I did, and before I had taken two bottles of it I could work all day. I took in all six bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' and about five vials of Dr. Pierce's Pellets. I used no other medicine. I have never had a return of this trouble since."

THE BUSINESS WORLD.

Softening in Prices of Staples and Cotton Strengthened During the Past Week.

New York, Feb. 24.—Bradstreet's says: General distributive trade is of satisfactory volume, though affected by weather conditions and holidays. Spring business is enlarging at many markets east and west. A softening of prices of speculatively dealt in staples is to be noted, but the reactions are of narrow extent. Money is steady as a whole, and no higher than a week ago. Bank clearings comparisons are rather less favorable, partly because of less pronounced speculative activity at this time last year.

Foreign demand for wheat remains small, American stocks are large, farmers are reported holding supplies back and crop damages cares are discounted by mild weather. The strength of corn has been a feature.

There is a larger volume of business in pig iron at some markets, but less at others, and prices of that product are quiet and steady. The floating of the new sheet combination has impaired strength to that branch of trade.

The strength of cotton goods remains a leading feature. The Fall River selling committee marked up print cloths this week and the reports of dividends declared point to exceptionally profitable conditions in the manufacturing branch.

Wool is on the whole quieter and some of the finer grades could be moved at slight concessions, but low grades remain steady. Woolen goods continue in good demand for fall delivery and the outlook here is regarded as encouraging.

There is little new in boots and shoes, and leather has been quiet, but very heavy sales of hides are reported at the west, the new upper leather combination being reported a large buyer at slight concessions.

Business failures for the week number 168, compared with 220 in this week a year ago and 183 in 1898.

Probable Philippine Commissioners.

Washington, Feb. 24.—At the cabinet meeting yesterday some time was consumed in a discussion of the personnel of the new Philippine commission. It was stated that the president had sent telegrams to General Luke Wright of Memphis and to Henry C. Ide of Vermont, asking them to come to Washington for a conference with him, and they will doubtless be asked to accept appointments on the commission. The last remaining member of the commission will probably be Bernard Moses, professor of political economy in the University of California.

Sacrificed a Good Position.

Boston, Feb. 24.—W. H. Rideout, foreman of the shipkeepers at the Charlestown navy yard, has been discharged from the service. Rideout is under arrest in Brooklyn on a charge of bigamy in marrying a 16-year-old Malden girl, who ran away from her home with him.

Wouldn't Say What Was Discussed.

Atlanta, Feb. 24.—Hon. Arthur Sewall of Bath, Me., had a conference yesterday with Mr. Bryan on the train which brought the Nebraskan to Atlanta, and left at noon for New York. Mr. Sewall declined to give the nature of his talk with Mr. Bryan.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

In the north Atlantic states rain has been followed by clearing weather and high westerly winds have diminished in force. The indications for New England are increasing cloudiness, followed by rain or snow, and colder.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897.
Sunday,	29	37	46	34	46
Monday,	30	48	45	40	38
Tuesday,	34	60	30	33	34
Wednesday,	45	38	48	38	51
Thursday,	41	45	50	37	35
Friday,	39	36	47	44	38
Saturday,	45	35	26	44	37

New Advertisements Today.

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Hearings—State House (2).
Royal Baking Powder.
National Granite Bank.
Hans Hanson—Shoe Repaing.
Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Wounded affections that can be healed with a good application of the coin of the realm can have but mighty small value. So it is that most breach of promise suits could not be effected in court. The party who entices a marriage with the [illegible] affections should be [illegible] and not ask the court for damages.—Brockton Times.

☞It's encouraging to note that New Haven Railroad has forbidden the news company which handle publications on the road no longer offer for sale either on trains or at the station newsstands certain indecent publications devoted to the exploitation of so-called racy articles and jokes. The action taken by the railroad company was due to many complaints, which proves that protest against unpleasant conditions sometimes avail.—Ploughman.

☞In both of the two great political parties the entire absence of active work for delegates is almost unprecedented. At this time of the year the normal situation would be a continuous and strenuous effort by the partisans of the various aspirants to head off one another in the struggle for delegates to the national conventions of two great parties. As it is nothing is being done, because the result is settled in advance. The candidates of 1896 will have the field to themselves in 1900.—Brockton Times.

☞The substition of automatic machinery for the telephone girl is no doubt in the line of progress, and yet it seems a pity to deprive so many young women of an occupation which is not open to the objections to be urged against some kinds of woman's work. The hours are not unreasonable, the duties are exacting but not exhausting, and there is no disagreeable contact with the public, as in the case in shops and the like. Much humor has been expended upon the telephone girl, but she has done her duties well in the past.—Providence Journal.

☞A county paper is authority for the statement that District Attorney Harris will not be a candidate again next fall. In that case Norfolk County would be entitled to the nomination, and already the friends of Judge Grover of Canton and of assistant district attorney Schultz of Dedham, with the others in the back towns, are being favorably mentioned for the position.—Hyde Park Gazette.

☞If Olga Nethersole's "Sapho" is too much for New York city's stomach, it must be something pretty bad; and that's all we've got to say about it. But we are reminded of what a clergyman warned his congregation years ago when the old, original "Black Crook" was in a blaze of glory: "Brethren, keep away from that awful 'Black Crook play.' It is not fit for any decent, christian person to see. I know what I'm talking about, for I've seen it myself!"—Milford Journal.

☞Olga Nethersole apparently thinks that if the audiences and herself can stand "Sapho," the pulpit, press, police and courts certainly ought to be able to. Olga's indignation over the latest attempted "elevation of the stage" was dramatic enough to stir the soul of a pugilistic Thespian to its very depths.—Lynn Item.

THE SOCIAL REALM.

Continued from page 1.

Miss Hattie Louise Dyer of Worcester, and formerly of South Weymouth, was married on Wednesday to Mr. Julius Palmer Johnson, of the jewelry firm of L. Johnson & Son. They will reside in Worcester.

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The attractive refreshment tables at the Home Science ball were arranged and decorated by Mrs. D. E. Wadsworth and Miss Emily Wild. They were in charge of Misses O'Brien, Misses Dunn and Miss Martin.

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Mrs. James Pierce of New York has been a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Jane Dooley of Randolph.

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Mrs. Benjamin Hewitt of Halifax has been visiting at the home of B. J. Loring at Braintree.

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Frank O. Wellington and son Harold of Braintree made a three days' trip to New York and Philadelphia the early part of the week.

Fine Soloists.

The soloists who have been secured for the Choir Boys' concert next Tuesday evening in Music hall, are the best that can be heard anywhere. Mrs. H. Y. Follette is the soprano soloist of Trinity church, Boston, whose voice is beautiful and sympathetic. Mr. A. W. Ferguson, the tenor, formerly a Quincy man, has improved greatly since last heard here, and has a smooth, flexible voice. Mr. Silas R. Mills is ranked by musical critics as a "finished artist, possessing a voice of remarkable sweetness, flexibility and fineness of tone, which he handles with noticeable skill and excellent expression." Geo. Dunham, nephew of Henry M. Dunahm, possesses all the necessary qualities to form a good accompanist.

The choruses are thoroughly mastered and a better musical treat than this one promises to be has not been offered to the public here for some time.

The choir boys are disposing of as many tickets as they can by a personal canvas of the city, but tickets will be for sale at Music hall, Tuesday night, as well. Let us encourage our boys in their effort to learn good music and the real art of singing, by patronizing his their first public concert.

A Fifty-Year-Old Daily.

It was a pleasure to read the historical section of the New Bedford Standard of Feb. 15. It was the semi centennial of this enterprising and reliable daily. We have observed its growth in recent years, and the review of its earlier days; its foundation, disclose the secret of its success. Eight full-sized pages are devoted to the eventful half century of the Standard, and the sketch is illustrated with half tones of the publishers, building, interior room, etc. A fac-simile of the first issue in 1859 is published as a supplement, and very much resemble some of the copies of the Quincy Patriot of that period. We congratulate E. Anthony & Son on their success, and shall preserve for many years for reference, the historical sketch.

☞The millinium is very near. When the work of Representative Carey of Haverhill is completed every boy in the Commonwealth will receive a college education and no one under twenty-one years of age will be allowed to work. Mr. Carey's large heart and philanthropy is not devoted wholly to the young; he has a tender spot for the aged, and when a man has arrived at the age of three score and ten he is to be retired on a liberal pension, spending his declining years in comfort.—Weymouth Gazette.

BORN.

ROBBIE—In Quincy, Feb. 20, a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Robbie.
WILLIAMS—In Quincy, Feb. 20, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Williams.

MARRIED.

FYFE—DAVIDSON—In Neponset, Feb. 21, by Rev. Robert F. Gordon, Mr. William Fyfe, Jr., of Quincy, to Miss Jenny C. Davidson of Neponset.
WALLACE—BROWNE—In Boston, Feb. 23, by Rev. W. J. Browne, Mr. Thomas J. Wallace of Quincy, to Miss Sarah T. Browne of South Boston.

DIED.

ANNIS—In South Braintree Feb. 20 Fred Douglas Annis son of Elisha G. and Gertrude H. (Leonard) Annis, Aged 1 year 1 month 6 Days.
FLANAGAN—In North Weymouth, Feb. 21, Mr. Lewis Flanagan of Lovell street, aged 49 years.

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EXPLAINS DEFICIT.

An Unpleasant Duty Says Superintendent Lull.

Estimate for 1899 Was for Sum Actually Needed.

The Reduction by City Council and Emergencies the Cause.

The next sub-divisions of the annual School Report to be reviewed treats of the school census, pupils, and finances. The City Council of 1899 saw fit to appropriate $1,900 less than was asked by the School Committee, and a deficit resulted. Supt. Lull refer to it as follows:

"It is a very unpleasant duty to announce a deficit. This is the first experience of your present Superintendent during his eight years of service in Quincy. The last statement of this nature was made in the report of 1892 for the year 1891.

"In April, 1899, 237, and in September 323, new pupils five years old entered school. One-half of this total of 560 off set is by those who graduate or leave school for other reasons. The increase, then, is nearly 280. (The difference between the total number of pupils at the end of September, 1898 and September, 1899, was 279. This increase is more noticealbe in the John Hancock. There the first six rooms in succession have numbered during the last term, 62, 63, 64, 72, 64, 64. Six assistants were demanded to meet these conditions.

"At the High school a similar condition was expected, but in the forlorn hope that somehow the inevitable might be avoided, nothing was done to provide for an overflow until school began in September. The overflow was just one large class, the second-year business. Even then all the rooms including alcove and principal's office, were crowded.

"To meet this emergency, two new teachers were engaged, stores were hired and furnished, and a janitor secured. Within two weeks the business class was installed in new quarters only a few feet from the school building. These four causes of extra expense, however, were not all. The new pupils were provided with new books and new supplies; for the stock on hand was not sufficient to meet the new demands.

"Meantime, because of a demand for a radical increase in the rest of the overflow at Atlantic, a new room was obtained. This necessitated moving and refitting.

"On the last Tuesday of September, the Board notified the Council that it would be unable to live within the appropriations and asked that $1,500 of the $1,900 which was taken from the budget should be appropriated. As the Council refused without permitting the Board to present its reason for the deficit, the following statement is made.

"The deficit is due to extra teaching force, to increased demand for books and supplies, to new rents, to extra janitorship, to new furnishings and fittings, and also to the neccessity of doing work left undone last year because of the cut of $3,104. All of these needs were anticipated in the budget, but were not granted by the Council.

"The coal on hand at the end of the year cost $2,600 last summer but because of the great advance in price, it is now worth $3,000.

COST PER PUPIL.

The average cost per pupil in the city for 1899, says Supt. Lull, was from $18.37 to $23.51, according to the basis of computation, whole number of different pupils, average number belonging, or average daily attendance. This however does not include cost of new buildings, or the payment of debt or interest on the same, or for the repairs of buildings.

The Ledger finds that according to the report of the City Auditor these last items amounted to $37,303.83 in 1899, or from $7.43 to $9.04 per capital on the basis above. The actual cost to the taxpayers was therefore from $25.80 to $32.55 per pupil, or $30.55 per average number of pupils belonging. In 1898 the amount paid on new buildings and for repairs and interest was $38,077.87, and in 1897 it was $37,811.23 In 1900 it will be in excess of any of these three years.

(To be continued.)

Councilman Newcomb had the misfortune to put the thumb of his left hand out of joint, and to fracture one of the bones, Thursday. He was doing an act of kindness at the time, caring for a horse that had become tired in the storm. The animal suddenly pushed one side, catching Mr. Newcomb's thumb, which was bent over backwards. It was very painful for a time.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

A bright morning and a beautiful day.

Henry O. Dawson is still confined to his home by illness.

The brick concrete sidewalks in Ward One were swept clean Friday.

James F. Allen is confined to his bed with a severe attack of rheumatism.

The regular meeting of the School Committee will be held next Tuesday evening.

The dressing of stone dust has greatly improved several sidewalks which were muddy.

Councilman Hultman has been confined to the house for a few days with rheumatism.

Randolph would like to sell its steamer to Quincy. It could probably be secured at a bargain.

The date of the collection for the A. U. A. at the First church has been changed to March 4.

A plank walk has been built from the sidewalk on Depot street to the Assessors' officers at City Hall.

It was reported this noon that Gen. Cronje had surrendered to the British, but could not be confirmed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robbie are receiving many congratulations on the arrival of a son at their home.

Many Atlantic and Norfolk Downs people attended the masquerade ball in Braintree Wednesday evening.

Nothing new has developed in regard to the granite situation, neither side apparently making any move toward settlement.

Letter Carrier Williams is now a grandpa to a bouncing boy, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Williams, born Tuesday.

The new carriage manufacturing building of Talbot & Emerson, being built by contractor Williams, was raised this morning.

The Walunt Associates of Neponset held a sunlight party, in Music Hall, Atlantic, Thursday afternoon which was largely attended.

The Randolph steamer which was capsized at the Wollaston fire Tuesday night is undergoing repairs at the shop of Badger Bros.

The order for a hearing on the petition of the street railway for a change of location on Coddington and Sea streets is advertised today.

The special car for members of the city government who will visit the Fore River Engine Works next Thursday, will leave City Square at 2.50 instead of 3 o'clock.

W. H. Glennon has an improvement on his automatic chalk line, in an automatic exerciser, and now feels certain that he is on the road to success. It is a clever idea.

At Bethany church tomorrow evening, Miss Bradford and Rev. M. Yonkers of Boston, will speak of the great work among the street children of the north end.

Several passengers on the Quincy Point car which should have connected with the 7.12 train last night, were out of sorts when the car became derailed at Quincy Point and failed to connect.

The Nonpariel Social club held a grand Smoke talk last evening at their hall, No. 4 Copeland street. About 150 members and friends were present Mr. Richard J. O'Brien, president of the club, opened the meeting with a few remarks on "The welfare of our city," followed by G. Fuge, A. Poole, J. Sane and others. Singing and dancing followed.

The second night of the minstrel show under the auspices of the St. Johns society, drew a much larger crowd than the first night. The hall was filled to its utmost capacity, standing room being at a premium. The jokes and witticism of the semi-circle were all up-to-date, and the applause and laughter was frequent.

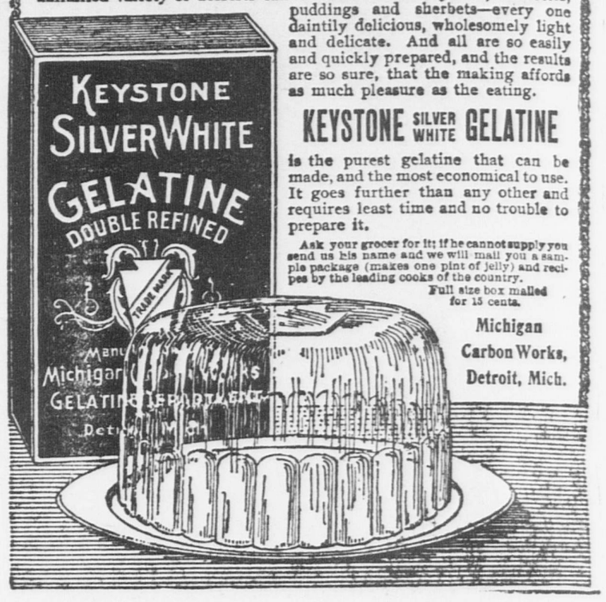
Mayor Proctor of Somerville has renominated John P. Prichard, formerly of Quincy, as street commissioner. Mr. Prichard was superintendent of streets in Somerville twenty years ago and has also been superintendent or commissioner in several other cities intervening, before returning to Somerville a few years ago, where he has since been superintendent.

Mr. Edward C. Hewitson, son of the late Edward and Mrs. R. S. Hewitson of Wollaston, died on Friday afternoon after a brief illness, of appendecitis. His death came as a great shock to his many young friends, as he was a general favorite, having a bright and cheerful disposition. Mrs. Hewitson has the sympathy of the whole community in the loss of her son, who was just in the flush of young manhood.

—The Government's postal receipt are increasing wonderfully and give one of many proofs that business is really booming.

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if the dessert is made from Keystone Silver White Gelatine. An almost unlimited variety of desserts can be made from it—jellies, charlottes, puddings and sherbets—every one daintily delicious, wholesomely light and delicate. And all are so easily and quickly prepared, and the results are so sure, that the making affords as much pleasure as the eating.



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54th ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

NET ASSETS, January 1, 1899, $61,807,067.33

RECEIVED IN 1899.

For Premiums,	$4,932,559.33	
For Interest and Rents,	2,989,047.28	
For Balance Profit and Loss,	86,150.70	
		8,007,757.31
		$69,814,824.84

DISBURSED IN 1899.

For claims by death, matured endowments and annuities,	$4,323,361.90	
Surplus returned to policy holders,	1,265,334.14	
Lapsed and Surrendered Policies,	532,667.53	
TOTAL TO POLICY-HOLDERS,	$6,121,363.57	
Commissions to Agents, Salaries, Medical Examiners' Fees, Printing, Advertising, Legal, Real Estate, all other Expenses,	921,844.12	
TAXES,	393,738.22	
		7,436,945.91
BALANCE NET ASSETS, Dec. 31, 1899,		$62,377,878.93

SCHEDULE OF ASSETS.

Loans upon Real Estate, first lien,	$26,192,657.64
Loans upon Stocks and Bonds,	2,300.00
Premium Notes on Policies in force,	829,945.23
Cost of Real Estate owned by the Company,	11,611,937.33
Cost of Bonds,	22,407,953.33
Cost of Bank and Railroad Stocks,	473,504.16
Cash in in Banks,	855,217.83
Bills receivable,	5,061.63
	$62,379,577.15
Less Agents' Credit Balances,	1,698.22
	$62,377,878.93
ADD	
Interest due and accrued,	$983,777.38
Rents due and accrued,	16,805.02
Market Value of stocks and bonds over cost,	870,526.57
Net uncollected and deferred premiums,	340,013.34
	$2,211,122.31
Less Bills Receivable,	5,061.63
	$2,206,060.68
GROSS ASSETS, December 31, 1899,	$64,583,939.61
LIABILITIES:	
Amount required to reinsure all outstanding Polices, net, Company's standard,	$55,828,853.00
All other liabilities,	1,546,745.02
	$57,375,598.02
SURPLUS, (including contingent real estate depreciation mem. account,	$750,000.00 $7,208,341.59
Ratio of expenses of management to receipts in 1899,	11.51 per cent.
Policies in force Dec. 31, 1899, 67,649.	
Insuring,	$160,432,486.00

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Miss Emma Bernard (Holbrook), Red Nurse.
Miss Gertrude Faxon, Morning.
Miss M. Pratt, Poverty.
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Harold Jones, Clown.
Harry L. Berry, Clown.
H. W. Campbell, Messenger.
E. G. McGill, Devil.
Fred Whitcomb, Fancy.
Thurlow Torrey, Fancy.
Henry Burnham, Fancy.
Arthur French, Fancy.
Robert Burns, Fancy.
George Fennell, Cadet.
William Boyce, King William.
Joseph Coughlin, Bum.
George Howes, Colored woman.
E. C. Poolie, Soldier.

The most enjoyable, during the evening, was the cake walk by two little girls, Hazel Lothrop as the gent and Emily Porter partner.

Their faces were well blacked, and they were prettily attired, but their dancing was what attracted attention.

In fact they were so clever many, not knowing them, thought they were hired talent from Boston.

The floral display upon the stage was furnished by Edward T. Newcomb.

Cuff's orchestra established a reputation that will stay with them. Their music was pleasing from the start to the finish, and dancing was made easy.

Every man in the orchestra was up to the scratch, and Mr. Frank E. Dodge in his xylophone solo, captured the audience.

The floor manager for the evening was Mr. Henry W. Mansfield, and the prompter John R. Thomas of Boston.

At intermission, supper was served in the lower hall by Whittemore & Girard caterers to about 100 couples.

Dancing was in order until three o'clock. Special cars run to Randolph, Holbrook, Brockton and Quincy.

There were about 400 people at the ball, making the occasion far more successful than that held a year ago.

In Syria people never take off their caps or turbans when entering the house or visiting a friend, but they always leave their shoes at the door. There are no mats or scrapers outside, and the floors inside are covered with expensive rugs, which, in Moslem houses, are kept, very clean, and used to kneel upon while saying prayers.

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Indignant.

Editors of the Quincy Daily Ledger:

Having read in your issue of February 21, an article signed "Indignant," which is directed to me by some unknown person, I wish to reply in your column.

To begin with, what is he indignant about? The truth it is. I must answer yes, and I must also repeat the word "numskull." This time I must apply it to the indignant one. Why do I apply it to the indignant one? Because they have showed to the public that they are such by this criticism, and nonsensical statement, that I did not know the meaning of the words used.

Was not the article that you reprinted self explanatory? Did it show where those people were numskulls, or in other words dunces, or blockheads, or dullards on the subject in discussion, the labor trouble? Is this not true Mr. Editor?

A reason why I apply this word numskull to 'Indignant' is because in his article, he said the cutter who inserted such an interesting column in the Ledger of February 20. Now this column was not inserted by the cutter in your paper. Any person of ordinary intelligence who read first paragraph of said column could understand where you got it, as you stated you reprinted it from the Granite Cutters' Journal.

Now, this indignant blockhead could not see it. They have the cheek to talk about brains. If ignorance is a bliss it is a folly to be wise.

Again they show their intelligence when they say that those who are constantly employed at the desk of the manufacturer know more than I do about the labor movement, who has been corresponding secretary of the granite cutters for over five years. What have they to do but write?

If, "Indignant" is a specimen of the intelligence he talks about, it is no wonder that the manufacturers are in trouble all the time.

My reason for speaking about office boys and girls is, because I heard them talking of the demands of the stone cutters, and they told it around the city that the cutters wanted all men to get three dollars per day, whether he was worth it or not. A more appropriate signature for "Indignant" to use would be "Ignoramus." My advice to this brainless creature is to go down to the Point bridge and jump overboard and say here goes nothing.

F. P. Foley.

Col. Parker President.

The Transcript says, Information regarding the Chicago institution founded by Mrs. Emmons Blaine was given out Thursday. It is to be a higher normal school, the only one of its kind in this country, devoted to training both children and teachers from the kindergarten to the university. There will be academic, pedagogic and summer schools. The building will cost $600,000 and will be erected facing Lincoln Park. An annual income of $100,000 is guaranteed.

Col. Francis W. Parker, formerly of Quincy, is president. The official title of the school is: Chicago Institute, Academic and Pedagogic.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 23, 1900.

THE Committee on Counties will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 479, the petition of DeWitt C. Bates and others that Norfolk and Plymouth county commissioners be trustees in charge of certain bridges in those counties, at room No. 425, State House, on TUESDAY, Feb. 27th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

JOHN E. PARRY, Chairman.
CHAS. A. CARRUTH,
Feb. 24-1t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 21, 1900.

THE Committee on Roads and Bridges will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 963, for a new bridge over Weymouth Fore river, at room No. 426, State House, on TUESDAY, Feb. 27th, at 11.30 o'clock A. M.

SAMUEL S. GLEASON, Chairman.
W. S. O'BRIEN, Clerk of the Committee.
Feb. 24. 2t

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 20, 1900.

THE Committees on Metropolitan Affairs and Street Railways (sitting jointly) will give a hearing to parties interested in a petition (with accompanying bill, House No. 396) of John R. Graham, president, for legislation to authorize the Boston, Milton and Brockton Street Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate its railway in, upon and over the Blue Hills parkway in the town of Milton; a petition (with accompanying bill, House No. 442) of John Woodbury, secretary, for legislation to authorize the Metropolitan Park Commission to grant locations to street railway companies in the reservations and parkways of the metropolitan park system; also a petition of E. J. B. Huntoon for legislation to authorize the Metropolitan Park Commission to grant locations to street railway companies on certain public reservations in the towns of Milton, Canton, Hyde Park and Randolph, (House bill No. 946), at room No. 436, State House, on THURSDAY, March 1, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

A. A. MAXWELL, C. W. HAZELTON, } Chairmen.
A. P. RUSSELL, F. C. GILPATRIC, } Clerks of the Com's.
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GRAND BANQUET.

Literary Club of Braintree Gather at the Festive Board.

A feast of reason and a flow of soul, interlaced freely with the more substantial things of life, took place at Pythian Hall Wednesday evening, when the Literary club of Braintree held its annual banquet. Time honored, like the line which opens this paragraph, is the custom which has been in order since the founding of the club in '94, and with the growth of the organization has the success and popularity of the banquet increased, each succeeding year welcoming many new faces among its members.

On this occasion about sixty members and friends gathered; the tables were most attractively decorated with a huge bowl of cut flowers and at each end alternate red and white carnations, while up and down the snowy expanse sprays of maiden hair and delicate ferns traced a pathway of green, a kindness contributed by the president.

At the head of two long tables were the officers of the club and invited guests, the president, Mr. Oakman, occupying the seat of honor, while on his left was the master of ceremonies, Mr. C. A. Belcher, followed by Mr. A. E. Avery, vice president, and the Revs. Mr. Ellsworth, Palmer and Pennoyer and Dr. Gallagher as invited guests.

Mr. Ellsworth by request invoked the divine blessing, after which full justice was done the good things presented. None but the highest praise can be given the dinner which was served by Caterer Besse in his best style.

The menu included croquettes and green peas, oyster patties in two styles, cold turkey, cranberry sauce, chicken and lobster salad, rolls individual creams, ices, frozen pudding, assorted cakes, candies and coffee.

Over and above all floated the strains of an orchestra: small wonder that the speeches which followed were so happily inspired

The president, acting for the secretary, called for the quotations of the members. The responses were from Mark Twain and O. W. Holmes, and called forth much merriment, the president giving as his own the reading of the "One hoss shay." He followed with remarks made in his happiest humor and concluded by introducing Mr. Belcher as master of ceremonies. This gentleman proved himself the right man in the right place, and filled the position most gracefully: he introduced Mr. West as the first speaker of the evening who had for a subject "Nothing, or Something." Called upon to treat with this somewhat enigmatical subject — he proceeded with the greatest ease and skill to make something out of nothing, delighting his hearers with his humor and fine play upon words. One felt to say with the Elder Nellu in in his advice to his son, "To write it Sammy so they will wish there was more."

Mrs. Crooker responded for the ladies of the club, and no better representative could have been chosen. Mrs. Crooker read a group of most pleasing little poems, all original and sparkling with wit and humor.

Mr. Palmer, next called upon to speak, rejoiced in having no subject alloted, neither nothing nor something, but entering into the spirit of the occasion, amused all with his timely anecdotes of the immortal Mark Twain.

Dr. Dearing spoke as one of the charter members, expressing his hopes for the future of the club, that it might be made an ideal one, guarding the purity of speech.

Rev. Mr. Pennoyer was called upon, and though somewhat of a stranger, complimented the club upon its high motives.

Oscar C. Gallagher spoke for the novelists of the literary, amusing his hearers by the confession of one of the originators of the scheme, that after all he believed "the thing was going to work."

Mr. Ellis was the next speaker. Although one of the founders of the organization, this was the first time for several years its member had had the pleaure of greeting him, and he was most warmly received. In his remarks he dwelt upon Washington and read an original poem upon the subject.

Mr. Atherton Hunt responded to the toast, Bachelor versus Benedict, presumably his remarks pointed by experience, he proved a perfect champion on the matrimonial subject, for the fair sex, in burning language exhorting the wicked and unregenerate bachelor to forsake the error of his way, while to the weak and hesitating brother he sounded a hearty and encouraging "Come on." Need it be said a look of guilt and almost contrition was brought to the faces of the luckless "unblessed" ones present.

Dr. Gallagher was asked to pronounce the benediction, this he did very happily having no subject given, he rejoiced in having time, space, and his hearers completely at his mercy. He then proceeded to relate incidents and anecdotes of Mark Twain and Washington.

Nothwithstanding the enticing strains of the orchestra the company broke up shortly after ten, after one of the pleasantest occasions in the annals of the club.

Counties Should Pay.

The legislative committee on Roads and Bridges will visit Quincy Point bridge Monday afternoon, and will also inspect the plant of the Fore River Engine Co. The hearings on the two bills regarding the bridge question will be held at the State House, Tuesday forenoon next, one at 10.30 and the other at 11.30. As the Weymouth Gazette says, it is hoped that many will attend and endeavor to secure the important improvements needed in our largest bridge, and also to throw the cost of these public highway bridges on to the broader shoulders of the counties of Plymouth and Norfolk.

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U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,		75,000 00
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Other real estate and mortgages owned,		15,660 00
Due from approved reserve agents,		28,701 86
Checks and other cash items,		13,632 79
Notes of other National Banks,		7,428 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents,		1,487 39
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie,	8,594 70	
U. S. Certificates of deposit for legal tenders,	10,000 00	
		18,594 70
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 p. c. of circulation,)		3,375.00
Total,		721,600 40

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Capital stock paid in,	$150,000 00
Surplus fund,	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	80,497 98
National bank notes outstanding,	67,500 00
Due to other National Banks,	228 57
Due to State Banks and Bankers,	36,977 13
Individual deposits subject to check,	286,161 72
Demand certificates of deposit,	20,000 00
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WAY OUT OF DILEMMA.

Opponents of Puerto Rican Bill Claim Enough Votes to Recommit.

Democrats See a Chance For a Strategic Victory.

Bromwell Opposes Measure on Grounds of Policy. Not of Constitutionality.

Washington, Feb. 22.—"We have this Puerto Rican bill beaten to a standstill," said a Republican opponent yesterday. This representative maintains that 16 men will vote with the nearly solid Democratic strength to recommit the bill with instructions. There is some difference of opinion as to what these instructions shall be, but it is suggested that a compromise which shall not make this case a precedent in favor of extending the constitution to other islands, but will as a practical measure of benevolence give substantial free trade to the island, will be proposed.

It is impossible to say how much credence should be given to the prediction here quoted. The trouble with such estimates is that individual members are changing their position from day to day, back and forth, according to the play of local and other interests, and perhaps they are swayed somewhat by the arguments presented in debate.

Very few men on either side of the chamber are willing to announce positively that they are against what appears their party's position, and on the Democratic side, this solidifying of party ranks has been very marked in the last 24 hours. Even the imperialist Berry of Kentucky sweeps aside all reports that he would vote for the bill by saying he shall not do so.

The Democratic leaders see here an opportunity for a great strategic victory, and as such opportunities have of late been rare they are eager to make the most of it. It is probable that the list of bolting Democrats will be much smaller than has heretofore been predicted, whatever may become of the Republican bolt in the other direction. It has been decided to have the daily sessions begin at 11 o'clock, to hold evening sessions, and not to adjourn over the holiday.

For the first time in the debate on the bill the voice of a Republican was yesterday raised against the measure. Mr. Bromwell (Ohio) spoke against the bill. He opposed it on the ground of policy and not of constitutionality. His hostility, however, was not so absolute but that he announced his intention of voting for it if the substitute failed. The other speakers yesterday were Mr. Ray (N. Y.) and Mr. Lang (Kan.) for the bill, and Mr. Henry (Tex.) against it.

The Republicans have decided to hold a caucus or conference on the bill Saturday night. Although there are said to be between 20 and 30 Republicans who are hostile to the measure, the Republican leaders who are canvassing the situation say that no more than four or five will cast their vote against it. They also say several Democrats will support it. The only Democrat who is outspoken in his advocacy of the bill is Mr. Davey (La.). He represents one of the largest sugar cane districts in the south. Some others, including Mr. Meyer and Mr. Broussard (La.), Mr. Gavries (Cal.), Mr. Davies and Mr. Sparkman (Fla.) are said to be in the doubtful column, but the Democratic whip says that only Mr. Davey and Mr. Sibley (Pa.) will vote for it. Mr. Wilson (Idaho), a silver Republican, is also said to be inclined to vote for the bill.

Some of the Republican opponents of the bill, who dislike to go on record, believe that the way out of the dilema in which they find themselves is to vote to recommit the measure. On account of the pressure for time, the debate hereafter will begin at 11 o'clock, and there will be night sessions.

Mr. McCall as member of the ways and means committee and the author of the Republican minority report will be the first Massachusetts man to speak on the pending Puerto Rican bill. He will be followed by Mr. Moody, a member of the insular affairs committee, who is for the bill. In speaking of the subject yesterday Mr. Moody said:

"This dispute is really over the Philippine islands. Puerto Rico is a very small matter in itself, but if the constitution of the United States must necessarily be applied there is no stop to its going to the Philippine islands. And I do not believe we can govern those islands under the constitution. I do not believe the man lives who could draw up a uniform tariff and fiscal system that could be applied successfully to this country and those islands half a world away. I say we had better get out of the Philippines at the earliest moment possible if we have got to include their people in the United States."

The senate in executive session ratified the treaty between the United States and Great Britain and Germany affecting claims growing out of the joint control of the Samoan islands. This treaty was a separate document from the Political agreement dividing the authority over the islands.

Chamberlain's Nominees Objectionable.

Kingston, Jam., Feb. 22.—The reciprocal convention with the United States was approved by the legislature yesterday. Only the official members were present. The people's representatives refuse to take part in the deliberations until Joseph Chamberlain withdraws his obnoxious nominees.

Jack Root's Challenge.

Chicago, Feb. 22.—I. J. Houseman, manager of Jack Root, has issued a sweeping challenge, in which he agrees to back Root against any middleweight in the world, "Kid" McCoy or Tommy Ryan preferred, for $5000. The challenge applies to white men only.

A NEW KIND OF CORNER.

A Cozy Place In Which to Indite Occasional Notes, Etc.

In flats or small houses, where space is scarce and a goodly amount of room has to be given up to seats of all sorts—chairs, lounges, cozy corners, and so forth—it is often advisable to use combined furniture and to turn to profitable account the angles which are generally mere waste space. Everybody wants a writing table, but as tables encroach upon room space the family desk frequently has to do duty for all the members of the home circle.

The sketch suggests a writing corner that can be easily carried out and that will be found very convenient in many homes where, owing to insufficient room, it is impossible that each member of the family should be provided with a desk proper.

The table itself consists merely of a triangular piece of wood about a couple of inches thick, the front being afterward curved. This is fitted into the corner of the wall at a convenient height and is supported by and nailed to wooden brackets screwed to the wall.

It is a good plan to have, above the table, a little corner cupboard for a relay of stationery and ink and also to add a series of pigeonholes for letters and notebooks and bills that can be cunningly concealed by a small curtain of silk; or the cupboard could be used for these things and a shelf take the place of the pigeonholes. Such useful articles as a wall calendar and a waste paper basket must be added to complete the writing corner, the table itself being of depth and width sufficient to hold the blotting pad, ink, pen tray, scales and weights and stationery cabinet, some of which could, however, for the sake of more "elbow room," take up their places on the shelf above.

As corners are usually dark places, adequate means of lighting up must not be forgotten. A wrought iron suspended lamp with a rose or amber shade should be fixed to the wall unless a floor lamp happens to be situated close by.

If green paint would accord with surrounding fitments, the table, corner



A WRITING CORNER.

cabinet and shelf may be stained dark malachite green, and the little silk curtain should be in old gold color; also the cabinet should have brass clamps and key plate. One finds the convenience in every sitting room of having at hand a set of writing materials.

Another idea for a small, inexpensive occasional writing table is to fix a wooden shelf, about 18 inches long and 12 inches wide, to a backing of wood of equal length and some 12 inches high. This backing can be secured to the wall by means of the usual brass plates and nails and the "table" be further supported by a bracket beneath. The wooden back can be decorated with hand painting or with a calendar, small framed picture, etc. This backing might, of course, be dispensed with altogether, but it is effective.

The whole coloring should be preferably in cream or malachite green, but the wood could, of course, be stained mahogany or oak. A little writing table of this sort is useful for a hall.

The Egg Cocktail.

The egg cocktail is an appetizer which has lately sprung into prominence. It is prepared by taking for each person one-half of a teaspoonful of vinegar, one tablespoonful of lemon juice, one-half teaspoonful of horse radish, one-half teaspoonful of tomato catchup, mixing together and adding one beaten egg. It should be served in a tall glass with a long handled spoon. —Table Talk.

Fashion's Echoes.

Dainty handkerchiefs in pale colors embroidered with white are pretty trifles, which are exceedingly effective if they match the prevailing color in the costume.

The newest underskirts are made of fine black or colored French flannel and have numerous narrow ruffles of silk, bound with velvet or lace trimmed. The soft cling of the flannel is just what is necessary under the present close fitting skirts.

The really new French sleeve is innocent of any extra fabric at the top. The drop shoulder effects appear not only on dressy afternoon and evening dresses, but likewise on many of the recently imported bridal gowns, bolero jackets, tea gowns and costly French nightdresses.

Pale shade of gray and biege color are the tints in dress gloves and are quite as much worn as white.

Club or string ties with fringed ends are seen in plaid, striped and plain silk and satin.

Russian lace in heavy quality and fine venetian laces are very much employed for trimming handsome cloth gowns in the pastel colors.

The corners of men's cuffs are now cut square or with sharply rounded points.

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Secretary Hay Answers the Ex-Consul's Statement.

Department Received No Report of Opening of Mail by the British Censor.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The president yesterday transmitted to the house the answer of the state department to the house resolution calling for information regarding certain charges made by late Consul Macrum. It is signed by Secretary Hay and says that all Mr. Macrum's dispatches were regularly received.

Answering the first part of the resolution: The department of state has been in regular communication by mail and telegraph with Charles E. Macrum, late consul of the United States at Pretoria, South African republic, since his entrance upon the duties of the office. Communications made to him have been answered and the execution of instructions sent has been reported by him. His dispatches to the department, forwarded through the consulate at Lorenzo Marquez, have during that time been regularly received.

The only instance of complaint in respect to the transit of the mails for Lorenzo Marquez and Pretoria was in November last, when a temporary stoppage of the mails occurred at Cape Town, against which Mr. Macrum and the consul at Lorenzo Marquez protested. Arrangements were made for the prompt delivery of the consular mails to the United States consul general at Cape Town, by whom the mail for Mr. Hollis and Mr. Macrum was forwarded to Lorenzo Marquez.

The delay lasted but a few days and has not recurred so far as the department is advised. After that time the department's mail for Lorenzo Marquez and Pretoria was sent by a neutral route, which it appears was known and open to Mr. Macrum and Mr. Hollis as early as Nov. 16 last. No obstacle, therefore, is here known to have existed since then to Mr. Macrum's unhampered correspondence with the department of state.

At no time while at his post did Mr. Macrum report to the department any instance of violation by opening or otherwise of his official mail by the British censor at Durban, or by any person or persons whatsoever, there or elsewhere. Neither has he so reported since he left Pretoria, although having the amplest opportunity to do so, by mail while on the way home, and in person when he reported to the department upon his return.

Answering the second part of the aforesaid resolution, the undersigned, secretary of state, has the honor to say that there is no truth in the charge that a secret alliance exists between the republic of the United States and the empire of Great Britain; that no form of secret alliance is possible under the constitution of the United States, inasmuch as treaties require the advice and consent of the senate; and, finally, that no secret alliance, convention, arrangement or understanding exists between the United States and any other nation.

Valuable Belt Slashed.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 22.—As the result of a cut in the main belt of the carding department of linen mill No. 1 it was impossible to start up the machinery in that section yesterday. The belt, which is valued at $2000, was cut with a sharp knife and hung by a mere shred, so that the first strain on it would break it clear. The police are investigating the case.

Impossible to Render Assistance.

New London, Conn., Feb. 22.—Captain William Read, master of the barge Marion Chappell, which was in the tow behind the tug Nathan Hale, when the barge Oakland was lost with her four men Sunday morning, states in a protest filed here that in his opinion it was impossible to render any assistance to the men on board the Oakland.

Was a Personal Quarrel.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The surgeon general has received word from Major Arthur, in charge of the hospital ship Missouri, as follows: "All newspaper stories about Missouri absolutely false. They have been spread by a dissatisfied ship's officer." The reports referred to grew out of a controversy as to the management of the vessel.

Sentence For Manslaughter.

Boston, Feb. 22.—Joseph Lavey was found guilty of manslaughter in the superior criminal court yesterday. He murdered his housekeeper, Mary Ann Painting, in their home on Commercial street, last August. Lavey was sentenced to state prison for a term of not less than 10 nor more than 12 years.

Testimonial to Dixon.

New York, Feb. 22.—The friends and admirers of George Dixon, the colored featherweight pugilist, who was recently deprived of this honor by Terry McGovern, tendered the dusky boxer a benefit last night. The sum realized from the sale of tickets and from subscriptions will amount to $8000.

Wife Murderer Sentenced.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 22.—In the superior criminal court William H. F. Kelley of Lowell was sentenced by Judge Aiken to the state prison for life, the first day in solitary confinement. Kelley shot his wife, Theresa, in Lowell, on June 30, 1899.

Evictions Decrease.

London, Feb. 22.—The house of commons yesterday rejected by 232 to 126 votes the second reading of the Irish evicted tenants' bill. The attorney general for Ireland said the evictions of the past year were only 464, the lowest in 30 years.

GOWNS AND PARASOLS.

What Fashion Is Preparing For American Women.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—If there was ever a prettier tea gown made than the one shown in this illustration, I have never seen it. It does not look overdone in any place, but nevertheless it is quite elaborate. The material is silver gray cachemire de l'Inde. The skirt is trimmed in a way to represent an overdress. Across the foot are three lines of narrow satin ribbon in the same shade of gray. The dress is cut in princess form, with a Watteau plait in the back, hanging from the yoke. This yoke is made of crimson satin and overlaid with large applique. This is edged with a three inch ruffle of



CASHMERE TEA GOWN.

white plat Val lace, and this is again edged with a tiny ruching of chiffon. Between the two kinds of lace there is a line of satin ribbon. There is a double jabot of plat Val, edged with the chiffon down the waist and all around the demitrain edged with the narrow ruche and headed by the rich lace. There is a belt of crimson satin, with a design of the lace picked out upon it. On the yoke is a crushed bow of crimson satin, with long ends of gray ribbon, edged with a deep knotted fringe. The sleeves are trimmed in the same way.

All one day I sat in stores and looked at summer things, particularly the parasols now in course of construction for next summer. Some samples are ready, and so I will tell what they look like. The general plan seems to be to have small tops and rather longer handles than have been, though there are some exceptions. Taffeta and surah are the favorite materials, and lace and very narrow velvet and silk ribbon are used to trim them. One style had the parasol of delicate shell pink, with an applique of renaissance lace in points. This was arranged like a six pointed star, the whole upper part being covered with the lace, while the points fell one inch below the silk between the ribs. Another one was of white surah with black polka dots. The upper part was plain, but there were four ruffles of the surah set so close together that they formed a ruff instead of ruffle. A pale green taffeta, shot with white, had a complete covering of vermicelli pattern done in russet red shirred ribbon half an inch wide. There was one headed ruffle, and this was covered in the same way. The handle was of jade, mounted in gold. There are plaid taffetas and a few bayadere stripes. These are always made with a plain edge, and if anything about them is ornamental it is the handle. Some of the handles are really works of art.

One parasol made to retail at $10 is of pinhead checks, blue and black, with a sort of woven bordering of a black stripe overlaying the blue and black check. On the top are two pretty silk tassels tied with cord, and another is tied at the handle. The handle is enameled and has a regular Watteau painting of shepherdesses upon it, with their crooks and sheep and adoring swains. A novel idea is seen in a tan colored taffeta. There are eight ribs to each parasol this season. Each of these ribs is cut to a deep point, with a scallop between. Three rows of very narrow sealskin colored velvet are sewed around all the points and scallops, and where the points and scallops meet the lines of velvet cross and the ends are sewed down. The handle is a piece of natural wood, with a chased gold band and a small bow of tan and seal satin ribbon above. All these roll so closely that it is hard to imagine them more than canes. A new wrinkle to some of them is a smoothed bit of rustic wood about three inches long, fastened by a ribbon run through a hole in it. The ribbon is also fastened to the parasol and hangs four or five inches. The object of this is to allow a lady to slip this bit of wood between her fingers into the palm of her hand, and that allows her to carry her purse and leaves the parasol to dangle loosely at her side when not in use. This saves other folks' eyes and tempers and is withal a pretty fancy.

While speaking of accessories I will mention the new cinch belt. This is larger at the back than in front. It finishes with two rings, and through these is run a ribbon, and when one wants to wear one the ribbon is run through the rings and the belt pulled together so. The corsets are arranged so now that there is for the first time room enough to eat a good dinner without getting red in the face. All the pulling is from the back, and the whole front is somehow made more comfortable and roomy, while the waist line is smaller than ever. OLIVE HARPER.

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Yours truly,
A READER

BOSTON'S COMMERCE.

Record For 1899 Shows a Remarkable Gain Over Previous Years.

Labor Fully Employed and Wages Generally Raised.

Hub Recovers First Position as Port For the Export of Live Cattle.

Boston, Feb. 24.—The foreign commerce of the port of Boston during 1899 surpasses all previous records, aggregating $190,485,333. While only slightly greater than the extraordinary record of 1897, it exceeded that of 1898 by $16,808,922. The figures in detail are as follows:

Exports, $127,133,047, an increase of $2,268,256 over 1898. Imports, $63,352,290, an increase of $14,540,666 over 1898.

The above statement is from the advance sheets of the annual report of Elwyn G. Preston, secretary of the Boston chamber of commerce. Of the foreign trade Mr. Preston says the exports were the largest in the history of the port.

The report further says that there has been a general forward movement of values, both of manufactured goods and of raw materials. Labor is fully employed, and wages in most branches of trade have been restored to the level from which they were forced during the panic years, and in some cases have risen to a higher plane than during the years of great prosperity preceding 1893. In the abounding prosperity that has marked the course of the year just closed, Massachusetts and New England have received a full share.

The foreign trade exceeded all previous records. The great manufacturing activity caused a large increase in the imports of raw products and partially manufactured materials entering into further manufacture, while the exports of products of domestic manufacture have shown a phenomenal growth.

The "in transit and trans-shipment" trade passing through this port amounted to $11,883,623, and was made up as follows: Entered at Boston for transshipment to foreign countries, principally Canada, $5,834,355; Canadian imports entered at various ports and exported to foreign countries via Boston, $6,049,268.

As a port of export for the various products classed as provisions, Boston had 30 percent of the entire exports of these products passing through this port.

As a port for the export of live cattle, Boston recovers the first place from which it was forced last year by New York, having during the past year exported 124,290 head, or 37 percent of the total from all ports. In breadstuffs Boston made a gain.

The ocean tonnage entered and cleared at this port in the foreign trade aggregated 4,431,019 tons, an increase of 757,188 tons, or 21 percent over 1898.

In its concluding paragraphs the report says: The natural effect of the higher prices will be to both limit our exports of this class of goods and to stimulate imports.

No signs of a falling off in the foreign demand are yet apparent. Our factories are still taxed to their utmost capacity to supply the demands made upon them, and our imports of crude materials entering into manufacture are increasing rather than diminishing. From all indications now present, the closing year of the 19th century seems destined to continue, possibly to increase, the great commercial record of the year just closed.

Will Try and Get Schlesinger.

New York, Feb. 24.—Seventeen new indictments were found yesterday against William F. Miller, the alleged 520 percent swindler, by the grand jury of Brooklyn. Edward Schlesinger, said to be the real head of the defunct Franklin syndicate, was included in all the indictments, 12 of which are for grand larceny in the first degree and five for grand larceny in the second degree. Schlesinger will now be brought back if found in Baden-Baden. Miller will be tried April 2.

Militia Guarded Bank Property.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 24.—The explosion of a gasoline stove in the Metropolitan hotel yesterday caused a fire which burned that building and the Hewlett block adjoining, causing a loss of about $160,000. The Borney bank removed all its books, money and fixtures and the militia were called out to guard the coin. A number of guests in the Metropolitan narrowly escaped, some having to be lowered from their rooms by ropes.

Will Go to Supreme Court.

Boston, Feb. 24.—Mrs. Frances G. Brigham of New York, the divorced wife of the late Robert B. Brigham, has entered an appeal in the supreme court from the recent decree of the probate court allowing the will of the millionaire hotel keeper. The justice in the probate court declined to recognize Mrs. Brigham's claim, ruling that she was not an heir by virtue of the divorce.

Republicans Have a Clear Track.

Hallowell, Me., Feb. 24.—The Democrats last night had a caucus and decided, owing to the slight interest manifested by the party and the fact that the Republicans since 1891 had placed an indebtedness of from $17,000 to $70,000 on the city, it was best to let them continue in power. It was decided not to place any ticket in the field.

No Early Deliveries.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 24.—The sales in the cloth market during the week amounted to 200,000 pieces, for delivery principally after Aug. 1. It is almost impossible to obtain goods for delivery before that date. The jump of 3-16 in the price of the raw material yesterday has made the market unusually strong at the advanced quotation.

COCKRAN ON ANTI-IMPERIALISM.

Says Badge of Nobility In This Country Should Be the Dinner Pail.

Boston, Feb. 24.—The cause of the anti-imperialists was championed at a mass meeting held in Faneuil hall last night under the auspices of the Anti-Imperialist league. While the attendance was not as large as at some previous popular meetings, the audience was an unusually intelligent body of men and women, and the telling points in the oration of W. Bourke Cockran were generously applauded. Although there were many in the audience who were not in sympathy with the sentiments of the speaker, they applauded his oratory.



W. BOURKE COCKRAN.

Former Governor Boutwell of this state, president of the Anti-Imperialist league, was the presiding officer, and when he appeared upon the platform, accompanied by Mr. Cockran and Edward Atkinson, he was given a round of applause. Upon the platform were men whose anti-imperialist views have gained for them national distinction.

Ex-Governor Boutwell called the meeting to order and delivered from manuscript an address of some length. He declared that England's supremacy was passing away, which led him to remark that one might infer from the applause that the audience was not in favor of an alliance with England. He called attention to the non-partisan character of the meeting and declared that their sole purpose was to defeat imperialism.

At the conclusion of his speech he introduced Mr. Cockran, who was accorded a great reception. At times the audience seemed almost carried away with his eloquence, and when he declared that he would rather "ten thousand times be a traitor with Edmunds and Sherman and Hoar and Boutwell than a traitor with—well, say, Hanna," the applause was terrific. Mr. Cockran's reference to the laboring men, and his statement that "the badge of nobility in this country ought not to be the knapsack, but the dinner pail," was another sentiment that found instant approval from the audience.

Speaking of silver, Mr. Cockran said: "I do not believe the silver issue will enter into this canvass, and in saying this I express no opinion as to what any individual Democratic leader may do, or what all the Democratic leaders combined may wish to do. While it is obvious that the silver question cannot enter into the canvass of 1900, I think that the heart of the party is wedded to it. If in 1904 the political conditions be so changed that success in the presidential election would carry the control of congress, then I think the Democratic party will again declare for free coinage, and then I shall be as ready to support them as I was in 1896."

Problem For Secretary Root.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The secretary of war is confronted with a decision whether or not the United States is in a state of war. In time of peace any United States soldier may purchase his discharge from the army upon certain prescribed conditions. More than two score applications of this kind are now before the department. If it is said that this is a time of peace, that decision might carry with it the reduction of the pay of all the soldiers now in the Philippines by one-half, a contingency that cannot be contemplated without apprehension. War department officials regret that a decision should be required at this time.

A Sister's Sacrifice.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Believing that the hearing of her 14-year-old brother can be restored by a life of self-denial, humility and poverty, Miss Mary Holoway, a beautiful girl of 23, has entered the Order of Poor Clares. For 23 hours out of 24 she may not speak. She may not eat meat, she must wear the coarse garb of mortification, and with her sisters must subsist on the charity of the world. She may not see her father, mother, sisters or brothers save twice a year. She cannot communicate with the outside world. All of its joys, hopes, pleasures and promises she renounces.

Factions Are Wide Apart.

St. John's, Feb. 24.—The politicians of Newfoundland are now finding out that they have raised a larger trouble than can be grappled with easily. Neither of the four factions in the legislature now recognized can command a majority. Neither can form a stable ministry. The outcome of this may be a coalition cabinet.

Youthful Lover Was Despondent.

Salem, Mass., Feb. 24.—It appears probable that unrequited love was the cause of Clifford Ferris' attempt at suicide on Thursday. Ferris is said to have told companions that the young lady with whom he had been going had "turned him down." Clifford is 17 years old. His condition is critical.

Nethersole Hearing Adjourned.

New York, Feb. 24.—At the hearing involving the immorality of the play "Sapho," as presented by Olga Nethersole, a crowd was present, but the magistrate ruled out all except the principals, their counsel and those directly interested. The case was finally adjourned until next Tuesday.

Business Block Wiped Out.

London, Ont., Feb. 24.—London's finest business block, the Masonic temple, was destroyed by fire yesterday. The total loss will reach $250,000. Manager Roote of the opera house barely escaped from the burning building, and his wife was rescued with a ladder from a window.

RISING BRITISH STATESMAN.

Undersecretary For War Looked Upon as the Coming Man In England.

BY HOWARD SPENCE SINCLAIR

Mr. George Wyndham, the British statesman who has risen, like a new Hofer, out of the parliamentary crisis, is hailed by many political prophets as the coming man among the Conservatives.

When the present session opened, Mr. Wyndham faced a task which, next to that set before Mr. Chamberlain, was the most thankless and unpleasant that could be imagined. Mr. Chamberlain, who is held responsible for the war, was called upon to defend the course to which he had committed the empire. It was Mr. Wyndham's duty to explain why the war had not been successfully conducted.

As undersecretary for war Mr. Wyndham is the spokesman in the house of commons for the war office, just as his chief, Lord Lansdowne, speaks for the war office in the house of lords.

While Mr. Chamberlain's effort was received with varying comment there was no doubt at all as to the success of Mr. Wyndham's reply. It was a most remarkable speech. It explained the reverses of the British generals in a most plausible way, promised better things for the future and included a patriotic appeal which shook commons to the core. For the moment party differences have been silenced and a big majority called to the support of the government.

For this and other reasons Mr. Wyndham is interesting. He is young. He has the versatility of great genius. He has not only won honors as a statesman, but as a soldier and as a litterateur. His career has begun most brilliantly.

Mr. Wyndham is the only son of the Hon. Percy Wyndham and grandson



MR. GEORGE WYNDHAM.

of Lord Leconfield, whose wife is a sister of Lord Rosebery. As a youth he passed from Eton to Sandhurst and thence into the Coldstream guards, with which regiment he took part in the Suakin campaign against the dervishes, receiving both the English medal and the khedivial star for his services.

He left the army to become private secretary to his close friend, Arthur Balfour, when the latter was in charge of the Irish department, and attracted public attention by the controversial letters which he published in the various papers in defense of his chief and of the latter's policy.

He soon made a mark for himself at Westminster and ere long was appointed to the financial secretaryship of the war department. The period that the Conservatives were out of office—namely, from 1892 to 1895—he devoted to travel in South Africa, and after thoroughly mastering the problem connected with that part of the world attached himself to the fortunes of Cecil Rhodes, acting as the semiofficial representative of the latter in the house of commons.

He likewise championed the cause of the Colossus on the South African parliamentary committee appointed to investigate the Jameson raid and the affairs of the Chartered company. It was while thus representing Mr. Rhodes that he founded The Outlook, one of the brightest of the London weekly papers, which is popularly supposed to be maintained at the expense of Mr. Rhodes, while its policy is directed and controlled by Mr. Wyndham.

A year ago, when Lord Curzon was promoted from the rank of undersecretary of foreign affairs to the viceroyalty of India and Mr. St. John Brodrick was selected to take his place as assistant to Lord Salisbury, George Wyndham was appointed to the undersecretaryship of state for war, until then occupied by Mr. Brodrick.

Mr. Wyndham has distinguished himself in literature by his so called Tudor translation of "Plutarch" and by his edition of Shakespeare's poems.

Married to the widowed Countess Grosvenor, he is today the stepfather of the young Duke of Westminster, who, as the greatest ground landlord in the United Kingdom, commands an immense amount of territorial influence—an influence which naturally, in view of his youth, is calculated still further to increase the importance of his close friend, mentor and stepfather, George Wyndham.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For Week Beginning Feb. 25. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—The strength of humility.—Luke xviii, 9-14.

The Christian Endeavor prayer meeting topics for the current year provide for the study of the parables of Christ. The first parable presented for our study is this familiar one in prayer, illustrating the weakness of pride and the strength of humility. The scene of the parable is the temple, the characters a Pharisee and a publican. "Two men went up into the temple to pray, the one a Pharisee and the other a publican." Both men prayed. Both men prayed in the temple. But how vastly different were the results of their prayers. One "went down to his house justified rather than the other." To see the cause of these different results we must study the two prayers.

1. The pharisee's prayer. There are two characteristics of this prayer that are prominent: 1. He prayed with himself. Ostensibly the Pharisee went to the temple to pray to God, but he lost sight of God in himself. He "stood and prayed thus with himself." 2. His standard of comparison was man, not God. "I thank Thee that I am not as other men." This false standard led him to exalt himself. He thought that because he was more punctilious in the performance of religious rites and ceremonies than other men he was doing all that God wished him to do; but, alas! he failed to understand that true religion is within and not without. His prayer was rooted and grounded in pride and selfishness. It was not addressed to God, but was a self congratulatory address. He exalted himself, and therefore God humbled him. The sin of pride is one that Christians in particular need to guard themselves against. It is so easy to compare ourselves with others and to conclude that we are better than other men. Let us beware. Let us keep our eyes on God rather than man. If we do that, we will be in no danger of being puffed up with pride.

2. The publican's prayer. "And the publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, 'God be merciful unto me, a sinner.'" One word is written through and through that prayer, the word humility. This man saw himself not through others, but through God. He had a vision of God, and that vision made him see how sinful and how unworthy he was. His sins rose up before him. He realized that he had no just claims upon God, and all he could do, therefore, was to cry out for mercy. "God be merciful unto me, a sinner." A clear vision of God crushes out pride and brings us to a condition of contriteness and humility. Let us get clear visions of God, that we may be kept humble, for then only will we be in position to be exalted. "He that humbleth himself shall be exalted."

This parable illustrates the old truth that God hates the proud, but loves to honor the meek and lowly in mind. Let us therefore cultivate more and more the spirit of humility, and to do so effectively let us judge ourselves by God's standards rather than by man's; let us look within and not without, for "as a man thinketh in his heart so is he."

THE PRAYER MEETING.

Appoint some one to explain and apply the parable, and then have an open meeting, in which each member shall take part as he himself elects.

Bible Readings.—Job xl, 11; Ps. xxxiv, 2; ci, 5; Prov. vi, 16-18; xv, 33; xviii, 12; xxi, 4; xxii, 1-4; Mic. vi, 8; Math. xviii, 1-4; Mark ix, 33-37; x, 35-45; Luke ix, 46-48; xiv, 1-11; Eph. iv, 1-3; Col. iii, 12, 13; Phil. ii, 1-12.

With Larger Eyes.

For God looks on us with larger other eyes than ours. He is not the leader of a sect or the fugleman of a party. He estimates us not by our achievement of orthodoxy, but by our struggle for goodness. To him who believes in Christ and in His righteousness and in a God of light and love difference and agreement on this petty point or that petty point of ritual or doctrine are as trifles—the mere provincialism of ignorance and pride. Every bigot in exact proportion to his feebleness and ignorance revels in the exacerbation of differences, but just in proportion as a man loves God and is like God does he emerge into an upper air, where the divisions between churches do not run and the noise of controversy cannot penetrate.—Rev. F. W. Farrar, D. D., Dean of Canterbury.

The Prodigal.

Friendship is unknown in the far country; flattery and false professions are there in abundance. Every rich prodigal will find in the far country many to praise him and to keep close to him—as long as he is rich. But the essential quality of friendship is constancy, and that is not to be found among the harpies who feed on sin's captives. "A friend loveth at all times," and there are no such friends in the far country. They desert the companion whose substance they have consumed in riotous living and leave him to make friends with the swine.—William T. Ellis.

Giving to the Lord's Cause.

Men need to be awakened to a clear and conscientious conviction of duty and a deep sense of sin to act from a proper motive in giving to the Lord's cause before it will show a truly spiritual state. When the church is revived, there will not need to be much said about giving or the law under which they give. In Pentecostal days there was no pressing the law of tithes or any other law. When the people knew the need, they responded without stopping to consider the proportion the law required of them. That is what all should do still.—Christian Instructor.

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

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Codman Gives Up the Contest.

Boston, Feb. 24.—President D. E. Codman of the Fitchburg road has given up the contest against the proposed lease of the road to the Boston and Maine. This action gives more support to President Tuttle, and weakens Dr. Webb's power in preventing the stockholders from voting affirmatively. Mr. Codman's withdrawal from the opposition to the lease practically concedes Dr. Webb's defeat, and side-tracks his Fitchburg-Rutland scheme for making Boston and New York connections with the latter road.

Got Too Near Rattlesnakes.

Hartford, Feb. 24.—Two men were bitten by a rattlesnake in a saloon here and one of them is at the hospital with only slight chances of recovery. The other man is in a serious condition, but probably will recover. The men were bitten while standing near a cage in which two rattlesnakes were confined. cott.

Russian Cruiser Headed For Persia.

Bombay, Feb. 24.—The Times of India announces that a large Russian cruiser has arrived at Bandar Abbas, on the straits of Ormuz, which connects the Persian gulf with the Arabian sea. The British third-class cruiser Pomone and the British gunboat Sphinx have proceeded thither.

Got Caught In Mill Belt.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 24.—Abram Bedrich was caught in a belt in the Globe yarn mill, and whirled around the main shaft several times. His right arm was torn from its socket, and he sustained other severe injuries. It is thought that his injuries are fatal.

No Clue to Murderer.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 24.—No progress has been made in locating the unknown murderer who shot and killed Antonio Cosato at West Concord Thursday morning. The city of Concord has offered a reward of $300 for the apprehension of the murderer.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

By direction of the president the new military post at Magnolia Bluff, near Seattle, Wash., will hereafter be known as Fort Lawton, in honor of the late General Lawton.

The New York Republican state committee has selected New York city as the place, and April 17 as the time for holding the state convention to elect delegates-at-large to the Republican national convention.

Under the joint resolution of congress the president has appointed Mrs. Daniel Manning as a commissioner to represent the United States and the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the unveiling of the Lafayette statute in Paris, and at the Paris exposition.

Jeremiah Townsend, principal of public school No. 90, Brooklyn, was stricken with paralysis, and died. Mr. Townsend was born in New Haven in 1843. While a boy of 18 Mr. Townsend became a soldier in the Civil war. He was raised to second lieutenant and afterwards was promoted to captain.

Albert H. Bond, ex-president of the Connecticut Life Underwriters' association, died at Hartford, aged 64. Mr. Bond was born in Winchester, Mass.

Sixty thousand tons of Pocahontas coal is now entering the Mediterranean in spite of predictions from eminent authorities in the United States that it was impossible for our coal to compete with English Cardiff coal in that market.

Fire, which before it was extinguished did about $125,000 damage, broke out in the Paris house, a dry goods establishment at Providence.

Three Auctions.

Auctioneer Johnson announces the following sales:—

Monday Feb. 26, mortagees sale of cows, East street, East Weymouth.

Friday March 2, household goods at residence Edwin Murphy, 45 Summer street.

Tuesday, March 6, large sale household goods of the estate of the late Mrs. Richard Wells, Pleasant street, Hingham Centre.

BRAINTREE.

If it is true that the great liquor interests of Boston are attempting to swing Braintree into the license column, every lover of home, law and good order should do his whole duty towards making the "No" so emphatic that it will be heard and felt all over the country.

The rain of Thursday did not stop the lovers of the polished floor from attending the sunlight party given under the auspices of Cuff's orchestra.

The heavy snow storm last Saturday evening did not stop about 25 people from having a good old fashioned time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of Dyer Hill,

Monatiquot lodge, No. 83, K. of P., gave a recital in their hall last evening, at which Mr. Newton Beers gave in monologue Banim's play, "Damon & Pythias."

The postponed meeting of last Sunday evening in Pythian hall will be held tomorrow evening (Sunday), at 7.30. Addresses will be delivered to the Knights of Pythias, Rathbone Sisters and the public. The devotional meeting of the Y. P. C. U. will be held in the hall at 6.30 with Mrs. M. A. Minchin leader. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Ladies' Aid society connected with the South M. E. Church netted about $20 from their recent turkey supper.

Rev. Joseph Kyte left yesterday for Maine, where he has made a new home. His house on Pond street has been rented to a family from Boston.

Alton Oliver expects to be able to resume his duties as motorman on the Q. & B. street railway next week, as he has recovered from his recent illness.

Louis Hollis was the lucky winner at the weekly roll off at the Kenwood alleys Tuesday evening. His three string total on the candle pins was 255.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha G. Annis of Summer street mourn the loss of their thirteen months old baby. The bright boy was born Jan. 12, 1899, and died of pneumonia last Tuesday afternoon. The family have the sympathy of their friends and neighbors.

"Citizens" caucus next Thursday evening at 7.30 in the Town Hall.

A public meeting under the auspices of the Social Democratic party will be held in the Town hall next Tuesday evening. Addresses will be made by Rep. James F. Carey of Haverhill and Margaret Haile of Boston. The popular boy soprano, John Purcell of Boston, will sing. Read the posters.

Mr. Graham has returned from Chili, So. America, to his home on Commercial street.

The Fore River Engine Co. is sending twenty tons of scrap steel to Philadelphia this week.

Admiral Hichborn of Washington, D. C., makes the following official statement "The Fore River Engine company is in advance of all other firms with the sixteen torpedo-boat destroyers the Lawrence standing at 82 per cent and the MacDonough at 80 per cent. The others range all the way down to 8 per cent.

The Jonas Perkins School Association were entertained on Tuesday evening by Mrs. Olive Crocker at her home on Commercial street. Miss Jessie Macgregor gave an amusing sketch on the "Signs of the Times" which was highly appreciated. Mr. Edson read an interesting account of Washington at Valley Forge. The next meeting will be held with the president, John W. West.

The report that appeared in an exchange that the shoe factory of Rice & Hutchins doing business in South Braintree was to be moved to Rockland has been denied by members of that firm.

J. Franklin Bates, a former selectman of this town, is a candidate in the north district for the office held by W. W. Mayhew.

Miss Alice M. Lilly, teacher of Grades 4 and 5 at the Monatiquot school, has accepted a similar position in the public schools of Haverhill.

Saturday night, Feb. 17, Dr. Gallagher attended a dinner at the Algonquin Club of Boston, complimentary to Speaker Myers, given by his classmates of the class of 1869 of Harvard.

The members of the Merrymount whist club were entertained by Miss Olive Pratt at her home on Franklin street Monday evening. There was a large gathering of members from this town and Quincy.

TODAY'S COURT.

Alden H. Holbrook was fined $7 for drunkenness at Quincy.

The continued case of Albert T. Hollingshead for non support was called and he was defaulted.

Edward S. Gibson was arraigned for the embezzlement of $90 from Mary E. Oakley at Milton. He was held in $300 for the grand jury.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
March 1.	Salvatore DiBona,	John and Catherine
1.	Ardinando Bonfigli,	Vitale and Ida
1.	Gerald Joseph Hurley,	Timothy J. and Jane L.
2.	Cellina Belivean,	Frank and Mary L.
2.	Eva Anderson,	Axel and Anna
2.	Alice Horrigan,	Peter and Mary
3.	Lillian Bicknell Spear,	Harry P. and Rose T.
3.	——— Mullen,	James and Catherine
4.	Marion Kemp,	Alexander R. L. and Mary
4.	Mary Ethel Osborne,	Charles A. and Catherine M.
6.	Flora Ann McKay,	Allen D. and Mary B.
6.	Andrew William Herbert Johnson,	Andrew J. and Elizabeth
6.	Robert Giardino,	Cumming and Evangeline
7.	Joseph Francis Hughes,	William P. and Anna
8.	Angus John Martin,	Charles K. and Catherine
8.	William Buckley,	John and Bessie
8.	Grace Josephine Goodhue,	J. Frank and Mary E.
8.	Philip Behan Kelliher,	Daniel and Katie
9.	Evelyn Ely,	Archibald H. and Jennie M.
9.	Harold Eugene Westcott,	Edward and Florence
9.	——— Illegitimate,	
10.	John Doyle,	John and Margaret
10.	Margaret Alice Meehan,	Walter J. and Alice M.
10.	Mary Louise Meehan,	Walter J. and Alice M.
11.	Gertrude Rose Crowley,	Cornelius and Nellie
11.	John Wilson,	Lars and Mary
12.	Aloysius Burkhardt,	Aloysius and Mary
12.	Carl Russell Nelson,	John T. and Alfreda
12.	Laura Edith Wight,	Gilbert M. and Margaret
13.	Edward Bryan,	John and Ellen
14.	Gertrude Cecilia Petipit,	Dennis J. and Catherine
15.	——— Curtin,	Edward J. and Catherine
16.	Meekie,	John and Matilda
16.	Camilla Della Trichi,	Antonio and Natalie
16.	Stillborn.	
17.	Margaret McDougall,	Daniel and Bridget
17.	Kenneth Ross Field,	George W and Annie S.
17.	Edith E. Petterson,	Oscar and Gertrude
17.	Lillian Gertrude Sanborn,	Eben and Lillian F.
18.	Richard De La Rocco,	Antonio and Josephine
19.	——— Monti,	Elias and Josephine
20.	Amelia Mezzlai,	Amabile and Camilli
20.	———Carlson,	Eric and Sophia
20.	Mabel Collins,	John J. and Mary J.
20.	Carl Selim Carlson,	Victor and Adelina
21.	Alice Good,	Michael and Susie
22.	Carl Erik Anderson,	Charles and Annie
22.	Grace Murphy,	Arthur B. and Elizabeth J.
22.	Alfred Locanni,	AbelC. and Gioalmina
22.	Margaret Evelyn Hartrey,	Michael J. and Frances S.
24.	Romeo Aguzzalio,	Romeo and Lucy
24.	Margaret Mary Flaherty,	Edward and Helen
24.	Agnes Virginia Fay,	Patrick and Margaret
24.	William Ferriter,	Michael and Catherine
24.	Gladys Viola Hirtle,	Lemuel K. and Sarah E.
24.	Leo Harold Doucett,	Joseph and Katherine
25.	James McDonald,	James and Sarah
25.	Wallace Nilson Heath,	Walter and Lottie
25.	Arthur Di Bona,	Benjamin and Mary
26.	Murel Fratus,	John and Gertrude
26.	Frank Clare Foss,	George H. and Jennie
27.	Adele Catto,	Charles and Adele
27.	Dorothy May Fratus,	Joseph and Emma L.
28.	James Fountain,	Ferma and Juditha
28.	Jennie Margaret Byron,	John J. and Mary T.
29.	Leah Gladys Hamm,	Thomas G. and Alice
29.	Carl Elmer Asklund,	Charles and Sholfin
29.	——— Ninchelson,	Samuel and Mary
30.	——— Hinchon,	Jeremiah and Elizabeth
30.	William Patrick Fitzgerald,	John J. and Margaret
30.	Jane Margery Torrey,	Frederick and Fannie

(To be continued.)

WEYMOUTH.

Next Wednesday, Feb. 28, will be Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, and there will be service with address in Trinity church, Weymouth, at 7.45 P. M. The extra services during Lent will be on Wednesdays and Fridays at 7.45. The Sunday services are at 10.30 A. M., and 7.30 P. M.

The Parish Guild of Trinity church, Weymouth, will hold its next meeting with Mrs. E. A. Parlee, Norfolk Hills, East Braintree, on Thursday evening, March 1.

The First Universalist church of Weymouth held a parish meeting recently and extended a call to Rev. Melvin S. Nash of Norwell to become its pastor. Mr. Nash is a wide-awake preacher and if he decides to live in Weymouth, that parish will prosper under his care.

The following nomination for candidates for town officers by the Republicans are as follows:

Selectmen, and Overseer of the Poor, George L. Newcomb, Nelson W. Gardner, Charles E. Bicknell, Bradford Hawes and Gordon Willis.

Assessors, H. A. Nash, Jr., John W. Bates, F. H. Cowing, Gilman B. Loud and George L. Torrey.

Town Clerk, John A. Raymond.

☞No more interesting innovation in a newspaper has been made in recent years than the pictorial section, which is now a fixed feature of The Boston Sunday Herald. Uulike many attempts made in the same direction, The Herald varies the character of the contents each issue in a way to create a fresh interest in it. The comic element is bright and original, and furnishes enough food for merriment to last a week. The Herald is certainly advancing in all the departments which have made it New England's greatest newspaper, and in the new departure, upon which we have laid special stress, The Herald should not only win the approval of The Herald's old chentele, but attract a host of new readers, who seek a few rays of intellectual sunshine in the gray landscape of The Herald's splendid exhibition of the news gathering and editorial management. The Herald is never dull, but so dignified a paper has not always been as welcome to the masses as it should now become. Those of our readers who are not acquainted with The Boston Sunday Herald as it is now made should secure next Sunday's issue.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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During the fifty-four years of its business life the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company has had an average expense rate of but 8.9 per cent. This record is one that is unmatched in insurance annals. The company had a healthy growth rather than a hectic one in 1889, and its statement shows a surplus reserve of $7,208,341, which to the policy holder is the most important feature, as it is his bulwark of safety. The company's assets of $64,583,939 are so well invested that over $60,000,000 are in bonds, real estate, or first mortgages. Its payments for death claims, in dividends and for surrendered policies aggregated $6,121.363, of which $1,265,334 was distributed in dividends among its 67,649 policy holders. Policies in force amount to $160,432,486 and the ratio of expense of management to receipts was but 11.51 per cent. for the year. Conservatism has always been a characteristic of the management and the years showing can but be gratifying to the members of this truly mutual company.

Castle Square Theatre.

The management of the Castle Square theatre announce as next week's attractiom at this house, beginning the 26th inst., a dramatic version of Dr. A. Conan Doyle's novel "The firm of Girdlestone." This story is one of those which first called attention to this now famous author, and its intensely dramatic character makes it an admirable foundation for an interesting play. The dramatic version has been done by Messrs. Walter H. Dugan, Henry D. Coolidge and Arthur L. Griffin, all of Boston, and they have given their best efforts in the concise form of the drama which tells the story of the novel in five acts and ten scenes. The opportunities for realistic stage pictures have been fully improved by the Castle Square theatre management, and the scene of the shipwreck promises to excel all previous work of this class in the production of this theatre. The cast of the leading characters will be: John Girdlestone, J. L. Seeley; Ezra Girdlestone, N. H. Fowler; Thomas Dimsdale, Stanley Kent; Major Tobias Clutterbuck, John Craig; Peter Von Baumser, Charles Mackay; Edward Farintosh, Lindsay Morison; Kate Harston, Lillian Lawrence; Mrs. Letitia Scully, Leonora Bradley; Jarrocks, Leonora Gnito. The usual distribution of boxes of choice chocolate bon bons will be made at the Monday matinee.

Real Estate Sales.

James M. Cleverly to Thomas W. Murphy, $1.

Thomas J. Dumphy to James F. Cleverly, $1.

Harlow H. Rogers to Carmine P. Gardner (3) $3.

John H. Storer et al. trs. to Frederick C. Moseley, $1.

W. Ward Keene to Robert L. McPherson, $1.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

SHROBE SUNDAY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, — Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Morning prayer and sermon to the children at 10.30. Because of the severe storm, the children's service was not held last Sunday. All of the children of the parish are asked to meet in the parish house at 10.15 A. M. Offering for Diocesan Missions. Confirmation class will be formed at 12 M. At 3.30 P. M., the rector will speak in the Y. M. C. A. rooms on "St Andrew." At 7 P. M., evening prayer and second and last address on the "British-Boer war."

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Teachers' meeting at chapel on Tuesday evening at 7.30.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Friction in society." Bible School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening service at 7.30. Address: "Applied christianity in the slums of a great city," by the Rev. C. L. D. Younkin of Boston. All seats free.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 P. M., by pastor. Sunday School at 3.45 P. M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Professional ideals, law, journalism, business." Leader, Herbert Holmes.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "Life's double blessedness." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "The Foot Lamp." Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street —Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. Wm. E. Kimble, D. D. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Fort Square — Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "The evil of fear." Sabbath School and Bible class at 11.45 A. M. Exposition of the Sabbath school lesson at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "David." Mid-week service Thursday at 7.30 P. M. All cordially invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street —Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The unrevealed future of Christians." Sabbath School and pastor's Bible class at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "What ails the laboring class of Quincy?" The Rev. B. W. Farris, a popular colonial preacher in Boston, will preach on Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by pastor. Sunday School at 11.45. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting of Epworth League at 6.15. Evening service at 7. Class meeting Tuesday, and prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward A. Chase, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor, Subject: "The Palace Beautiful." (Repeated by request.) Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "A master musician."

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Preston Gurney, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "30, 60, 100." Sunday School at 12.10 P. M. Evening service at 7.30.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Frank Wright Pratt, pastor. Morning service. at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4. All cordially invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "A portrait of Jesus." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Current events." Friday evening service at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

Keith's Theatre.

With a fertility of resource that seems to have no limit the Keith management is reaching out into all fields of entertainment for the best artists that can be secured to please theatregoers, and incorporating them in the admirable form of vaudeville that has grown up under Mr. Keith's direction. The latest acquisition is Marie Wainwright, one of the best known and most accomplished of American actresses, who is booked for a first appearence in vaudville in Boston on Mohday next, Feb. 26, when she will present a one-act dramatic sketch, by Theodore Kremer, entitled, "Josephine vs. Napoleon." Miss Wainwright will be supported by Benjamin Horning and Chas. B. Poor. Some of the other entertainers booked to appear on the same date are: Conroy and McDonald, Irish comedians, and singers and dancers; De Haven and May, a couple of talented juveniles, in a delightful singing and dancing sketch; the Bells, a trio of wonderful acrobats and tumblers; Sheridan and Flanagan, blackface comedians and singers; Arvello, the great equilibrist and novelty gymnast; and Smith and Cook, acrobatic comedians. "The Girl with the Auburn Hair" will begin the fourth week of her successful engagement. The popularity of this act has been unprecedented in the annals of vaudeville, and if it were not the advance engagements, which cannot be deferred, she might remain a reigning favorite for months. Clergymen and choir singers have been particularly interested in the beautiful act, and have unreservedly praised it. Robert Hilliard and company, in the delightful one-act play, "The Littlest Girl," are underlined for the week of March 5.

Sportsman's Show.

The Massachusetts Sportsman's Association are holding a show in the Mechanics building, Boston. It opened Thursday and will continue until March 10. It is drawing large crowds, for the attractions are great. Many of our citizens have been there and they advise all to be sure and take it in.

OVARIAN TROUBLES.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cures Them—Two Letters from Women.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I write to tell you of the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me. I was sick in bed about five weeks. The right side of my abdomen pained me and was so swollen and sore that I could not walk. The doctor told my husband I would have to undergo an operation. This I refused to do until I had given your medicine a trial. Before I had taken one bottle the swelling began to disappear. I continued to use your medicine until the swelling was entirely gone. When the doctor came he was very much surprised to see me so much better."—MRS. MARY SMITH, Arlington, Iowa.



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I was sick for two years with falling of the womb, and inflammation of the ovaries and bladder. I was bloated very badly. My left limb would swell so I could not step on my foot. I had such bearing down pains I could not straighten up or walk across the room and such shooting pains would go through me that I thought I could not stand it. My mother got me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and told me to try it. I took six bottles and now, thanks to your wonderful medicine, I am a well woman."—MRS. ELSIE BRYAN, Otisville, Mich.

PUBLIC HEARING.

CITY OF QUINCY.

In Council, Feb. 19, 1900.

ORDERED. On the petitions of the Quincy and Boston Street Railway Co., by its Board of Directors, for a location for the extension of the tracks of said company, beginning at the present location of tracks at a point near the junction of Coddington and Canal streets, where the new laying out of Sea street diverges from Sea street, as it formerly existed, thence running over and along the part of Sea street newly laid out to the intersection of the original location near the premises occupied by Joseph W. Dennen, also the location of a second track beginning at a point where the newly laid out portion of Sea street intersects Sea street as formerly existing, near premises occupied by Joseph W. Dennen, thence over and along said Sea street to the place where the tracks leave the highway near the premises called "the willows;" also for the location of tracks for a turnout at the junction of Coddington and Canal streets.

Also, that on account of the rebuilding and change of grade of Coddington and Sea streets, public necessity and convenience require the alteration of the present locations of tracks of said company between a point in its present location of tracks on Washington street, nearly opposite the intersection of Coddington street and the point where the present location of tracks intersects the northerly line of Sea street, as now existing near the southwesterly corner of the Mount Wollaston Cemetery, also between the point where the newly laid out portion of Sea street intersects Sea street, as formerly existing, near the premises occupied by Joseph W. Dennen, and the place where the tracks leave the highway near the premises called "the willows," all as shown by a plan now on file with the City Council, together with the right to build all necessary turnouts, erect all necessary poles and string all necessary wires for the proper operation of its cars by electric motive power, that a public hearing be given by the City Council to all parties interested, on MONDAY Evening, March 12th, 1900, at 8 o'clock, in the Council chamber, City Hall building, and that public notice of the same be given by publishing a copy of this order in the Quincy Daily Ledger and Quincy Advertiser at least fourteen days before the time of said hearing.

Adopted Feb. 19, 1900.

Attest: CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR,
Clerk of Council.

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CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Assessors will meet at Crty Hall, on THURSDAYS of each week from 9 until 11 A. M., for the transaction of all business that may come before them for the ensuing year.

Per order of the Board,
JAMES THOMPSON,
Principal Assessor.

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eb. 19, 1900.

CHRISTOPHER A. SPEAR, Clerk of Council. 2t

CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

s hereby given that the Board of rs will meet at Crty Hall, on S of each week from 9 until 11 transaction of all business that re them for the ensuing year. of the Board,

JAMES THOMPSON, Principal Assessor. lp-2w

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

ATTACKS ON ROBERTS

Indicate That Reinforcements Have Succeeded In Reaching Cronje.

Buller Meeting With Severe Resistance In Natal.

Montmorency's Scouts Meet With Disaster, the Captain Himself Being Killed.

London, Feb. 26.—The fact, as indicated by the latest dispatches, that Boer reinforcements for Cronje are now strong enough to make repeated attacks in force on General Roberts' troops has added another element of uncertainty to the situation.

Last evening there was considerable disappointment because the surrender of Cronje, which had been regarded as imminent for several days, had not yet been announced. It is believed in many quarters now that probably Roberts has to employ a large part of his force in fighting off the Boer reinforcements arriving from Natal and Cape Colony, and that accordingly he cannot press Cronje so closely as he otherwise would.

Lord Roberts has already captured over 500 Boers, and, at this rate, he will soon have quite a respectable array of prisoners to hold as hostages for the 3000 British already in Pretoria.

General Cronje's refusal to accept the offer of Lord Roberts to allow the women and children to pass through the lines indicates either that the position is less desperate than has been supposed or that he has been able to dig an absolutely safe place for them.

Everything goes to show that General Buller's advance is most stubbornly contested and most cautiously carried out.

It is hoped that he will soon be in a position where General White will be able to assist him materially.

The campaign is now approaching a most interesting phase. In about a fortnight the congress of the Afrikander Bund will meet, and it is rumored that Mr. Hofmeyer will then propose peace terms on the basis of the republic's retaining absolute independence, but offering to disarm. If these terms are rejected it is understood that a manifesto will be boldly issued to the Dutch throughout South Africa, calling upon them to throw off their allegiance to Great Britain.

Probably these rumors are exaggerated, but there is no doubt that the greatest anxiety prevails in Cape Town regarding coming events.

The latest dispatches from South Africa show that Boer relief forces advancing to reinforce General Cronje are now strong enough to make repeated attacks on Roberts' outposts. The fact that he has not yet been able to compel Cronje's surrender is thought by some of the war experts to be probably due to the fact that he has his hands full trying to fight off the Boer reinforcements. Another opinion advanced is that Cronje's position is much stronger than had been supposed.

The war office publishes the following dispatch from Lord Roberts:

Paardeberg, Feb. 24, 12:20 p. m.—Parties of Boers recently arrived from Natal attacked our outposts in force again yesterday. They lost a good many killed and wounded and nearly 100 prisoners, including a commandant and three field cornets. Our casualties were four officers wounded, nine men killed, 23 men wounded and two men missing. On Feb. 21 and 22 one officer and 13 men were wounded. Six men were wounded yesterday by hollow-nosed Mauser bullets. The nickel case is slit with four slits, making the projectile of the most expansive and explosive nature possible. A wounded Boer brought to our hospital yesterday had 60 of these bullets in his pockets. During the advance to and at Kimberley the casualties were: Officers, two killed, 13 wounded; men, four killed, 78 wounded.

A reconnoissance Saturday in force under General Gatacre, with eight guns, found the Boers occupying a ridge three miles beyond Molteno, in the Stormberg direction. Montmorency's scouts charged the Boers, who crept around the scouts' flank, pouring in a deadly fire. The scouts were finally compelled to retire, having lost heavily. Fourteen are missing. General Gatacre has issued a divisional order announcing the killing of Captain Montmorency, commanding Montmorency's scouts, and Lieutenant Colonel F. H. Hoskier of the Third Middlesex volunteer artillery. The reconnoissance was valuable and would have been satisfactory had it not been for the unfortunate disaster to the scouts, with whom Lieutenant Colonel Hoskier happened to be. Their loss was four killed and many wounded and missing.

It is reported that the Boers were in strength at Fourteen Streems, to the north of Kimberley, on Wednesday, having two guns and many wagons. They had destroyed the bridge over the Vaal river.

The Times publishes the following from Paardeberg, dated Feb. 21: General Cronje's forces have good cover from the British artillery fire and have considerable stores of provisions.

Spenser Wilkinson, reviewing the military situation in The Morning Post, says: The probabilities that the Boers have not been able to collect a large force to attack Lord Roberts, General Cronje's surrender may occur at any moment. But the Boer commander knows what he is doing. He is not sacrificing lives for nothing. Every day he can hold out means a delay of a day in Lord Roberts' advance, and the gain of a day for the besiegers of Ladysmith. Therefore, Lord Roberts is acting rightly in tightening his grip in order to hasten the removal of General Cronje's force and General Buller's steady advance is the best help that can be given Lord Roberts.

AFTER SIX WEEKS' MOURNING.

Widow of General Penn Symons Marries a Subaltern Half Her Own Age.

London, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Penn Symons, widow of the late General Penn Symons, who was killed in the battle of Glencoe under tragic circumstances a little over six weeks ago, has married again.

The general and his wife had been separated for some time. Her second husband is a subaltern, half her own age. They are now honeymooning in South Europe.

The queen is intensely indignant at this marriage, after the special marks of sympathy and favor she had tendered to Mrs. Symons, securing for her, among other things, by special royal warrant an extra pension, to which, according to strict rules, the circumstances of her husband's death did not entitle her.

Disaster Overtook Whole Family.

Buffalo, Feb. 26.—A Geneva special to the Buffalo Courier says shortly after midnight Saturday the midnight express on the Lehigh Valley struck a carriage containing seven persons at Tuttle's crossing, about 25 miles east from Rochester, instantly killing five of the occupants, fatally injuring another and badly bruising the other. The dead are Mrs. Amy Smith, a son and three daughters. Porter Smith, husband of Mrs. Smith, and another son were the ones injured.

May Never Be Brought to Trial.

New Haven, Feb. 26.—Jesse H. Bailey of Springfield, Mass., who is accused of embezzling funds to the amount of $10,000 belonging to the bankrupt estate of Spaulding & Pepper, bicycle manufacturers, of Chicopee, Mass., lies at the point of death, with hardly a chance of his recovery. The officers who have been keeping the man under surveillance since his arrest have been withdrawn, and Bailey's wife and son are at his bedside. He is suffering from pneumonia.

Ferraro Has Become Docile.

New York, Feb. 26.—The execution of Antonio Ferraro in the electric chair at Sing Sing is set for this week, and it is almost certain that it will take place today. Farraro, contrary to expectations, is now calm, and says he will go to the chair without trouble. This is more than was expected. The loss of all hope has worked a wonderful change in the man.

Thought to Be Shaky.

Boston, Feb. 26.—The town hall in Brookline, a magnificent structure, and which was built 25 years ago at a cost of $225,000, has been judged unsafe. Experts fear that the sagging of heavy trusses in the upper part of the building have left the roof supports in rather questionable shape. The matter will be brought before the citizens in town meeting.

The Philippine Commissioners.

Washington, Feb. 26.—It is officially announced that four of the five members of the new Philippine commission have been selected. They are Judge Taft of Ohio, Luke E. Wright of Tennessee, H. C. Ide of Vermont and Dean Worcester of Michigan. The fifth member will be announced later. It is generally believed he will be Bernard Moses of California.

Pointers Furnished by Boer War.

Berlin, Feb. 26.—In German military circles it is believed that the lessons taught by the Boer war will make a large increase necessary in the German cavalry, and will also lead to a thorough change of cavalry tactics, eliminating massed charges, of which Emperor William showed himself so fond at the recent army maneuvers.

Becomes a Baptist.

New York, Feb. 26.—Rev. Dr. Madison C. Peters appeared yesterday for the last time as pastor of the Bloomingdale Reformed church. He has parted with the church on a question of doctrine, and in the future will be of the Baptist sect. He has made no arrangements to assume pastoral relations with any church.

Life In Kentucky.

Whitesburg, Ky., Feb. 26.—In a free fight which occurred at a dance at Pounds Gap, John W. Newberry was shot and killed; Ed Newberry, his brother, was fatally wounded; Luella Mullins, aged 18, was stabbed three times with a dirk and cannot recover. Mrs. Mullins was severely bruised and a man named Keller was shot in the knee. Mullins has been arrested.

Church Destroyed by Fire.

Leicester, Mass., Feb. 26.—At an early hour Sunday morning lightning struck the steeple of the First Congregational church, causing a fire which completely destroyed the building. The loss is about $30,000. The church was one of the largest edifices of its kind in the state. It was built in 1865, and $5000 was spent in repairs last summer.

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HER HULL IS PIERCED.

Seafaring Men Doubt Whether the Steamer Californian Can Be Saved.

Went Ashore Shortly After Leaving Portland Harbor.

Passengers Remained Aboard Rather Than Be Transferred In Rough Sea.

Portland, Me., Feb. 26.—Steamer Californian, bound out from this port for Glasgow, via Halifax, went ashore on Ram island ledge, half way between Portland Head light and Cape Elizabeth light, early Sunday morning.

The Californian was in charge of Pilot Parsons. The wind was blowing hard from the southeast and was accompanied at the time by heavy rain. There was a heavy sea running. Pilot Parsons left the ship on reaching the bell buoy, off Cushing's island point, after he gave the officers of the ship the correct course. Within 10 minutes after the Californian was hard and fast aground on Ram Island ledge. This is a reef which runs out from Ram island. For some reason, which has not yet been satisfactorily explained, the ship had got several points off her course when she struck.

As soon as she struck bombs were fired, rockets sent up and coloredlights burned. The rockets were observed by the patrol men at the Cape Elizabeth life saving station, but on account of the severe gale and high sea they were unable to render the steamer any assistance.

About 10 o'clock Sunday forenoon the life saving boat from the Cape Elizabeth life saving station arrived, on trucks, at Fort Williams, about seven miles from the station. The life savers put off for the steamer, intending to transfer the passengers from the steamer to the tug Piedmont. Some of the women passengers desired to be transferred, but on seeing the manner in which the lifeboat pitched and rolled, they decided not to leave the ship.

Most of the local seafaring men are of the opinion that the rocks have penetrated the bottom of the vessel in several places, and they doubt very much if she can be saved. Captain Barclay says that the hold is full of water, the fires extinguished, there is a heavy sea and the passengers are perfectly safe. They elected not to be transferred.

The ship is lying under the lee of Ram island and the ledge, and although the waves are breaking with great force the ledge acts as a breakwater and protects the ship, which is lying motionless. The passengers will probably be taken off today, without danger.

This was the third trip the Californian has made this season from this port. She was bound to Glasgow by way of Halifax. She arrived in Portland the latter part of last week. Her cargo was about 3000 tons, and was valued at $300,000.

There are six cabin, five intermediate and 10 steerage passengers, beside a crew of 75 men.

The steamship State of California, now named the Californian, was launched near Glasgow in 1891 for transport service. Her length is 400 feet, beam 46 feet and depth 32 feet, 8 inches. Her tonnage capacity is 5300 tons. She is divided into eight compartments, the bulkheads of which are all carried to the upper decks. These, with the cellular double bottom, ensure the greatest amount of safety in case of accident. The engines are of the latest high-pressure, triple-expansion type, capable of propelling the ship at an average speed of 14 knots per hour. She is valued at $500,000.

The cabin accommodations are situated near the middle of the vessel, and are capable of accommodating 160 passengers.

Croker's Return Delayed.

New York, Feb. 26.—Richard Croker has been compelled to defer his return to America until the latter part of May because of the wound received by him when thrown from a horse at Wantage. The Tammany chief is still on crutches, but is hopeful of laying them aside within a few weeks.

Accidentally Killed Brother.

Montpelier, Vt., Feb. 26.—Homer Martin was attempting to knock off a binding pole that held a pile of wood when the axe flew from his hand and struck his brother Frank, aged 10, in the neck, making a gaping wound. He died before a physician arrived.

Charged With Manslaughter.

Boston, Feb. 26.—Edward W. McCaffrey is under arrest on the charge of manslaughter. On Thursday afternoon John E. Avery, a lawyer, was knocked down by an undertaker's wagon driven by McCaffrey and received injuries from which he died Saturday.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

A cold wave extended over the Atlantic coast districts Saturday night and Sunday. This cold wave was attended by freezing temperature and heavy frost Sunday morning to southern Georgia. Fair weather prevails generally east of the Rocky mountains, although snow is reported in areas in the lake regions. The temperature will moderate from the Mississippi valley to the Atlantic coast today. The weather will continue to moderate in New England tomorrow, and conditions are likely to favor snow. Storm signals are displayed on the Atlantic coast from Delaware breakwater to Eastport, and advisory messages have been sent to west gulf ports.

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BROOKS & AMES,

Quincy, Feb. 17. tf

CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

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Per order of the Board,

JAMES THOMPSON, Principal Assessor.

Feb. 15. lp-2w

H. A. HAYDEN,

Piano Tuner.

Quincy Office, C. F. Pettengill's Jewelry Store, 126 Hancock street.

Residence, No. 5 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point.

Oct. 6 tf

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AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,

Office, 4 Chestnut St., Quincy, Mass

Aug. 17. tf

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	25	20	30	49	43
Monday,	23	30	34	40	32
Tuesday,	—	34	52	43	28
Wednesday,	—	45	38	39	30
Thursday,	—	41	50	40	27
Friday,	—	39	41	42	54
Saturday,	—	45	41	40	52

New Advertisements Today.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Couches.
Geo. W. Jones—The Leading Shoe Store.
The Quincy Second-Hand Store Co.
Pianos Tuned and Adjusted.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Carpetings.
First-Class Dressmaking—Mrs. George A. Chellius,
Parker's "Perfect-Folding" Sash Shade.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Gradually the holidays are being monopolized for celebrations by certain organizations or interests, and Washington's birthday seems now to be especially appropriated by the churches.—Somerville Journal.

☞ Massachusetts loves her senior senator, not for but in spite of, his faults. The distinction should not be forgotten by the crowd of cheap, would-be imitators of the grand old man. —Portsmouth Journal.

☞ Mayor Hart will serve the city of Boston well if he sticks to his determination to prevent the proposed junket of the City Council to the Paris Exposition. Boston can send a far more satisfactory exhibit than a batch of Common Councilmen.—Beacon.

☞ The Boston city printing plant, according to the Advertiser, can charge more for printing ordinary documents than an ordinary office would get for printing editions de luxe. From this we gather that the Boston printing plant is more of a success for its managers than for the city.—Brockton Enterprise.

☞ The city of Chicago is fast forging ahead in the matter of municipal ownership, the latest innovation being a municipal pawnshop, which is said to be earning fair interest upon the capital invested. This means that the Chicago aldermen have still another source of revenue from which to draw upon in the event of a shortage.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞ The anniversary Feb. 22, just ten days later than another one, strongly reminds us of the fact that in our four hundred years of history, or one hundred, if you prefer, we have only two names, so great that all agree. One of these belongs to the southern blood, and one to a mixture of northern and southern. Both of them are MEN and proved themselves in great crises. In a sense it is discouraging to think that in all the years of the past only two have received such an unanimous election at home and abroad to such honors. At this rate of progress we must wait half a century for a trio.—Sciolus in Milford Gazette.

☞ We believe the general condition of the schools to be satisfactory. The last 10 years have brought about much change and development in our system of instruction. More emphasis has been laid on the strengthening of the mental powers, the reason, the observation, the perception, and less on the simple acquirement of information. It may be found that the pupils are less sure of their spelling, slower in repeating their multiplication tables and their tables of measures, but they know what multiplication means and they know how to measure a pint and a quart. They may not give us a long list of the branches of the Mississippi river, but they will tell why it flows from north to south, and why St. Louis is the principal city on its banks. There is an apparent neglect of the memory in this system which was formerly the mental power most used in the schools, but we try to store our childrens' memories with poetry, with the habits of birds and plants and trees, and with these things, that will enrich their lives. While we do not underrate the importance of accurate spelling and adding and multiplying for the business of life, we believe that such acquirements are not the most important results that the schools should show, but that to give the pupils the power and the desire to use their minds on whatever subject lies before them, is the essential part of school training.—Brookline School Report.

A Dangerous Bed.

Steam railroads or street railway tracks are bad places for a person to lay upon and go to sleep, especially if they are under the influence of liquor, and but for the quick work of the motorman of the midnight car for Quincy Point, Saturday night, one man would have found it out to his sorrow. The train Saturday night was late, and the street lights had gone out when the car started. As it approached the Foster street crossing, Motorman Spear saw something on the track, and by quick work brought the car to a sudden stop.

An examination was made and it was found that a drunken man lay across the tracks, his head resting on one rail and a foot upon the other. It was also seen that a serious accident had been narrowly averted, for the fender of the car touched the man's body. Had the car gone three feet further before it stopped, the man would have been under the wheels, and probably been killed. It was raining hard at the time, and but for the watchfulness of the motorman a horrible accident would have certainly resulted. The man was removed from his perilous position and taken in charge by his friends. As he has probably learned a lesson he will not soon forget, his name is withheld.

A Musical Treat.

No effort has been spared to make the choir boys' concert tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, the artistic success of the season. Great interest is being manifested in Boston, Braintree and Brockton, and a fair evening will see Music Hall filled with a most interesting audience.

We quote the following with regard to the bass soloist for this concert from our neighbor the Pittsfield Call: "

"As to Mr. Mills, a mere criticism fails to do justice to the excellent execution of his part, and his audience were enthusiastic as well as charmed with his singing."

"The North Adams Transcript, Mass., says: "The songs chosen for the recital gave Mr. Mills varied opportunities for displaying his abilities both intellectually and technically. In delicacy of expression he left nothing to be desired and was successful in displaying those elements of repose and evenness of delivery so necessary to the artist and so rarely found.

You cannot afford to miss this rare musical treat.

Injured in Colorado.

Word was received by the police this morning that Charles H. Flowers of Quincy, jumped or fell from a train in Colorado on Sunday and was badly, but not critically injured. Mr. Flowers went to California two months ago for his health, and it is thought that he was on his way home. He is married, his wife living at South Quincy.

Grand Concert.

GIVEN by the Combined Boy Choirs of Christ Church, Quincy, and St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, for the Choir Boys' Camp Fund.

Sir John Stainer's Famous Cantata,

"THE DAUGHTER OF JAIRUS"

And a Miscellaneous Programme will be rendered. Mr. E. Landis Snyder, Director.

Soloists: MRS. H. Y. FOLLETT, Soprano of Trinity church, Boston; MR. SILAS R. MILLS, Basso, of Smith College, Northampton, Mass., and MR. A. W. FERGUSON, Tenor, of Boston. Accompanist, MR. GEO. DUNHAM, Brockton, Mass.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 21, 1900.

THE Committee on Roads and Bridges will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 963, for a new bridge over Weymouth Fore river, at room No. 426, State House, on TUESDAY, Feb. 27th, at 11.30 o'clock A. M.

SAMUEL S. GLEASON, Chairman.
W. S. O'BRIEN, Clerk of the Committee.
Feb. 24. 2t

THE QUINCY POINT BRIDGE.

Norfolk and Plymouth Counties or the State Should Assume Cost of Rebuilding.

The Widening of the Draw Means Considerable for the Progress of State and the Counties.

The following article is a continuation of the article of Saturday on the bill in the Legislature for the rebuilding of the Quincy Point bridge.

Weymouth Fore River, which this bridge crosses at its mouth, is a tributary of Hingham bay, the dividing line between Quincy and Weymouth, and one of the most important water crosses on the south coast of Massachusetts Bay. It is navigable at low water for vessels not exceeding 18 feet draft for 4 miles from its mouth, and for a farther distance of 3 miles to the head of navigation at least 3 feet depth, was founded at mean low water before its improvement. For over ten years the government has been improving this river. The original project was submitted Dec. 2, 1889. It proposed to improve the natural channel of the river by dredging, so that 6 feet depth at mean low water could be carried to the head of navigation in a channel 100 feet wide to near the wharves at Weymouth Landing; thence to Braintree bridge 80 feet wide, and above the bridge 50 feet wide, with increased width at each turn to facilitate the movement of vessels. The total length of channel to be improved was 7,000 feet, and the cost was estimated at $40,000.

As originally laid out the character of commerce to be benefited by this improvement when it was projected in 1889 was the commerce in the supply of coal, lumber and general merchandise to the populous district surrounding it. The annual value of this commerce approximates $750,000 annually.

In the meantime Thomas A. Watson with F. O. Wellington established the Fore River Engine Works on the banks of the river at East Braintree. The enterprise was a success from the start; from building yachts and yacht engines the concern suddenly found itself thrust into national prominence in its particular line of business in September 1898, by being awarded by the Navy Department a contract to build two torpedo boat destroyers, the Lawrence and the Macdonough. The contract price of each vessel was $281,000. The dimensions of the boats were identical,—load water line 242 ft. 3 in., beam 22 ft. 3 in., draft 6 ft. 2 in. They are equipped with twin screws, vertical inverted triple expansion engines of 8,400 horse power, water tube boilers. The contract called for a speed of not less than 30 knots an hour.

The boats are now nearly ready to launch. The work was so satisfactorily done that when the department asked for bids for six second class cruisers, the concern filed a bid which was accepted. If the government had not improved Fore River, the depth of water opposite the works, would have probably precluded it from filing the bid.

The contract being awarded to the Company and there being sufficient depth of water to float the cruiser, the question arose as to the width of the Point bridge draw in comparison to the beam of the vessel. The draw was found to have a span of 38 1-2 feet, whereas the cruiser's beam was 44 feet. There was but one thing to do and that was to have the draw span made larger. A minimum span of 55 feet is claimed to be none too much for vessel of that class and beam.

Thereupon a petition was presented to the Legislature asking that the present bridge be reconstructed by the counties of Norfolk and Plymouth, having a draw span with an opening of not less than 80 feet wide in the clear. The draw span be a balanced one similar to those over the Fort Point channel, in the yard of the South Terminal station at Boston for the use of the New Haven R. R. The draw to be operated by an electric motor. It was estimated that the total cost of the structure would be not less than $100,000; three-quarters ($75,000) of the total cost to be assessed upon Norfolk County, and one-quarter ($25,000) upon Plymouth County. About $15,000 of this amount goes into the construction of the draw. Quincy's apportionment is variously estimated at from $5,000 to $15,000.

For generations this present bridge has been maintained jointly by the City of Quincy and the towns of Weymouth and Hingham. A board of trustees know as the "trustees of the Quincy, Weymouth & Hingham bridges have been the active care takers of this structure. If the Legislature does not pass the aforementioned bill the trustees of this bridge will be compelled by the War Department to enlarge the draw to 55 feet in the clear as under the requirements of sections 4 and 5 of the river and harbor act approved Sept. 19, 1890, the Secretary of War shall notify the persons, corporations, or associations owing or controlling certain bridges obstructing navigation, after giving them a reasonable opportunity to be heard, to so alter said bridges as to render navigation through or under them reasonably free, easy, and unobstructed, specifying in the notice the alterations required to be made and prescribing a reasonable time in which to make them.

It is claimed by some that the present bridge is unsuitable for its present use, that the draw is too narrow, and that the structure is so rapidly going to decay that it would be unwise for the trustees to expend any more money on repairs. If these premises are correct then it would seem to be a good business move for the city to urge the passage of this bill. But there are those who assert that this large expenditure of money at the present time for this bridge is uncalled for. That the structure instead of costing $100,000 may cost $150,000, and that the city's proportion may be $25,000 or $50,000.

A case similar to this came up in Everett this last fall. As is well known the New England Gas & Coke Co. has erected an immense plant in that city. The coal to supply it is brought in great colliers from Cape Breton. Some of the new colliers had so large a beam that they could not pass through a certain draw. The draw had to be enlarged. Mr. Henry M. Whitney, the president of the Company, came forward and offered to assume the larger part of the expense of the enlargement, his share amounting to some $10,000; rather than have the city called upon to foot this unlooked for expense as the old draw was of reasonable width.

In considering the probable cost of this structure another feature enters into it which adds greatly to the expense and that is the single or double tracking of the bridge for the street railway. This necessarily adds to the width of the bridge 15 feet, more or less, and consequently thousands of dollars to the total cost of the structure.

Assuming that $15,000 would be the expense to this city for its share of the assessment to the bridge should the bill become a law, and that the present bridge would have to be replaced with a new structure within a few years owing to its unsafe condition, whether or no the war vessel was to be built at East Braintree, it would seem that it would be a wise policy for the city to urge its enactment.

It is intimated that should this bill fail that the Fore River Engine Co. would move its works to New London, Conn. As these works are destined at no distant day to become one of the leading ship building plants of the country, its removal would mean a serious loss to the State as well as to the country, not only in taxable property but in loss of prestige in the revival of the ship building industry which in years gone by made the State famous the world over. The building of war vessels is but a step towards the building of large vessels for the merchant marine.

Can the state afford to drive from its borders a great ship building plant.

That there will be sharp antagonism to this measure from towns in the two counties remote from this locality, such as Brookline, Dedham, Milton, Plymouth and Middleboro, and the city of Brockton, is to be expected.

The question should be divorced from local prejudice and raised to the plane of statesmanhip.

The company is practically debarred from entering into these large contracts unless the egress to the sea is unobstructed. It has the right to appeal to the War Department to have the draw enlarged at a cost of thousands of dollars to the city and the two towns which maintain it.

Instead of taking such drastic measures, the Company which notices that it is but a question of a few years when the bridge must be entirely rebuilt by the three communities, goes before the Legislature and asks that the bridge be rebuilt within two years, and the cost assessed not on Quincy, Weymouth and Hingham, but upon the counties of Norfolk and Plymouth.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

The Board of Health will hold a meeting Wednesday evening.

Hearing tomorrow at the State House on the proposed new bridge at Quincy Point.

Harry Linnell, a student of Dartmouth college, Hanover, is home on a few weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Creedon of Old Colony street are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

There will be services in all the Catholic churches Wednesday morning and evening, it being Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent.

Darius Allen, the North Kingston weather prophet, predicts for New England, before March 1, the heaviest snow storm in many years.

The following meetings of City Council Committees are announced for this week: Finance, tonight; Public Buildings, Wednesday night; Streets, Friday night.

At the session of probate court last week administrations were granted on the estates of John White, John F. Flaherty and Isaiah Cressey late of Quincy.

Mrs. Jonathan Baxter, formerly of Quincy died in Ashmont on Friday, Feb. 23. Funeral services will be held at 7 Brunswick street, Ashmont, on Tuesday.

There is a bill before the Legislature relative to pilots on tug boats in Quincy bay, and Weymouth Fore and Back rivers, which will be given a hearing Wednesday morning.

The success of the recent recital of the Lord family ensures a good attendance at their concert at Faxon hall tonight. Tickets have been placed at twenty cents.

Mr. Edwards, who is building the house on the lot adjoining that of the late Seth Burrill of Walker street, intends to erect two houses instead of one, which accounts for the cellar now begun being so far to one side.

Saturday night's terrific gale and thunder storm undermined the large storehouse owned by Loud & Tribou, situated at the foot of Beach street, Norfolk Downs. The building was moved several feet from its underpining.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newcomb gave a whist party to a large number of their friends Friday evening, Feb. 23. Refreshments were served and the guests were entertained in a royal manner. The first prizes were awarded to Mrs. Houston and Mr. Bradford Hayden. The consolation prizes to Miss E. M. Freeman and Mrs. Brown.

The subscription party given by Miss Edith Olney at Brasee's hall, Wollaston, on Saturday evening, was a decided success. There were present about thirty couples, who danced to the music of Peter's orchestra. The matrons were Mrs. Arthur Sibley, Mrs. A. G. Olney and Mrs. W. G. Corthell.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cummings of Clive street have the sympathy of their neighbors and friends in their late bereavement, the death of their infant son. The child has been an invalid since birth, and every care has been taken of it to maintain its health, but it failed daily, and passed away early Saturday morning.

The recent heavy rains caused the brick sidewalk on Hancock street, in front of the Y. M. C. A. building, to become undermined shortly before 5 o'clock Saturday night. As Mrs. Sarah E. Lane came out of the building the bricks gave way and she fell, fortunately she was not injured. If it had been after dark serious results might have followed, as there was a hole two feet deep.

The service at the Park and Downs Congregational church was indeed a very interesting one Sunday evening. It was Mr. Briggs last night in the pulpit, as Rev. Mr. Knight comes back next Sunday. Mr. Grigg's sermon was "A night spent with a rum maniac." The people had the pleasure of hearing Mrs. Nickerson of Wollaston sing, also Mr. Titus.

Miss Edith Randall entertains the Friday club, on March first and the entertainment for the afternoon will be in charge of Mrs. Elizabeth Souther Ilsley. Transitional Poets, Samuel Butler, Richard Lovelace, Sir John Denham, Abraham Cowley, Andrew Marvel, John Dryden and the first of the new school will be the subjects for papers and discussion.

Writing of the accident to the Randolph steamer at Quincy the Register says: "Seeing that Quincy needs another steamer, and this one must be put into good condition, it is believed that the city can buy it at a reasonable price. Of course the Randolph department will not suggest it, under the circumstances, and yet Randolph does not need it, as the town has another of the same pattern and power."

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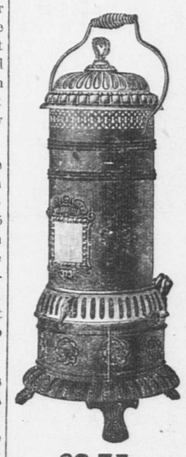
Hancock Street, Quincy.

54th ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

NET ASSETS, January 1, 1899,		$61,807,067.53
RECEIVED IN 1899.		
For Premiums,	$4,932,559.33	
For Interest and Rents,	2,989,047.28	
For Balance Profit and Loss,	86,150.70	
	8,007,757.31	
		$69,814,824.84
DISBURSED IN 1899.		
For claims by death, matured endowments and annuities,	$4,323,361.90	
Surplus returned to policy holders,	1,265,334.14	
Lapsed and Surrendered Policies,	532,667.53	
TOTAL TO POLICY-HOLDERS,	$6,121,363.57	
Commissions to Agents, Salaries, Medical Examiners' Fees, Printing, Advertising, Legal, Real Estate, all other Expenses,	921,844.12	
TAXES,	393,738.22	
	7,436,945.91	
BALANCE NET ASSETS, Dec. 31, 1899,		$62,377,878.93
SCHEDULE OF ASSETS.		
Loans upon Real Estate, first lien,		$26,192,657.64
Loans upon Stocks and Bonds,		2,300.00
Premium Notes on Policies in force,		829,945.23
Cost of Real Estate owned by the Company,		11,611,937.33
Cost of Bonds,		22,407,933.34
Cost of Bank and Railroad Stocks,		473,504.16
Cash in in Banks,		855,217.83
Bills receivable,		5,061.63
		$62,379,577.15
Less Agents' Credit Balances,		1,698.22
ADD		$62,377,878.93
Interest due and accrued,	$983,777.38	
Rents due and accrued,	16,805.02	
Market Value of stocks and bonds over cost,	870,526.57	
Net uncollected and deferred premiums,	340,013.34	
	$2,211,122.31	
Less Bills Receivable,	5,061.63	
		$2,206,060.68
GROSS ASSETS, December 31, 1899,		$64,583,939.61
LIABILITIES:		
Amount required to reinsure all outstanding Polices, net, Company's standard,	$55,828,853.00	
All other liabilities,	1,546,745.02	
	$57,375,598.02	
SURPLUS, (including contingent real estate depreciation mem. account,	$750,000.00	$7,208,341.59
Ratio of expenses of management to receipts in 1899,		11.51 per cent.
Policies in force Dec. 31, 1899, 67,649.		
Insuring,		$160,432,486.00

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Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10
Rump Steak,	15 to 20
Round Steak,	16
Good Steak,	2 lbs. for
Beef Liver,	8
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Thayer Academy.

Capt. Uniac of the Thayer Academy base ball team called out his men the first of this week and a large number of candidates for the team are now in active practice in the gymnasium.

Many new faces will be in evidence on the team this year, especially in the infield, but with the material at hand no difficulty is anticipated in filling these positions.

Thayer will be especially strong behind the bat, having three good men to call on, Brigham, last year's catcher; Burchstead, of Adams Academy, and Libby, of Portland High School.

Capt. Uniac will be in the box as usual, and McMahon will guard first base.

Second base, short stop and third base will all be filled by new men, and quite a little rivalry is expected for these positions. Libby, Newell, Hammond, Neville and Plumer are among the men trying for these positions.

Brigham will in all probability return to his old place in the left guard, moving Gallagher to centre, where he can cover the whole field if necessary, and Newell has his old position in right field to try for. Orcutt, R. M. Gallagher, Winslow, Borden, Carr, and several others are also trying for honors in the field.

Manager Emerson has his schedule nearly completed. It is by far the most severe ever undertaken by the Thayer boys and great credit will be due them if they have a successful season, inasmuch as they will meet the leading preparatory school teams in this section of the country.

St. Marks school, Hopkinson school, Roxbury high school, Boston Latin school, Brooklin high school, Volkman school, English high school, Nobles and Greenough school, Cambridge high and latin school, Newton high school, Bridgewater normal school, and Dean academy are included in the schedule.

Rideout to be Prosecuted.

The Herald says, Oscar F. Alden of Kimball street, Malden, who went to New York a week ago in search of his daughter, Annie W., returned home with her Saturday afternoon. The girl wept when she entered the house. She says she is only too glad to get home again, after a bitter experience, and her love for Rideout is now turned to hatred. She will probably return to work in one of the local newspaper offices, where she was employed as a compositor at the time she went away.

Mr. Alden states that he will spend every cent of his money to punish Rideout for taking his daughter to New York. He says he will go to New York and appear against him when his hearing comes up March 15.

Sure to be Successful.

The Quincy club has started out for itself, and its season's racing is sure to be successful. Clubs that give away their power to outside organizations are sure to lose in the end. The Corinthian and the Larchmont held out against outside organizations with the result that they are now the best two clubs for yacht owners, in the country; their members get the most for their money, and are given a freer hand in building and designing.—Sunday Herald.

—Randolph Democrats have nominated these officers: Joseph T. Leahy for town clerk and treasurer; Peter B. Hand, Patrick H. McLaughlin and Frank A. Long for selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor; James F. Sullivan for water commissioner; Michael F. Cunningham, Redmond P. Barrett and John K. Willard for auditors; John Haney, Michael F. Sullivan, Thomas Farrell, E. Forrest Knights, Lincoln Stetson, Frank J. Donahue and Joseph H. Foster for constables; Fred M. French for tax collector; George F. Taylor, John McMahon and Michael Kiley for fish wardens.

NEIGHBORING WOODS

A Citizen of Braintree Writes of Their Attractions.

The following communication is from the current issue of the Braintree Observer-Reporter:

Our woods offer many attactions to lovers of nature even in this seemingly drear season of the year, and those fortunate beings who enjoy midwinter woodland rambles usually return from such expeditions richly compensated both for time and energy expended. To those who look upward the season reveals many naked or leafless trees, such as oaks, maples, beeches, hickories and birches, which yet command respect and admiration either on account of their delicate spray or smooth bark or temerity in daring to meet, unclothed, the rude blasts and storm of a rigorous winter. All trees, however, are not leafless at this season. Tall pines bearing numberless fascicles of needleshaped green leaves gladden the heart with a sense of freshness, while near by stately hemlocks are clothed gloriously with innumerable awl-shaped leaves, which are green and shining above and silvery beneath, and appear to be borne upon the upper part of the branches. Here and there a savin appears clothed in garments of bluish or yellowish green.

But if one is truly desirous of knowing what the woods contain in winter he must look down as well as up, and he will find in cold, damp woods where hickories dwell a little fern-like plant of a bright green or reddish-purple color, which is composed of two leaves or fronds joined near the base of the plant. The longer or fertile leaf bears at the summit a cluster of spore-cases and is smooth and fleshly below. The shorter sterile leaf or frond is somewhat triangular in outline and consists of several stalked divisions which are variously cut and lobed or in one beautiful variety, very finely dissected. The whole plant is small and although the sterile leaf is sometimes four inches broad and ten inches high it requires keen eyes to detect it. Ternate grape fern is the common name of this little winter wonder. Botrychium ternatum is the scientific appellation.

Another genus of ferns well represented in our woods throughout the winter is Aspidium. Indeed, winter is an excellent season to study this group because many of its members are evergreen. One notable species very common with us, is Aspidium marginale or evergreen wood fern. Its long fronds are usually found lying in the same direction upon a wooded hillside, or standing erect upon a raised rootstock, after the manner of a palm, in low rocky wood. The small, thick divisions, or pinnules, of this fern are deeply impressed with veins and are somewhat scythe shaped. Its fruit dots are very near the margins of the pinnules. Another species found in the same locality, very delicate and finely cut, is Aspidium spinulosum or spinulose shield fern. The lobes of this species are cut into spine-like teeth.

Another marvel of green in our winter woods is Aspidium acrostichoides or Christmas fern so well known to florists. This species bears long lance-shaped fronds bearing an ear-like lobe upon the upper side of each small, hairy-margined division. This species is not so common as the other two but is in evidence in various places. The little snake fern or common polypody, Polypodium vulgare, a lover of rocks and babbling brooks bears "small green plumes pointing various ways" and is sometimes mistaken for the Christmas-fern by the uninitiated. Thoreau greatly admired this fern. "My thoughts are with the polypody a long time after my body has passed" he writes, "that perennial and spring-like verdure that clothes the rock, the cheerful community of the polypody. Simple as it is, it is as strange as an oriental character. It is quite independent of my race and of the Indian, and of all mankind. It is a fabulous, mythological form, such as prevailed when the earth and air and water were inhabited by those extinct fossil creatures that we find. It is contemporary with them, and affects us somewhat as the sight of them might do."

Braintree.

Legislators Viewed Bridge.

The committee on Roads and Bridges of the Legislature visited Quincy today and viewed the Quincy Point bridge. The party arrived on the 1.28 train from Boston and were joined in Quincy by Mayor Hall, Commissioner Knowlton, City Solicitor Sears and others. A special car was taken for the bridge. Later the party visited the works of the Fore River Engine Co. on Quincy avenue.

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GRANITE CUTTERS MUST STRIKE MARCH 1

A Possibility, However, That an Agreement May Be Reached in Quincy a Few Days Later.

The story from Quincy in the Sunday papers, relative to the granite situation in this section, if true, was good news, for it meant that the expected strike would be ended almost before it had commenced. In effect, it was that a meeting had been called for tonight between committees representing the Manufacturers' Association and the Cutters' Union to discuss the situation, and that the manufacturers were prepared to offer the cutters $2.75 for an eight hour day. While there might be a suspension of work it would be but for a few days at most as the men were willing to accept that proposition.

There has evidently been some misunderstanding somewhere and while there will doubtless be a meeting of the two committees sometime, the time has not as yet been fixed. According to Mr. John L. Miller, who is chairman of the Manufacturers Committee, no meeting has been called, and he was somewhat surprised to read that a meeting had been announced. When seen this morning, Mr. Miller said that he did not know where the Boston papers got their information, but it was not true. No meeting had been called and he did not know when one would be, and he should certainly know when it was arranged.

It would seem that a recent meeting of the Manufacturers' Association a committee of nine was appointed to meet a like committee from the Cutters' Union at such time as a meeting was necessary.

Promptly upon the appointment of this committee, notice was sent to the Cutters that a committee had been appointed, and that they were ready to meet a like committee from the Cutters' Union if they had power to change the form of demand.

The Cutters' Union acknowledged the receipt of the notice and replied that they had referred it to their committee.

Although no meeting had been called of the two committees, for tonight, up to this morning, according to the Manufacturers' committee, it is among the possibilities that one may be called, for it would take but a brief period to arrange a meeting.

While it is possible that the manufacturers would be willing to settle for eight hours and $2.75, they deny having made that proposition.

On the other hand there is a rumor that the Cutters situation is, that by their constitution they must demand an eight-hour-$3-day and if the demand is not granted they must strike. Once the strike is on, it is said that each locality has a right to make its own terms of settlement.

If this is true there is not much question but there will be an early settlement of the difficulty.

This means that on March 1 there will be a strike, but if the cutters have a right to settle upon any other terms than the eight-hour-$3-day, that an early meeting of the two committees will be held and probably an understanding reached.

It is hoped the suspension of work will be of but short duration.

QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

Parents noticing errors of any kind in the births of 1899 as published in the Ledger, are requested to notify City Clerk Cleaves prompty, that corrections may be made before the City Book is printed.

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
March 30.	Verna May Bent,	Fred L. and Eliza
31.	——— Little,	Daniel C. and Mary A.
31.	Francis Phillip Innes,	Arthur and Olivia
31.	——— Brightman,	Joseph S. and Esther
31.	Daniel James McLean, Jr.,	Daniel J. and Katherine A.
April 1.	James Francis Fitzgerald,	James and Hannah
1.	——— Birnie,	Alexander and Annie
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1.	Harold Gordon Hunt,	Charles E. and Louise P.
1.	William Ferriter,	Michael and Katherine
1.	Charles Henry Brown,	Charles F. and Susan L.
2.	Lizzie Walsh,	Peter and Kate
3.	Ethel Grace Adams,	Arthur M. and Alice
4.	——— Aubert,	Eloe and Eugenie
4.	Albert Edward Rendle,	Henry J. and Elizabeth
6.	Mitchell Wilfred Lavoie,	Mitchell and Josephine
6.	Anna Isabell Burns,	John E. and Anna
6.	Francis Burtell Ellis,	Oscar B. and Margaret E
7.	Edward Bryan,	Edward and Margaret
8.	Nellie Josephine Kuehn,	John and Annie
9.	Joseph Daniel Tite,	John and Margaret
11.	Albert Corragho,	James and Libera
11.	Jerry Malanni,	Frank and Claundi
11.	William Cummings,	James and Mary
11.	——— Meline,	Frank and Melinda
12.	——— Tinney,	Daniel F. and Sadie
12.	——— Card,	James W. and Laura M.
13.	John McDermott,	John and Mary
13.	Gordon L. Spinney,	Thomas L. and Winifred
13.	Nadine Barry,	George A. C. and Carrie F.
13.	Alice Powers,	Edward and Annie E.
13.	Robert McIntyre, Jr.,	Robert and Nellie
14.	Catherine Genevieve Curtin,	Lawrence and Rosetta
14.	Edith Leete Lamb,	John A. and Mary A.
16.	John Percival Hedman,	Eric G. and Hilda
17.	Katherine Little,	Simon F. and Rosanna
17.	Grace Day Thorne,	Henry W. and Helen
18.	——— Mewis,	William and Annie
18.	Hilma Johnson,	Charles and Hilma
18.	James F. Riley,	Stephen and Margaret
18.	Warren E. Carney,	Robert and Mary
19.	Caroline Woodman McKenzie,	Charles W. and Margaret
19.	——— McLelnan,	John and Maggie
21.	Carl Anderson,	John and Hilda
23.	Ruth Marion Higgins,	Israel L. and Edith E
23.	Florence May McKay,	Alexander and Maggie
24.	Mary Melvina Muse,	Jeremiah and Mary E.
25.	Eber Ellenora Rosensoln,	Peter and Annie
26.	——— Snow,	Hjalmar and Mary
27.	Herbert H. Barclay,	Herbert E. and Blanche G
28.	Margaret Main,	George and Christiana
28.	George Murdock McLeod,	James and Sarah
29.	Stillborn.	
30.	Margaret Josephine Cuffe,	James T. and Mary A.
30.	John Casarico,	John and Mary
30.	Eva Olivia Diack,	Alfred and Jeannie
30.	Lena Corbett,	Michael F. and Bridget
30.	Everett J. McIntosh,	John and Catherine
30.	John Kerrigan,	Thomas F. and Margaret
30.	Julius Cohen,	Joseph and Rosie

(To be continued.)

Among the Magazines.

The Granite Monthly for February is a valuable number. It contains, among other interesting matter, articles on "The Death of Washington" "Charlestown," "The Old Squire Lord House," in Effingham, a paper on "The Nineteenth Century Woman," for the D. A. R., also several finely written poems. This valuable magazine is published by the Granite Monthly Co., Concord, N. H.

The March Delineator [New York] has a wealth of fashionable suggestions illustrated by beautiful half-tones. An interesting article is "Seed Plant, and Bulb Growing, an Outdoor Employment for Women." Another is "Notable College Leaders" by Carolyn Halsted. Dr. Grace Peckham Murray's contribution is "Nervous Trouble of the Child."

Another Challenger.

The Globe says, Another challenge for the Quincy cup for 21-footers is in sight. It is understood that it will come through the Corinthian yacht club from a yachtsman who also holds membership in the Manchester yacht club. The challenger will be a boat of the extreme "scow" type, 45 feet over all, very lightly built, and with a big sail plan. She is also to have lee boards instead of a centerboard, and will also sport two rudders.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.



TO CLEAN MATTING.

To make soiled matting look fresh and bright prepare a pailful of warm water with a handful of salt and four tablespoonfuls of Ivory Soap shavings dissolved in it. With a clean cloth squeezed out of the mixture, wipe every breadth of the matting, rubbing soiled spots until they disappear.

A WORD OF WARNING.—There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the 'Ivory';" they ARE NOT, but like all counterfeits, lack the peculiar and remarkable qualities of the genuine. Ask for "Ivory" Soap and insist upon getting it.

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HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents

Decidedly cold this morning.

It was blustering enough Sunday afternoon.

The Woman's Relief Corps will have a supper and social tomorrow evening.

Rev. Charles A. Dinsmore lectures tonight at the Quincy Point church, on "Washington as a General."

A cellar was staked out today for one of the apartment houses to be erected on the Foster estate on Chestnut street.

The brick block on Chestnut street has been greatly improved by new blinds throughout: they are painted dark green.

The striking of the fire alarm Sunday afternoon was caused by the high wind crossing the wires. The cross was cleared before night.

Commissioner Knowlton is rebuilding the bulkhead at Squantum causeway that was washed away by the November 1898, storm. The street is also being repaired.

President Higginson and Secretary Bliss of the Yacht Racing Association of Massachusetts and L. M. Clark each had a reply to A. H. Doble in the Sunday Globe.

Deputy Sheriff George H. Field attended on Friday the funeral of Charles C. Jenney, ex-chief of police of Hyde Park, and late deputy-sheriff and court crier at the court house at Dedham.

The opening services of the Bible school of Bethany Congregational church were held Sunday in the church auditorium. The new singing books have arrived and were used for the first time.

It is not often that we have a thunder shower in February such as occurred about midnight Saturday. There were several peals of thunder but only one flash. It was one of the times when a thunder shower cooled the air.

St. Ambrose Court 172, M. C. O. F., was instituted at Quincy on the evening of Feb. 23. The court is the first in the district to be composed wholly of women, and will, it is thought, be among the largest courts in the State inside of a year.

The Massachusetts editors reached New Orleans today, and the city is in holiday attire, being devoted to witnessing the "Arrival of Rex" and other exercises and grand spectacular parades connected with Mardi Gras. Tomorrow will be the great day—Mardi Gras at noon;—Comus at night.

C. F. Kennedy of Wollaston has been appointed assistant superintendent of the Worcester division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., to take effect March 1. Under the superintendent of that division he will have the usual authority upon the entire Worcester division, and that portion of the Providence, Stonington and Central divisions within the Providence yard limits.

—Attacks of sore throat during cold weather are largely attributed to insufficient exercise in the open air. Frequently sufferers are notoriously lacking in this respect.

—"There is no poverty so great as ignorance, and no wealth can equal that of a contented mind."

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Man Competent to take charge of and manage large granite quarry, located near Little Rock, Arkansas. An opportunity will be given manager to invest a few thousand dollars in quarry if he so desires. Address, GEORGE H. MEADE CO., Little Rock, Arkansas. Jan. 26-30t

WANTED—A partner in the Granite Business in Quincy. Must be fast Stone-cutter, not over 40 years old. Address Ledger Office. Jan. 24-tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 roms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises. Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET—Furnished Room with furnace heat and bath room. Apply at 27 Chestnut street, cor. Cottage ave.

TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

TO LET.

Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.

Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314. Dec. 28. tf

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And be convinced that this is the place to get Bargains.

WALTER P. PINEL, Manager.



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THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

Who are injured by the use or coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

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RED LIGHT.

The red light is used as a warning of danger ahead, so the one to be seen burning at 20 Franklin street, is only to remind you of the danger there is in paying too much for your Christmas Goods, such as Toys, Sleds, Rocking Horses, Dolls and Doll Carriages, Fancy Crockery. Headquarters for Skates and skate sharpeners. We have a fine lot of Rugs to select from. Don't be deceived, but call and be convinced that this is the place to trade.

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WALTER P. PINEL, - Manager.

YOU WRONG YOURSELF

If you think you are making the most of your opportunities and do not advertise liberally in the Quincy Daily Ledger, which reaches most of the families of Quincy, Wollaston, Atlantic, Norfolk Downs, Quincy Point, Quincy Neck, South and West Quincy. It also circulates in Weymouth, Braintree and Milton.

JOHN H. DINEGAN, - Auctioneer.
Office, Room 9, Durgin & Merrill's Block.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Nelson F. Tunnicliff and Fannie C. Tunnicliff, his wife, both of Brockton, in the County of Plymouth, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Edward Billings of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth aforesaid, dated March 10, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 844, page 50, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Tuesday, March 6, 1900, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

The premises to be sold are bounded and described as follows, viz: A certain lot of land containing 5,400 square feet with the buildings thereon situated in Quincy, Mass., and being lot No. 31, on a plan of house lots on Cranch hill made by H. T. Whitman, dated Jan. 20, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Plans and bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Northeasterly on Whitwell street, sixty (60) feet; southeasterly on lot No. 32 on said plan, ninety(90) feet; southwesterly on lot No. 38 on said plan, sixty (60) feet; northwesterly on lot No. 30 on said plan, ninety (90) feet. Being the same premises conveyed to said Fannie C. Tunnicliff by John Swithin et al, trustees, by deed dated Jan. 25, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds in libro 819, folio 511.

The property will be sold subject to a prior mortgage for $2,300 and to all unpaid taxes and assessment if any there be. Terms at sale or from the auctioneer.

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SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—Loring's Pharmacy.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
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WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter 6 11:23 a. m. | Full Moon 14 8:56 a. m.
Third Quarter 22 11:44 a. m.

Civilization In Africa.



"Did you have a missionary of the name of Gotthold Pech stopping at your hotel about three weeks ago?"

"Wait one moment; I'll look up the old menu cards."—Der Floh.

Tired of Army Life.

New York, Feb. 26.—More than half a company of the recruits at Fort Slocum deserted and escaped to New Rochelle, with the connivance of sentries who had been posted to prevent just such an occurrence. Ten of the men have returned, but two of the sentries who deserted with the others and 42 of the privates have not yet been heard from.

Erratic Weather.

Boston, Feb. 26.—This section of New England had two extremes of stormy weather yesterday, thunder and lightning in the early morning and snow and intensely cold winds in the afternoon.

Killed by Whisky.

Boston, Feb. 26.—Thomas O'Rourke, in a spirit of bravado, drank a quart of whisky and is dead as a result. The liquor stupefied him and paralysis of the heart followed.

Fears For Fruit Steamer.

Boston, Feb. 26.—The fruit steamer Thomas Melville, due here several days ago from Mediterranean ports, has not yet arrived, she having sailed from Gibralter Feb. 1.

A Little Device In Furnishing.

Flats are generally rather small, with cupboards at a premium, so in order to produce the effect of a recess an ingenious lady has hit on a clever plan. As the foundation of her scheme she has taken a doorway that led into another department. In this, it being for all practical purposes useless, she has hung up a few shelves, and on the edge of these shelves she has tacked some rows of crimson pinked out leather. Around the doorway there is a drapery of Algerian material, arranged on a spear. The bottom shelf is some way from the ground, and a curtain is run along it, behind which can be hid any unsightly object you have to hide. Then you fill up the shelves with books, old or new, according to your fancy, and around the woodwork of the door and across the front of it hang the curtains.

A Felt Lamp Mat.

Cut out two eight pointed stars of bronze green or cardinal felt. Mark out one star into diamonds and chain stitch with yellow silk. Buttonhole the stars together with yellow silk and sew a tassel of the same upon each point.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

☞ Carpets Cleaned—Taken up and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

A LONG CONFERENCE

Results In Referring the Puerto Rican Bill to a Committee of Ten.

Another Effort to Be Made to Reach a Compromise.

Finances, Our Insular Possessions, and Quay Case In Senate This Week.

Washington, Feb. 26.—At the conclusion Saturday night of the conference of Republican members of the house on the Puerto Rican tariff bill, Representative Cannon of Illinois, who acted as chairman, said:

"After a full discussion, the conference by unanimous consent agreed to the selection of a committee of 10 members, five of whom were appointed by the chairman of the caucus from among those in favor of the bill, and five were to be appointed from those who do not agree to the bill in whole or in part, the appointments to be made by a committee consisting of Representatives Powers of Vermont, Crumpacker of Indiana and Lorimer of Illinois. This committee of 10 is to report its conclusions and recommendations to a Republican conference to be held Monday evening next."

The conference met in the hall of the house to consider the situation. Unusual interest attached to the meeting, owing to the division of sentiment which has developed on the bill.

The speeches of Mr. McCall and Mr. Littlefield attracted much interest because of the positive attitude they have taken. Mr. McCall spoke calmly, but did not abate any of his opposition to the measure as a whole and showed no disposition to accept any of the compromises suggested. Mr. Littlefield was more vehement, declaring that he could not surrender his views against the measure as a whole, although he felt disposed to turn the subject over to the president. Mr. Littlefield also suggested that free trade be given to Puerto Rico, with a distinct declaration that this should not operate as a precedent applicable to other insular possessions.

This was met with a counter-proposition from Mr. Throop of Pennsylvania that the 25 percent rate as provided by the original bill be retained, with a declaration that this should not operate as a precedent. Neither proposition was favorably entertained and they were not pressed.

Up to midnight none of the propositions had been voted upon and members began leaving the hall. The feeling prevailed, however, that the two years' limitation would be agreed upon as a basis of compromise, and that with this change the bill would receive pretty general, although not unanimous, support.

As the attendance was rapidly diminishing it became apparent that no final action could be reached, and the plan of a committee of 10, five from each side, to go over the subject and report some middle ground was unanimously accepted by all present. The conference adjourned until tonight, when the report of the committee of 10 will be received.

The effort to unite the Republicans of the house in a Puerto Rican bill have failed and at midnight Sunday, after prolonged conferences, it was stated that matters were substantially where they were Saturday. Other efforts at harmony may be made today.

The event of the week in the house of representatives will be the taking of the vote on the Puerto Rican tariff bill. This has been set for 3 p. m. tomorrow, although the differences which have arisen on the bill may compel a rearrangement of the program. The general debate on the measure will close today, and tomorrow, up to the hour of voting, the debate will proceed under the five-minute rule.

Extraordinary interest attaches to the outcome of this struggle, owing to the differences which have arisen on the Republican side of the chamber. It had been arranged that the debate should proceed tonight, but this must give way to the Republican conference in the hall of the house at 8 p. m., when a final effort will be made to reconcile differences and agree upon a compromise bill.

For the rest of the week no exact procedure has been arranged, except that the Alabama contested election case of Aldrich vs. Robbins will be considered as soon as the Puerto Rican bill is out of the way. This case involves race questions and gives the opportunity for that extended range of debate usually excited by questions of that nature. The army appropriation bill is on the calendar and doubtless will receive consideration the latter part of the week. Owing to the extent of the military forces in the Philippines the appropriations this year are exceptionally heavy, and this may bring on a general discussion of army affairs and the Philippines.

The Hawaiian bill and the Nicaragua canal bill also are awaiting a hearing, although it is not likely either of them will be taken up this week.

The time of the senate this week will be divided between the questions of the finances, the government policy towards the insular possessions and the seating of Senator Quay upon the nomination of the governor of Pennsylvania. The Hawaiian bill remains the unfinished business, subject to removal at any time by the Quay resolution, and also by the conference report upon the currency bill.

There will be several speeches during the week on the Quay resolution, and there is a probability of reaching a vote on it the latter part of the week. Senator Penrose says he will make an effort to have the discussion confined to the morning hour, so as not to interfere with other questions before the senate, but that if a disposition to delay the vote should become apparent he will then press the Quay matter. He counts upon a vote late in the week, and says he expects a larger vote than was cast in Mr. Quay's favor in taking the resolution up.

ALGER GIVES HIS OPINION.

Ex-Secretary Would Make a Distinction Between Technical War and an Insurrection.

Detroit, Feb. 26.—Concerning a recent statement from Washington with regard to a difficulty which confronts Secretary Root in deciding whether the United States is in a state of war, ex-Secretary Alger spoke as follows:

"I should say most emphatically that the United States is not in a state of war. The treaty of peace signed at Paris ended the war with Spain. The only terms that can properly be applied to the present trouble in the Philippines are rebellion and insurrection.

"As to the immediate question before the department, whether enlisted soldiers can purchase their discharges as in times of peace, I do not feel competent to utter a decided opinion. That is a matter whereon the advice of the attorney general will undoubtedly be asked. It is my private belief, though, that when soldiers are badly needed, even if a state of war does not exist, they should not be allowed to take advantage of this privilege.

"I would distinguish between a technical war and an insurrection. Insofar as the conditions affect our soldiers in the field, and with reference to the privileges that belong to them in times of peace, we are at war. But technically and actually, we are not in a state of war, and the campaign should not be spoken of as war."

Captain and Four Children Drowned.

Providence, Feb. 26.—The barge General Wiley foundered off Narragansett Pier Sunday morning, during a southeast gale. Captain Harold and four little children were drowned in spite of all attempts to save them. Tug James Hughes, Captain George McGoldrick, arrived in port and reported the loss of the barge. The Wiley parted her hawser when she went down, and Captain McGoldrick did all that was possible to rescue the family on board, standing by in hopes of picking up the survivors. As the craft foundered she capsized, this dumping out nearly all the coal, and, thus lightened, she rose again to the surface, and is now drifting out to sea.

Not Suffering From Cancer.

New York, Feb. 26.—The following statement relating to the condition of Mrs. Sartoris is given out by the attending physicians: "Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris is now convalescing from an operation and will be about in a few days. On account of public statements that her malady was cancer, we state that after the operation an examination proved that there is no evidence that cancer has ever existed."

Killed Employer's Wife and Himself.

New York, Feb. 26.—Mrs. E. P. Hayes, aged 35, wife of Dr. E. P. Hayes, a dentist, with offices at the Hotel Endicott, was shot and killed Saturday night in her apartments in that hotel by Dr. Frank D. Conwell, an assistant of Dr. Hayes. Conwell, who was 35 years old, then shot and killed himself. There seems to be not the faintest suggestion of a cause for Conwell's act.

To Consider Bimetallism.

Washington, Feb. 26.—A convention of leading bimetallists will be held at Kansas City on July 4. It is expected 600 or 800 delegates will be in attendance from all parts of the Union.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

At the state convention of the Knights of Columbus of Massachusetts Rev. James N. Supple of Charlestown was elected state chaplain to succeed Rev. John J. Ryan of Cambridge.

Eight firms were burned out in a fire which destroyed a four-story brick building at Chicago. The total loss is $65,000.

Thomas H. King was found dead on the track of the Fitchburg railroad one mile west of Concord, Mass. King was probably walking home when struck.

The works of the Maritime Milling company at New Glasgow, N. S., were destroyed by fire, together with grain elevator and thousands of bushels of grain. The loss is $150,000.

P. W. Miller, manager of a detective agency at Atlanta, was sent to the chain gang to work out a fine of $100 and costs imposed for conducting a business without a license.

Rev. Edward Lorense, editor of the German periodicals of the United Brethren church, and for more than 40 years a prominent minister in that denomination, died at Dayton, O., as the result of a rupture of a blood vessel in his brain, occasioned by a paroxysm of coughing.

William H. Hawkey, a fireman on the tug McDermott, was drowned after falling off the wharf at which the craft lay at Narragansett Pier.

George E. Cox, a buyer for a Chicago shoe firm, was taken ill in a Boston theater and died before medical assistance could be rendered.

Michael Hough, aged 31, and unmarried, was found dead near Newtown, Conn. Death was due to exposure.

John Alexander, who has been in the employ of the Grand Trunk railroad for many years, was killed on the road at Portland, Me.

Captain Charles E. Smalley, collector of customs at Nantucket, Mass., is dead. Captain Smalley was well known on the Massachusetts coast, as he followed the sea in his younger days.

Frank D. Moore, 35 years old, was killed by a train near Woodsville, N. H.

Joseph Payne was drowned while smelting near Wiscasset, Me., by going through thin ice.

The boiler of the Pullman Lumber company's sawmill at Pullman, Ark., exploded. Two men are known to have been killed and six injured, one fatally. It is believed three bodies are still under the wreck of the mill.

Dr. Charles K. Adams, president of the University of Wisconsin, is critically ill. He is said to be suffering from gastritis and various complications.

Captain Terrence Sheridan, aged 60, a veteran with a notable Civil war record, was instantly killed by a train at New Haven.

Pierce J. Sullivan, employed at the Joseph Wilcox Comb company's works at Worcester, Mass., was burned to death in a fire which started from a spark dropping from a grinding wheel into a pile of celluloid dust.

CHURCH ATTENDANCE DECLINING.

President Eliot Says Conception of Government of the Universe Has Changed.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—President Eliot of Harvard university told students at the University of Chicago yesterday that many perplexing questions about religious fundamentals had been propounded of late to Harvard university preachers; that this desire to be informed was typical of the age; that church attendance all over America had fallen off noticeably, but that men were retaining the original principles taught by William Ellery Channing.

Continuing, he said: "Harvard has always stood for the freedom of thought and science essential to sincere and earnest truth seeking. We employ five different preachers six weeks each and a professor in Christian morals has the other six weeks.

"They not only preach, but sit every day to discuss any religious question with students in conversation. Young men come there bent on truth seeking, with nothing to gain but an inspiration to better life. They ask many difficult things and many of the ministers told me that the ordeals were most trying.

"Now this attitude among the students at a modern institution of education typifies the state of modern world. The whole community is examining the grounds of its fundamental beliefs and the whole conception of the government of the universe has changed.

"I know of no denomination except the Roman Catholics which has not experienced a great change in attendance. The pastor of Phillips Brooks church in Boston told me recently there had been a sensible decline, not in good works, but in the number of persons present at the services. I have felt the same thing in the chapel at Cambridge. I have learned since coming here it is also true in the churches of this city."

No Communication From France.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The Associated Press is authorized to state that no communication whatever has been made by the French authorities to the state department relative to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty and the Panama canal. This statement was made in reply to a question put in official quarters regarding the publication that the French ambassador has had a conversation with the secretary of state relative to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

Barge and Cargo May Be Lost.

Boston, Feb. 26.—Barges Keystone and Otto, while inward bound from Philadelphia for Boston, with coal, in tow of the tug Gettysburg, ran ashore on Brewster rock, Boston light, yesterday, and the Keystone will probably be a total loss, with her cargo of 1500 tons of coal. The crews of both barges, composed of four men each, were saved. The Otto can probably be saved. Each barge cost about $30,000 to construct.

Ice Houses Change Hands.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 26.—The most important deal in ice property ever made on the Penobscot river was concluded when A. C. Nickerson, a New York broker, purchased for parties supposed to be the American Ice company of New York, three of the largest properties on the river. The price paid is understood to have been about $85,000 for the three plants, including the ice now in the houses.

Two Counties For Berry.

Little Rock, Feb. 26.—Three counties held Democratic primary elections Saturday on the United States senatorship. Senator Berry, who is an ardent anti-expansionist, and Governor D. W. Jones, an avowed expansionist, are the opposing candidates. Reports from Crawford and Johnson counties indicate that both were carried by Berry. In Pope county the vote appears to be close.

Trappists to Build Monastery.

Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 26.—A monastery of the Order of Trappists is to be located in Cumberland, about 1½ miles from Lonsdale, upon "The Bishop's Farm," an estate of some 400 acres. The property has not been occupied for years, except by a caretaker, and is wholly unimproved. It is expected that operations on the new institution will be commenced in the early spring.

No Danger of Water Famine.

Clinton, Mass., Feb. 26.—The heavy rains of Saturday so raised the Nashua river as to render unsafe the dam which regulates the amount of water to enter the sluceway for the Boston supply, and the gates have been closed in the flume, as a mater of safety, thus cutting off, for the present, the water supply from this source.

Death From Exposure.

Barre, Mass., Feb. 26.—Hiram F. Babbitt of this town was found dead near Barre Plains Sunday morning by a milkman. Medical examiner Walker pronounced death due to exposure, Babbitt having passed the night out of doors exposed to the storm, in a state of intoxication.

Lumber Laden Schooner Ashore.

Cape Henry, Va., Feb. 26.—The two-masted schooner Jane C. Harris, with a cargo of lumber, went ashore near Oregon inlet, N. C., yesterday. The crew of three were saved by the Oregon inlet life saving station. It is thought the vessel will be a total loss.

Princess Cantacuzene Much Better.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Potter Palmer says that she has received a telegram reporting the Princess Cantacuzene much better. Her temperature is lower, says Mrs. Palmer, and her condition has changed materially for the better. She will recover.

Man Burned to Death.

Rutland, Vt., Feb. 26.—The Kipley marble mill was burned Saturday night, causing a loss of $24,000. Patrick McGarry, a sawyer, was burned to death, but three other men who were in the mill when the fire broke out escaped.

Look Out For It!

Wickford, R. I., Feb. 26.—Darnis Allen, the weather prophet of North Kingston, predicts for New England before March 1 the heaviest snowstorm for many years.

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Yours truly,
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Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

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r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
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r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
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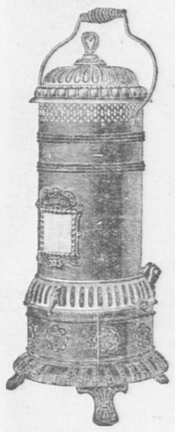
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

CRONJE HOLDING OUT.

Boers Hastening From Many Quarters to Dispute the Invasion of Roberts.

Relief of Ladysmith Has Not Yet Been Accomplished.

Ordinary Campaigning Season Over, and Sickly Season For Men and Animals Has Begun.

London, Feb. 27.—A dispatch to The Daily News from Lorenzo Marquez says: It is reported here that 5000 burghers have left Ladysmith for the Free State. The Boers are concentrating their forces 30 miles outside of Bloemfontein; and the Free State government is moving to Winburg. Reinforcements from all parts are passing through Bloemfontein hourly. President Steyn has telegraphed President Kruger that Lord Roberts is within a few hours of Bloemfontein, and he urges that every male, irrespective of nationality, should be commandeered.

The gathering of this army across the path of Lord Roberts gives significance to General Cronje's steadfast defense. He has engaged the corps of Lord Roberts for 10 days now, and whether he is relieved or not, he has given time for the dispersed Boer fractions to get together and to prepare positions to receive the British advance when Cronje is overcome and Lord Roberts moves forward. It is difficult to conceive that the Boers are strong enough to take the offensive, and to rescue General Cronje from his precarious situation.

The war office had nothing after midnight to indicate his collapse, and he may hold out for a few days. The correspondents seem to have no exact information respecting his resources. Some say that he has plenty of food, but is short of ammunition. Others assert that he abandoned his food supplies, but kept abundant supplies of ammunition.

General Buller on Saturday faced the last and strongest position of the Boers, who bar his way to Ladysmith. The strenuous fighting indicates a battle between armies rather than rear guard sections protecting a retreat.

On Thursday and Friday he lost 43 officers killed and wounded, representing probably a total of from 400 to 500.

General White's guns worked on Saturday, and a heliograph from Ladysmith reported that the Boers were retreating, and that larger rations were being used in view of the fact that relief seemed at hand.

Nothing has been heard from Mafeking since Feb. 12.

The movement on the veldt away from the railway is becoming increasingly difficult for large bodies of troops, as the grass is burned up. General French has to wagon forage for his horses, and even the infantry finds the long marches harder than before, as forage for the transport animals must be carried. This requires the formation of garrisoned depots. The ordinary campaigning season is over, and the sickly season for both men and animals has set in.

Technical military writers take these things into consideration in forecasting events.

Winston Churchill, in a dispatch to The Morning Post from Frere camp, dated Sunday, says: The idea that the Boers are raising the siege of Ladysmith is premature. The advance is being pursued in the face of the most stubborn opposition and of heavy loss. President Kruger's grandson is among the Boers killed.

Mr. Churchill then proceeds to describe heavy fighting last Friday, in which the Inniskillings approached within 500 yards of the summit of a rocky Boer position and then gallantly charged in the face of a hail of bullets. He says: "After repeated attempts, however, and having lost heavily, they recognized that they were unable to prevail. Nevertheless, they refused to retreat, but lay down on the slope, behind a shelter of walls. The Connaughts and the Dublin fusiliers were sent to their support, but the light faded and the night closed in before the main attack had developed."

Spenser Wilkinson's article in The Morning Post today is almost wholly devoted to criticism of General Buller's apparently mistaken tactics in sending small forces to take positions and then reinforcing these by details, as revealed in the dispatch from Mr. Churchill. Mr. Wilkinson admits, however, that Mr. Churchill's advices are too incomplete to enable a correct idea to be formed. His dispatch breaks off in the middle, leaving the battle unfinished.

Californian May Be Saved.

Portland, Me., Feb. 27.—The steamship Californian still remains hard and fast on Ram island ledge, but Allan line officials are confident that not only will a considerable portion of the cargo be saved in an uninjured condition, but the steamer herself will be floated in a very short time.

Palmetto State Prospering.

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 27.—The total amount of capital of cotton mills projected in this state since Jan. 1 is nearly $3,000,000, or nearly $50,000 a day. The Ashworth Electrical company of Cherawa, capital $100,000, was chartered yesterday. Rhode Island capitalists are back of it.

☞ Carpets Cleaned—Taken up and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

ADMIRAL SAMPSON REPLIES.

Denies Spanish Captain's Statement Relative to Injury to the Cristobal Colon.

Boston, Feb. 27.—Admiral Sampson positively denies the statements made in an article that has just appeared in a volume of the war notes series, issued by the bureau of naval intelligence at Washington, by Captain Victor N. Concas y Palu, formerly commander of the cruiser Infanta Maria Teresa, and chief of Admiral Cervera's staff in the Santiago battle. In the course of the article, which is translated from the Spanish, Cervera's captain says:

"The Cristobal Colon, although going at a speed of 13 knots, ran ashore on sand, and if Admiral Sampson, with a more seaman-like spirit, had ordered the divers to close the valves, he could most certainly have saved the cruiser, but with feverish impatience he towed her off with his own flagship, the New York. Hardly had the ship been floated when she began to list, at which moment, with great dexterity, he pushed the Colon back again with the ram of his own ship toward the sandy shoal, but it was too late, and turning over that noble cruiser went to the bottom of the sea forever. The few Americans and Spaniards who were still on board hastily saved themselves."

The above statement was shown to the admiral and he gave out the following in reply:

"The Cristobal Colon surrendered, ran ashore and broke her sea valves. Her captain, after he came aboard the New York, assured me that the Colon was in good order. He took his meals with me on board the New York, and more than once assured me that his ship was in good order. The Colon floated off without any assistance, and Captain Chadwick pushed her back on shore, where she now lies. At low tide she is about 10 feet dry. As I said before, the captain said he had not injured her. This statement was, of course, disproved. The valves had been broken and could not be closed. I accused the captain of having broken the valve stems. He declared that if it was done the engineer did it and that it was without his knowledge or consent.

"Considering the fact that the ship had been sunk after she had surrendered made me recommend that the commanding officer be retained on board, or that he be shot as having destroyed public property which after her surrender belonged to the captor. I made the same recommendation in regard to the captain of the Sandoval, who sank his ship after the surrender at Santiago, and several days after he had received a letter from me warning him that he was no longer at liberty to do injury to the vessel. He deserved to be shot, but I did not see just how we were to get at it."

Dr. Parkhurst Will Be Busy.

New York, Feb. 27.—Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst has announced his intention of devoting his energies hereafter almost exclusively to the demands made upon his time as pastor of the Madison Square Presbyterian church. This conclusion was reached because of the decision of his church to build a mission house, to cost $200,000. This means that Dr. Parkhurst will leave the details of the work of the Society for the Prevention of Crime to others.

Daly's Heavy Contributions.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Marcus Daly, the millionaire miner of Montana, was the principal witness before the senate committee on privileges and elections yesterday. He confessed that he had contributed $20,000 or $25,000 to the prosecution of this case, but he asserted that he did not enter into any conspiracy before Clark's election to injure him. He had not contributed any of the $30,000 used in the Whiteside exposure.

Word "May" Saves a Decision.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The war department has found a means of escape from the necessity which apparently confronted it of deciding at this time whether or not a state of war existed. The judge advocate general declares that the law relative to the purchase of army discharges is discretionary. The secretary of war "may" in time of peace discharge a soldier who wishes to purchase his discharge.

An Unwelcome Arrival.

New York, Feb. 27.—A well defined case of leprosy was discovered at the Barge office yesterday in the person of Archibald Mandeville, 22 years old, a native of Barbados, who arrived here on Friday last on the steamer Buffon. He was ordered back on board the Buffon. Mandeville had plenty of money and said he had come north in the hope that the cold weather would improve his condition.

Dividend of Thirty-five Percent.

New York, Feb. 27.—Edward S. Campbell, as receiver, has been directed to pay a dividend of 35 percent to the creditors of the Middlesex County National bank of Perth Amboy, N. J., which was wrecked by George M. Valentine, its cashier.

Cannot Claim Damages.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The United States supreme court has decided that an express messenger who was injured in a railroad accident after signing an agreement to relieve the railroad company from responsibility in case of accident could not claim damages.

Five Shocks Administered.

New York, Feb. 27.—Antonio Ferraro was executed by electricity at Sing Sing prison yesterday for the murder of Luciano Muchio in Brooklyn on April 4, 1898. Five shocks were administered before the attending physicians were satisfied that he was dead.

Large School Building Burned.

Albany, Feb. 27.—School No. 12, the largest public school here, was burned last night. Loss, $65,000. Eleven hundred pupils are prevented from attending school for the present. The teachers and pupils lost much valuable property.

AGREEMENT REACHED.

Republicans Expect to Pass the Puerto Rican Bill In a Modified Form.

Has Received the Sanction of President McKinley.

Reduction of Duty and Operation of the Bill Limited to Two Years.

Washington, Feb. 27.—About 125 Republican members attended the second conference on the Puerto Rican tariff bill in the hall of the house of representatives last night. The leaders had been in consultation during the day, discussing plans for allaying the opposition to the bill, and bring the recalcitrants into line.

At the conference assurances were given that the president believed the measure constitutional, and would approve it if it came to him, and an agreement was reached to limit the operation of the bill to two years, and to reduce the duty imposed by it from 25 to 15 percent of the American tariff.

The Republican leaders claim that the bill will have the support of all the Republicans except four, Messrs. McCall (Mass.), Littlefield (Me.), Lorimer (Ills.) and Crumpacker (Ind.), and that this loss will be offset by affirmative votes of the opposition. They claim the passage of the modified bill is certain.

After the conference adjourned at 11 o'clock Chairman Cannon gave out the following statement of the amendments agreed upon by the conference:

"The conference requested the ways and means committee to offer an amendment to the bill as follows: 'Amend the title to make it an act temporarily to provide revenue for the island of Puerto Rico and for other purposes,' and to add the following section: 'This act shall be taken and held to be provisional in its purpose, intended to meet a pressing, present need for revenue for the island of Puerto Rico, and is not to continue in force after March 1, 1902.' These amendments were adopted with practical unanimity. Another to reduce the duty imposed by the act from 25 to 15 percent was adopted by a vote of 105 to 11. A further amendment is to be offered by the ways and means committee, to make it clear that no double duty is imposed; that the payment of one internal revenue tax is the total tax on importations."

Mr. McCall said after the conference that he still believed the bill will be defeated. It will be a tight squeeze, anyway, said he.

The general debate upon the Puerto Rican tariff bill was yesterday extended until tonight. Interest centered in the conferences which were going on among the Republican leaders and the dissenting Republicans in their efforts to compromise their differences upon the bill. The speakers yesterday were Messrs. Boutell (Ills.), Brown (O.), Mondell (Wyo.), Graham (Pa.) and Reeder (Ills.) for the bill, and Messrs. Bartlett (Ga.), Lanham (Tex.), Moon (Tenn.), Williams (Ills.), Johnston (W. Va.), Sutherland (Neb.), Jett (Ills.), Noonan (Ills.) and Wilson (Ariz.) against it.

Formal discussion of the right of former Senator Quay to a seat in the senate chamber as a member from Pennsylvania was begun by Mr. Turley. He presented a constitutional argument against the seating of Mr. Quay, which was given close attention by his colleagues. Consideration of the Hawaiian government bill brought out a lively discussion between Mr. Tillman and Mr. Spooner. An amendment was made to the bill, striking out the property qualification of voters for members of the legislature, but little other progress was made.

During the debate, Mr. Tillman said: "In South Carolina the niggers hold the balance of power. As such they stand there as a menace to a pure suffrage and to good government, because they are a purchasable quantity, educated or uneducated. We are charged with fraud and corruption and ballot box stuffing. Finally, after the bayonets had come to us again in 1876, we rose in righteousness and might. We took the government. We stuffed the ballot boxes, we bulldozed the niggers and we shot them. And we are not ashamed of it."

Won't Corrupt Waterbury Morals.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 27.—According to a notice signed by Mayor Kilduff and the city clerk, which was served on the manager of a local theatre yesterday, "Sapho," which was booked for presentation here tonight, will not be produced. No license will be granted, and Chief of Police Egan has been instructed to see to it that no performance of the play should take place.

At Manufacturers' Figures.

Philadelphia, Feb. 27.—The upholstery weavers' strike, which was begun about 12 weeks ago, has ended. The men asked for a general advance in wages of about 24 percent. They were offered an increase of 12 percent, which they refused and then struck. Last night, however, the strikers concluded to go back to work at the figures named by their employers.

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CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Assessors will meet at City Hall, on THURSDAYS of each week from 9 until 11 A. M., for the transaction of all business that may come before them for the ensuing year.

Per order of the Board,
JAMES THOMPSON,
Principal Assessor.
Feb. 15. lp-2w

H. A. HAYDEN,
Piano Tuner.
Quincy Office, C. F. Pettengill's Jewelry Store, 126 Hancock street.
Residence, No. 5 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point.
Oct. 6 tf

FRANK F. CRANE,
AUCTIONEER and APPRAISER,
Office, 4 Chestnut St., Quincy, Mass
Aug. 17. tf

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	25	29	30	49	43
Monday,	23	30	34	40	32
Tuesday,	12	34	52	43	28
Wednesday,	—	45	38	39	30
Thursday,	—	41	50	40	27
Friday,	—	39	41	42	54
Saturday,	—	45	41	40	52

New Advertisements Today.

Mortgagee's Sale at Public Auction.
Auctions by C. H. Johnson.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ We are not worrying about Prof. Sumner's ability to take care of himself. He has often proved that already. But there is something very funny in the attacks now being made upon him. No authentic report of his talk on marriage has been given, but the floating story is that he said that not ten per cent. of the people who marry realize their highest ideals. This creates a storm of indignation in some quarters. But we would like to know if ten per cent. of the bachelors and old maids of the country have realized their highest ideals. If not, where are the critics?—Hartford Courant.

Probably the bachelors and old maids realize their ideals when they get married. Perhaps less than ten per cent. get there.

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The stock is new and well assorted, consisting of two Show Cases, Tumblers, Chimneys, Soup Dishes, Milk Pitchers, Water Sets, Glass Pitchers, Berry Sets, Wine Sets, 16 Lamps, 4 Toilet Sets, 12 dozen Cups and Saucers, 30 dozen Plates, 12 White Basins, 12 dozen Wine Glasses, 24 Window Shades, 24 Spittoons, 6 Tea Pots, 18 Trays, 12 Oil Cans, 12 Dinner Pails, 9 Coal Hods, 3 Lanterns, 12 Water Pails, 24 Sauce Pans, 12 Brooms, 3 Hanging Lamps, 36 Brushes, 3 Wash Boilers, 6 Wash Boards, lot of Candy and Tobacco, and a large variety of useful Household Goods.

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FRIDAY, March 2, 1900. Household Goods of Edwin Murphy, 45 Sumner street, at 1.30 P. M.

SATURDAY, March 3, 1900. Household Goods, Hardware, Carpenters Materials, of the late William R. Penniman, Pond street, South Braintree, at 1.30 P. M.

MONDAY, March 5, 1900. Entire Stock and fixtures of Philip Finklestein, 117 Water street, South Quincy, 1.30 P. M.; consisting of Crockery, Glassware and Hardware.

TUESDAY, March 6, 1900. Large Sale Household Furniture of the late Mrs. Richard Wells, corner Pleasant and Union streets, Hingham Centre, 1.30 P. M.

Feb. 27. 1t

Grand Concert.

GIVEN by the Combined Boy Choirs of Christ Church, Quincy, and St. Chrysostom's Church, Wollaston, for the Choir Boys' Camp Fund.

Sir John Stainer's Famous Cantata,

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SURRENDERS.

Gen Cronje Gives Up His Force of Boers.

All His Men Are Prisoners of Roberts.

The Surrender Is Reported to Have Been Unconditional.

London, Feb. 27—The most encouraging news from the war in South Africa has just been received. Gen. Cronje, who evacuated Kimberley a few days ago and has been hard pressed since, has surrendered his force. All his men are prisoners of Gen. Robert. The surrender is said to have been unconditional.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Ten below zero early this morning.

The editors are having a hot time in New Orleans. The mercury recorded 54 degrees at 8 A. M. on Monday, the day of their arrival

The annual reunion of the Quincy High School Alumni will be held in High School hall Friday, March, 9.

The temperature at noon today was 12 above, which is the lowest the mercury has fallen since Jan. 1, 1899, when it reached 9 above.

Louis W. Arnold of Braintree, has been elected by the school board of Holyoke, as a teacher of French and German in the High school of that city.

Rev. M. S. Nash, pastor of the Universalist church at Hanover, resigned on Sunday to accept the pastorate of the Weymouth and North Weymouth churches.

The special car for members of the city government who will visit the Fore River Engine Works next Thursday, will leave City Square at 2.50 instead of 3 o'clock.

Another exhibit of interest is at the Thomas Crane public library, including the original drawing of Scribner's Magazine illustrations, which were loaned to the Library Art Club. The list numbers 44, and includes the work of eleven artists. The exhibit will remain until March 17.

It is understood that the Legislative Committee which inspected the Point bridge yesterday favor amending the bill so that Suffolk county shall be included. Attention is also called to the fact that the Lynn and Boston Street Railway was compelled to pay $7,000 towards the new Everett bridge.

Mrs. Herbert Barker of Hancock street gave a birthday party for her daughter Miss Florence in Polands hall, Norfolk Downs. The dresses of the little maids were simple and pretty, and their escorts bore the dignity of the situation with manly grace. Miss Ethel Dorman of Appleton street played for the dancing.

Tomorrow will be Ash Wednesday, and union services of the Episcopal churches of the city will be held. In morning, at 10.45, Rev. C. P. Mills of Wollaston will preach at Christ church, and at 8 P. M., Rev. Walter Russell Breed of Quincy will preach at St. Chrysostom's church.

Some of the many friends of Miss S. F. Dodge met at her home Friday evening Feb. 23, and tendered her a surprise. During the evening innumerable parlor games were played. Mr. Bert Cook and Miss Mary E. Cain rendered banjo and graphaphone selections. A grand collation was served during the evening. A beautiful parlor lamp was presented Miss Dodge by Miss Annie E. Shea of West Quincy. Dancing was enjoyed until after midnight.

The Pilgrim Fathers' dance, given in Music Hall, Atlantic, Monday evening, passed off as successfully as anticipated. Poole's orchestra played for the dancing, and there were about thirty couples present. Councilman William Gassett was floor director, and Wales catered. The order of dances was not confined to waltzes and two steps, but as the members of the Pilgrim Fathers are for the most part along in years, several square dances figured on the programme.

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THE POINT BRIDGE.

Committee of the Legislature Pay It a Visit.

And Also Inspect the Fore River Engine Works.

The War Ships and Works of Interest to All.

The Committee on Roads and Bridges of the Legislature visited Quincy Monday to view the Quincy Point bridge, a petition to widen which is now before them for consideration.

The party arrived from Boston at 1.49, and immediately took a special car for Quincy Point. Among the number were Senator Fales, Chairman Davis and Representatives Merchant, O'Brien, Shufelt, Marsh, Cole, Poor and Dooling of the committee, who were in charge of Messenger Johnson. Representatives Sheppard and Sprague of Quincy and Hunt and Whalan of Weymouth, Mayor Hall, City Solicitor Sears, Commissioner Knowlton, Gordon Willis of the Weymouth board of Selectmen, De Wit C. Bates of the Hingham Selectmen (the last two gentlemen with Mayor Hall composing the trustees of the Quincy and Hingham bridges, Capt. Joel F. Sheppard, Albert P. Worthen, Benjamin J. Weeks and a representative of the Ledger.

Arriving at Quincy Point the party left the warm car and faced the cutting wind that blew almost a gale. The committee were very thorough in their examination and it was evident from their conversation that they thought a new bridge absolutely necessary. They also expressed some surprise that the bridge stood the strain it did, considering the length of time it had been built.

While they were taking a side view of the piles, one of Sheppard's three-horse coal teams passed over the bridge, and the way the planks rattled and the bridge shook was in itself a convincing argument. The bulging embankment on the Weymouth side was also noted, as well as the old-fashioned draw which bent and squeaked when walked over. From their conversation it was gathered that they were in favor of filling the Weymouth side at least one hundred feet.

Mr. Bates, the Hingham member of the bridge trustees, did not appear very warm over the project and said if the expense of the new bridge would have to be born by the towns of Quincy, Weymouth and Hingham he should object to singling out one of the two bridges. However the committee were non-committal.

The Messenger carried a little hand bag in which was a box of cigars from which he would occasionally hand one to the Representatives, but it was noticed no one else smoked at the State's expense.

From Quincy Point a trip was taken to the plant of the Fore River Engine Works, where they were received by T. A. Watson, F. O. Wellington, and others of the firm. Here every courtesy was shown the visitors.

They were first taken through the United States government offices and introduced to the government naval inspectors. Then the shops were visited and there were many exclamations of surprise at the extensiveness of the plant. The trip through the works was most interesting and over two hours was quickly passed.

In the yard was the government lightship, the steel frame of which was being put together.

Then they went to the galvanizing room and saw the largest galvanizing tank in the United States. Then the shop where the steel plates are handled with massive machinery which in an instant performs work that it would require a man a great amount of time to perform.

Next came the building wherein are the two torpedo boat destroyers, Lawrence and Macdonough. These terrible machines of modern warfare are well underway and it was hard work to get the visitors away. They walked over the boats which perhaps at some future day will achieve some historic record. Mr. Watson, Mr. Wellington and others of the company accompanied the party, and fully explained everything.

Several walked inside the boilers, four of which go in each boat to generate steam that shall drive them through the water at a rate of 30 knots an hour. These boilers are of peculiar shape. Each contains 2,000 steel tubes which if placed in a line would cover seven miles. There were many other interesting things to be seen in this part of the plant which space does not permit reciting. Safe it is to say, however, that some of the members entered the steel coning towers and looking out of the port holes allowed their imagination to lead them to think they were off the entrance of the harbor at Santiago looking for the Spanish fleet.

The next room visited was the machine shop, where the visitors saw the massive engines that are to drive the torpedo boat destroyers. They in fact saw and took in everything.

They were then guided back to the office and into the reception room, where a caterer had been installed during their absence. For the next half hour one of the nicest of lunches was enjoyed.

Before taking the car for home, Chairman Davis proposed a rising vote of thanks for the courtesy shown, and it is unnecessary to say that all stood up to be counted.

Shortly before 5 o'clock a special car arrived, and with cigars well lighted the guests took their departure, with the thoughts that they had certainly passed an instructive afternoon.

THE HEARING TODAY.

Quincy and Neighboring Towns Largely Represented.

Two hearing in which Quincy is interested were heard before committees of the Legislature this morning. The first was a bill which provides that the care of the Quincy and Hingham bridges shall be jointly by the counties of Plymouth and Norfolk. The second bill provides for the rebuilding of Quincy Point bridge.

The first hearing was before the Committee on Counties and was called for 10.30. As this committee had other hearings it was nearly 11.30 before the bill was reached. The witnesses in one case were the witnesses in the other, and as the hearing on the Quincy Point bridge was called at 11.30 the witnesses became divided.

Many were present including Mayor Hall, Councilman Newcomb, John R. Graham, H. T. Whitman, James S. Whiting, Marcus Wight of Quincy, Selectmen Gordon Willis, N. W. Gardner, George L. Newton of Weymouth, T. A. Watson, F. O. Wellington, Mr. Elwell, Capt. Sheppard, John Kelley of Braintree, Francis Cowing, F. A. Lewis, A. J. Richards and M. E. Hawes of Weymouth and Selectman DeWitt C. Bates of Hingham.

There were also present the Representatives from Weymouth and Quincy, Selectman Simpson of Milton, Mr. Rackerman of Milton, one of the Commissioners of Norfolk County, and citizens from other town in the county.

A. P. Worthen, Esq., conducted the case for the bill, and several gentlemen spoke in favor of it, among them being: Mayor Hall, Gordon Willis, F. O. Wellington, T. A. Watson, Capt. Sheppard and Mr. Elwell.

They consumed all the time until 1 o'clock, when, as there were a number of more witnesses on both sides to be heard, an adjournment was taken until Wednesday at 10.30.

Up to the present time no question seemed to be advanced as to the necessity of widening the bridge, but as the bill calls for the counties of Norfolk and Plymouth to stand the expense there will be considerable oppositions from the towns in the county, not particularly benefited by the rebuilding of the bridge.

An extended report of the testimony given at today's hearing will be published in Wednesday's Ledger.

The Concert Tonight.

The Choir Boys' concert in Music hall this evening at eight o'clock will be the musical event of the season. The doors open at seven thirty o'clock and tickets can be purchased at the box office.

The chorus numbers forty-one boys and twenty-one men. The soloists are Mrs. H. Y. Follett, Trinity church, Boston, and Master Andrew Todd, St. Chrysostom's church, Wollaston, sopranos; Mr. A. W. Ferguson, Boston, tenor, and Mr. Silas R. Mills, professor of music at Smith college, Northampton, bass. Mr. George Dunham, Brockton, will be accompanist and Mr. E. Landis Snyder, choir master of Christ church, Quincy; St. Chrysostom's church, Wollaston, and St. Pauls' church, Brockton, the director.

An elaborate programme has been prepared. Part 2 will include "The Daughter of Jairus," the narrative of which is from the Holy Gospels of SS. Mathew, Mark and Luke.

—The sportman's show is now at full blast at the Mechanics building, Boston. The exhibition is a remarkably good one, including wild animals, game birds, water fowl, fish and trade exhibits, which will be features of the show. One of the most complete departments is the aquarium. In its novel arrangement for the display of our-best game fish it excels anything ever shown in this country. The 12 large tanks, encased in a rustic structure, show a background of rocks, and as the water filtered and a strong light thrown upon it, the fish are shown at the best advantage. The live game exhibits from Maine and Quebec are also very good. Every afternoon and evening during the show there is a varied and very interesting programme of water sports, gymnastics and basket ball, beside such attractive exhibitions as Indian war dances, water pantomimes and sensational high diving.

STRIKE SITUATION.

No Meeting Last Night But One Tomorrow Night.

A Disposition on Both Sides to Reach Settlement.

Much Depends on Power of the Cutters' Committee.

The Ledger stated Monday that the report that a meeting was to be held that evening, between committees representing the Granite Manufacturers' Association and the Granite Cutters' Union, was without foundation, as far as the Manufacturers' committee knew this proved to be true. No light shed forth its rays from the rooms of the Manufacturers in Durgin & Merrill's block, and inquiry failed to disclose any meeting.

This morning the Manufacturers' Committee was communicated with and it was learned that no meeting had been held. It was learned, however, that a meeting of the two committees had been called for Wednesday evening at the rooms of the Manufacturers' Association.

What the result of the meeting will be no one knows. There, however, seems to be a disposition on the part of both committees to reach an early settlement of the difficulties. That they will do so is the earnest wish of the citizens in general.

Everything depends upon how much power the Cutters' committee have. If they have any power to settle other than upon the eight-hour-$3 basis, there is no question but a settlement can be reached. If however, the cutters must strike before they can settle upon any other terms than those mentioned in the demand, it means that there will be a strike Thursday morning and here again the length of the strike depends upon how much power the Cutters' committee have.

BARRE'S ULTIMATUM

Manufacturers Pledge Themselves to Pay 34 cents an Hour.

A dispatch from Barre to the Boston papers says, At a meeting lasting until midnight the Barre Granite Manufacturers' Association drafted their ultimatum to the Granite Cutters' Union, which is embodied in the following resolution unanimously adopted:

Resolved, that this association believes that in offering the Granite Cutters' National Union of Barre the sum of 34 cents per hour as an average rate of wages and conceding them the eight-hour day for six days in the week, we have offered them all that we possibly can, and all that the condition of business will warrant at this time, and do hereby pledge ourselves to stand by said proposition.

Nearly all the manufacturers or their representatives were present, at the meeting and all were in accord. A strike is now inevitable. The cutters meet Wednesday evening, but cannot take action on the proposition, because it does not meet their full demands of $3 and eight hours. Prominent manufacturers stated after the meeting that the association had played its last card. The action of the manufacturers tonight means that 3,000 cutters and affiliated workmen in Vermont will quit work Thursday morning. Barre has 150 cutters.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Nathan Wolf of Quincy for violation of the city ordinances relating to junk dealers, was called and again continued until March, 13.

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By FRANK A. LOCKE.

20 years a tuner in Quincy. Boston office, Hallet and Davis Piano Rooms, 179 Tremont street, Quincy office, at Linscott's the jeweler. Wollaston office, at Nash's Real Estate office. Telephone, residence. Feb. 26-1y

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Feb. 23. tf

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We save you from 10 to 15 per cent. on Boston Prices. This is not idle talk, we mean every word that we say, and people are rapidly finding out that Carpets can be bought cheaper at this store than in Boston.

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Carpets that are made for service, the latest and most popular designs, and best of all, our money saving prices. Our Carpets fully guaranteed.

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54th ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE

Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

NET ASSETS, January 1, 1899, $61,807,067.33

RECEIVED IN 1899.

For Premiums,	$4,932,559.33	
For Interest and Rents,	2,989,047.28	
For Balance Profit and Loss,	86,150.70	
		8,007,757.31
		$69,814,824.64

DISBURSED IN 1899.

For claims by death, matured endowments and annuities,	$4,323,361.90	
Surplus returned to policy holders,	1,265,334.14	
Lapsed and Surrendered Policies,	532,667.53	
TOTAL TO POLICY-HOLDERS,	$6,121,363.57	
Commissions to Agents, Salaries, Medical Examiners' Fees, Printing, Advertising, Legal, Real Estate, all other Expenses,	921,844.12	
TAXES,	393,738.22	
		7,436,945.91
BALANCE NET ASSETS, Dec. 31, 1899,		$62,377,878.93

SCHEDULE OF ASSETS.

Loans upon Real Estate, first lien,		$26,192,657.64
Loans upon Stocks and Bonds,		2,300.00
Premium Notes on Policies in force,		829,945.23
Cost of Real Estate owned by the Company,		11,611,987.33
Cost of Bonds,		22,407,953.33
Cost of Bank and Railroad Stocks,		473,504.16
Cash in in Banks,		835,217.83
Bills receivable,		5,061.63
		$62,379,577.15
Less Agents' Credit Balances,		1,698.22
		$62,377,878.93
ADD		
Interest due and accrued,	$983,777.38	
Rents due and accrued,	16,805.02	
Market Value of stocks and bonds over cost,	870,526.57	
Net uncollected and deferred premiums,	340,013.34	
	$2,211,122.31	
Less Bills Receivable,	5,061.63	
		$2,206,060.68
GROSS ASSETS, December 31, 1899,		$64,583,939.61
LIABILITIES:		
Amount required to reinsure all outstanding Polices, net, Company's standard,	$55,828,853.00	
All other liabilities,	1,546,745.02	
		$57,375,598.02
SURPLUS, (including contingent real estate depreciation mem. account,	$750,000.00	$7,208,341.59
Ratio of expenses of management to receipts in 1899,		11.51 per cent.
Policies in force Dec. 31, 1899, 67,649.		
Insuring,		$160,432,486.00

JACOB L. GREENE, President. JOHN M. TAYLOR, Vice-Prest.
HERBERT H. WHITE, Secretary. DANIEL H. WELLS, Actuary.
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DEMANDS OF TIMES.

What They Are Relative to Education.

Conclusion of Supt. Lull's Annual Report.

A Broad Curriculum and Greater Opportunities.

Continuing the review of the annual school report of Supt. Lull we find under the sub-head of High school, compliments for Mr. Frederic Allison Tupper, the retiring principal, and Mr. Charles F. Harper, who succeeded him, also for other new teachers.

One notes with some surprise that so many Grammar graduates of 1899 were "conditioned," 114 in a total of 324. Although but 202 received full certificates, 207 entered the High, 27 the Adams Academy, 18 the Woodward Institute, 4 Thayer Academy and 10 other schools, so that only 56 left school.

The progress of the evening schools are noted, and the good work of the Teachers' Association, the Grammar Masters' club, and the kindergarten school of the Home Science Association.

Of the Training Class Supt. Lull says: "In accordance with a vote of the Board in June, 1898, and after a notice of one year, no training class was organized in September 1899. Naturally this change has met with some adverse criticism. The class has been a part of our school system for more than a score of years, and it will be difficult for many who have not realized the radical changes going on all about us, who have personal reasons for preferring this short cut to the teacher's desk, to approve of the new departure. However, this action of the Board will make it possible to bring into the school a corps of teachers much better fitted and with a broader conception of the work.

"If Quincy would hold her own, she must take another step; viz., demand a normal training and also a half-year of independent experience elsewhere before election in this city. As an exception to the first requirement, a successful experience of three years, or a college diploma might be considered equivalent to a normal education."

The report recommends medical inspection, and further decoration of the school rooms.

DEMANDS OF THE TIME.

The concluding of the report is the demand of the times and is meaty and of interest, so we give it in full:

"A false conception of the duties of the teacher and the purpose of the school is abroad. One man complained because 'six school boys could not tie a knot that would not slip;' another that the new boy could not 'do up a bundle;' a third that the young graduate 'could not measure lumber;' and a fourth that his applicant for a position could not "begin to add with his clerk.' Each man would have the boy know what he had learned by experience in his own line of work. The true complaint should be this: 'these boys can't learn the preliminaries of my business; their minds can't grasp the conditions, and their hands cannot respond.' If such a complaint is true, when a boy is not 'born short,' then the cause may be in the school. As every successful man out in the world is successful because of his aptitude for his particular business, so it may be that the boy has sought a livelihood for which he has no natural ability.

"There are those who believe that the employer should test the general intelligence of the applicant. How does he think; how large is his world; can he apply himself to anything; what are his ideas of right and wrong, of honesty, responsibility, cleanliness, neatness, order, punctuality what is he reading, what is his idea of 'a good time,.' A boy of average intelligence who can answer these questions satisfactorily, may tie a knot that slips on the first trial, may be slow in the beginning, may confess complete ignorance of the details of any business, but, if his spirit is right, he will say—'No, sir, I can't do this and I don't know that; but my school training of eye, hand, and brain will soon enable me to understand and perform whatever you ought 'to require of me.'

"The reflection on the school, then, is this;—not that the boy can't do; but he can't learn. The schools must prevent the growth of a new generation with 'narrow-gauge,' near-sighted minds, whose little back-yards are their great world. The graduate of the grammar school who has a record of excellent, of good, or, perhaps, of only fair, goes forth into the world after eight years of school life in rooms numbering from 40 to 70 pupils with a foundation on which to build. Please notice that these years give only the beginnings. This fo n ation includes much practice in reading, writing, and speaking English; it contains the fundamental of arithmetic, including the simple forms of business life; and it treats of the growth, development and resources of our country. It deals with the reading, singing and enjoyment of real music, and with the elements of drawing so the child may express himself and appreciate the harmony and beauty all about him. It means more than the old time geography, for it embraces a crude conception of the wonders of this word-home, wonders of the mineral, plant, and animal kingdoms, wonders of the land, the sea, and the heavens, wonders that the average adult has never even dreamed of. It contains in many places, not in Quincy (excepting sewing for four grades and cooking for one,) a training of the hand. This is not for the purpose of teaching any trade, but for the moral element in exact band work and for its reaction on the mind and the soul, to the end that the whole child may be schooled.

"It should be added that much of the reading material is real literature—not diluted for the child but selected and carefully graded to his mental status. Other reading material is geographical and historical, and also of a scientific nature; and thus it binds together the varied school curriculum. In addition every teacher of grades V, VI, VII, VIII is supervising the outside reading of the pupils. In every room in a special book is kept a record of every child's reading. Furthermore, each teacher takes from the Crane library suitable books for those lacking ambition and places them in the hands of the pupils with a personal request to read them.

"Attention should be called to the fact that although this synopsis would seem to indicate a very broad curriculum, yet the treatment of it tends to reduce the time element; because it is tied together by connecting links so that a reading, a language, a history, a science, or even a drawing lesson, may all be related and may more firmly impress on the mind the one main topic of a lesson.

"Aside from the breadth of the course, however, is another purpose. The child has a greater opportunity of 'finding himself.' In this seeming diversity are many 'windows looking out into the world.' Through these he may catch a glimpse of his particular gift, his future, his possibilities, his vocation. At least the teacher may see the child's bent and so advise and direct that he may fit himself for his life work. Certainly this is no vain expectation, for since the school departed from the 3 'R's' there is much more to appeal to the child to develop latent talent, and to stimulate his zeal.

"Vocation is not all. One-third of the day for work, one-third for rest and refreshment, one-third for sleep, was the old-time motto. The great question today for the laborer of eight hours is what shall become of the second eight. This is a vital subject. Does the present curriculum of the elementary schools in any way help to answer it? If so, then there is one justification for it. Does the graduate seek the street and other public resorts in order to 'kill his time?' Does the graduate find in his broader conception of life, in the new possibilities and opportunities something that appeals to him so that an avocation is assured which shall give to Quincy a home loving, self-improving, law abiding citizen? The police courts seem to answer the question in the affirmative.

"When, however, all has been said there is still a broad field of school work which has not been touched. What of the school habits and virtues inculcated in a good school? The list is too long to describe or even to catalogue; but it is self evident that much of this life depends not on what we know, but on what we feel and what we are. The school of today does more for the child in these respects than has ever been done before in the history of man. Our teachers are particularly strong in this respect. There is not at this date a demoralized room, as far as discipline is concerned in Quincy. This is by no means a common result, as those who travel through the state well know. It is with great pleasure that I pay this tribute to our teaching corps.

"With thanks for the cordial support of this Board, the teachers, the parents, and the local press, this report is respectfully submitted."

The report of the High school is written by Mr. Charles F. Harper, the principal and will be reviewed in a few days.

—She—I'll bet when Adam first met Eve he put on an air of superiority. He—Well, there was nothing else to put on just at that time.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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CRAIG—HOLLINSHEAD—In Boston, Feb. 24, by Rev. Alfred R. Kehew, Mr. Robert B. Craig of Quincy to Miss Fannie J. Hollinshead.

QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

Parents noticing errors of any kind in the births of 1899 as published in the Ledger, are requested to notify City Clerk Cleaves promptly, that corrections may be made before the City Book is printed.

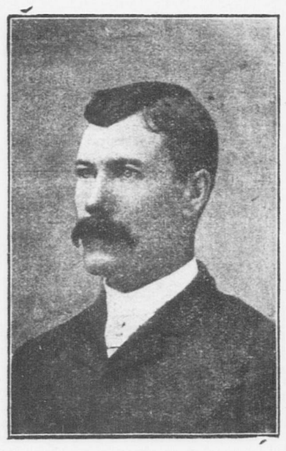
DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
May 1.	Peter William Djerf,	Oscar E. and Amanda
1.	Helen Marie Galvin,	Timothy J. and Margaret
2.	Edward James Lamb,	Thomas J. and Laura E.
2.	Harriet Louise Anderson.	August and Henrietta
2.	Caroline Crane,	Harry S. and Coroline
3.	Hilda Swanson,	Jacob and Hilda
3.	——— Galligan,	James H. and Mary A.
3.	Clara Murray,	George H. and Sarah O.
5.	Gracie Bianchi,	Herbert and Mary
6.	——— Anderson,	Anton and Sigrid
6.	Mary Ann Welch,	Michael and Kate
6.	Josephine E. M. A. Mortenson,	William and Elizabeth
7.	Ernest Francis Wallace,	Ernest and Elizabeth
9.	James Ambrose Flowers,	Charles H. and Susan A.
10.	John Thomas Poole,	John J. and Julia
10.	Henry Murdock McDonald,	Alexander M. and Lavinia
12.	——— Coleman,	George C. and Annie M.
12.	Lambert Joseph Horne,	Charles and Martha
14.	———, Kelliher,	Andrew and Maggie
14.	Hannah Eva Rouleau,	August and Josephine
15.	Edna May Milne,	James and Marjorie
17.	Frederick Howard Hall,	John M. and Hattie A.
18.	Philip Michael Cook,	Philip D. and Mary
19.	Marion Louise Denneen,	William and Susie
20.	——— McNally,	Charles and Selma
20.	Illegitimate,	
20.	Alphonso Pederzoli,	Joseph and Regina
21.	Ida May Carrullo,	John and Mary
21.	Eber Henrietta Peterson,	Olaf and Emma
21.	Homer Lane Bigelow, Jr.,	Homer L. and Mary S.
21.	Ruth Fisher,	Herbert F. and E. Ada
22.	Sydney Lloyd McLaughlin,	James W. and Laura
23.	John Joseph Reardon,	Patrick J. and Annie F
24.	William Joseph Bennett,	Patrick and Mary
24.	Hilda Linquist,	Carl and Hilda
24.	——— Cook,	Michael E. and Susan R.
26.	Mary White,	Thomas and Sarah
27.	Mary Ann Landry,	Joseph and Lumina
28.	Charles Frank Anderson,	Charles and Minnie
28.	——— Corti,	Charles V. and Machella
30.	Mildred J. Landholm,	Fred and Hannah
31.	Annie Viola Tite,	Samuel and Nellie M.
31.	Timothy McCarthy,	Dennis and Mary
31.	Mary A. Verrobbi,	Carlo and Corti

(To be continued.)

ANNUAL BANQUET.

And Installation of Officers of Mount Joy Preceptory.

Mount Joy Royal Black Knights of the Camp of Israel, held the annual installation of officers and banquet at Orangemans hall 110 Hancock street, Monday night. A large number of the Sir Knights were present. The report of the officers showed the preceptory to be in a flourishing condition, that good work had been done during the



past year, and that prospects for the future were bright. After the usual routine of business, Supreme Grand Master Sir Knight Thomas Milligan and staff of Boston took charge of the preceptory, and proceeded to install the officers for the ensuing year, as follows:

W. P.,—W. S. McCalder.
D. P.,—D. M. McKinnor.
Chaplain,—J. D. McKenzie.
Register,—Frank Tenney.
Treasurer,—M. A. Campbell.
Lecturers,—M. McLeod and W. B. Jones.
Censors, Thomas Bass and M. Gunderson.
Standard Bearers,—H. Hamilton and Charles F. Archibald.
Pursuvant,—A. Stewart.
Committeemen,—A. M. I. McLeod, M. McKenzie, M. A. McDonald, E. H. Geddis and Hugh Hamilton.

The installation ceremony was performed in a highly creditable and interesting manner. After which the members of Bay View, L. O. L., and Daughters of John Adams Ladies, L. O. L., were admitted, and all proceeded to the banquet hall, where justice was done to the good things provided for the occasion.

The supper over, the Preceptor called on Supreme Master Sir Thomas Milligan for remarks to which he responded dwelling more particularly upon the necessity of the sir knights together with the Orangemen and Orange Ladies making an effort to attend the coming triennial council of the world to be held in New York city next summer.

He was followed by other sir knights from Boston, who spoke briefly, as they had to leave to take the train, in order to make connections to their respective homes. Their remarks were well received, and the visitors left expressing their thanks for the cordial reception they had received.

The newly elected preceptor, Sir Knight McCalder, then took occasion to thank the sir knights for the honor conferred upon him, in electing him to the highest office in the preceptory. He assured them that he appreciated the honor, and would endeavor to discharge the duties of the offices to the best of his ability; he could do but little unless he had the attendance and support of the members.

He hoped the attendance would increase and a new interest be taken in the preceptory this year. The order of knighthood was one in which we ought to take a just pride, founded as it is on the principles of morality and virtue.

Knights of old were under a religious vow to devote themselves to the cause of suffering humanity. If any were in distress they would spend their lives for his relief. They were always required to tell the truth. They were expected to be full of generosity and courage, and never be guilty of any mean act. They were in short, expected to devote themselves to the cause of justice and humanity, and to remedy as far as in their power, the injustice and violence belonging to the age in which they lived. To follow their example ought to do all in our power to remedy the evils which exist today, not only in ourselves, but also in the community in which we live. In so doing we shall earn the good will of all pious and peaceable citizens.

He was pleased to see with us the members of Bay View, L. O. L., and the Ladies lodge, and hoped that this meeting together would prove a great benefit to us all, and would give us a new impulse to work together and help each other in building up the different branches of the order in which we are more particularly interested.

He was followed by Past Preceptor Sir Knight Geddes, Register Sir Knight Tenney, and others. At a late hour the proceedings came to a close and all left well pleased with the night's proceedings.

Banjo Concert.

The banjo, mandolin and guitar concert at Faxon hall Monday evening drew a larger audience than the recent recital given by Mr. Fred H. Lord, and it was a very pleasing concert. All the aritsts received encores. Master Theodore Muer in his mandolin solo and Miss May A. Moran, the reader were especial favorites. Little Ethel Monaghan in her mandolin solo was very pleasing. The Lord family, singly and collectively were as popular as ever in the musical numbers.

The prizes offered by Mr. Lord for the largest sale of tickets, were awarded to Clifford Byrne, Bert Cook and Theodore Muer.

—Rev. Dr. Henry van Dyke, the well-known author, has just been given $50-000 by his former parishioners in New York for the purchase of a house.

—Would it be an inspired misprint if some newspaper some day should speak of the "robbor trust" in referring to the "rubber trust"? — Somerville Journal.

ONE STEP AT A TIME.

That Would be Enough Says Manufacturers.

$2.65 for Eight Hours or $3.00 for Nine Hours.

Demand of Cutters Has Been an Injury to the Trade.

The Reporter of Chicago, the oldest trade journal of the granite industry says editorially in its February issue on the strike situation:

"Up to the time of writing this there has been no definite change of the situation as reported last month. There have, however, been conferences between the unions and the manufacturers in the East, and among the local unions there is no doubt that the common sense of the most reasonable members has shown them the folly of persisting in the demand for such a wholesale increase as proposed; and there is practically no doubt that if the matter were left for settlement with the local unions, the demands, would be modified to such a point that the manufacturers could grant them without ruining their business.

"It is reported now that the local unions are agitating a reconsideration of the clause in their constitution providing for the $3-8-hour day. It seems that this can be done by a majority vote of all the unions, and it looks now as if the final result would be a compromise, either on the $2.65-8-hour or $3.00-9-hour day, which will be only taking one step at a time instead of trying to take two at once. The general thought of manufacturers appears to be that such a scale could be put in effect without too seriously injuring business, and we believe that if the unions will modify their demands to something like those figures there will only be a brief struggle, if any at all.

"Whichever way it goes, however, the very making of the demand, foolish though it may have been, looked at in the light of its almost certain result, has worked a great injury to the trade all down the line, and the granite cutters will find themselves to be the heaviest losers.

"Manufacturers have for three months past declined making any contracts that could not be completed by March 1st, except at an advance based on the full demands of the cutters. The result is that many orders had to be turned down, on account of the price, and shops will be nearly all cleared up by March 1st. What is the result?

"Local retail men are selling marble or finishing their own granite.

"Suppose the demands granted. Price so high the trade is turned into other channels as, for instance, foreign and southern granite. No orders on the books, no men needed in the shop—no wages paid. The manufacturer has money in bank to pay the butcher and the grocer for a few months, but who is going to feed Mr. Granite Cutter? How will he ever get back the time lost? How will his employer succeed in working up enough business again at the increased prices to give this work.

"Did he think of that when he made his arbitrary demands? Oh no! Labor leaders to hold their offices, must make a show of securing something for the blind sheep who follow them, and are not prone to give much enlightenment on any points that would seem to favor the standpoint of the wage-payer. His interests are not shown as having any connection with those of the wage-earner, when if the men were left to themselves they would, in nine cases out of ten, be able to do their own thinking, and might have opportunity to figure out a little what the net results will be.

"Suppose the demands are not granted? Strike. Who pays the freight? The provident manufacturer, by trimming his sails according to the breeze, has got his work all out of the way, and can afford to rest a month or so and go into the business of wholesaling foreign granite. The granite cutter, meanwhile, may be drawing strike benefits, but who pays them? Not the manufacturer, surely. Nor yet the retail dealers. And how does the weekly benefit compare with the honest wages honestly earned? Does the salary of the 'business agent,' the 'walking delegate,' or other strike agitator stop when the granite cutters' income stops? Oh, no! Who pays it?

"Suppose, after a month or two months' strike the manufacturers give in. How much net gain to the granite cutter? Here are a few figures: In one month he works 26 days, 10 hours, for $2.65 a day; that is $68.90; for two months it is $137.80. Now suppose him to be on strike for two months and finally compromise on $5 for 9 hours. In two months at $3 he earns $18.20 more than at the old rate. It will take him almost 16 months to make up by increased wages what he lost while idle. If he gains all he asks, it will take him as long to recover his monetary loss, and his only gain will be in shorter working hours. If there is work for him only one-half the time, on account of raised prices, or only work for one-half of his fellows all the time, how much has he benefited the fellow workingman, about whom he is at times so solicitous? And what an irreparable injury he has done to the retail trade, which after all is the source of his bread and butter.

"The matter for the manufacturers, is in the hands of the New England association, and a joint meeting was to have been held with the representatives of the union in Boston, Feb. 13th, but we go to press too early to learn the result, if any.

"Our only hope is that good judgement prevailed and that measures were taken to get out of the difficulty with the least possible loss to all concerned."

From Madison To McKinley





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NEWS IN BRIEF.

As the result of their suspension and following a hearing on charges of intoxication at a fire, three members of the Pawtucket (R. I.) fire department were dismissed from the force by the board of aldermen.

The generous sums of $10,000 each are left to the German Ladies' Aid society of Boston and the National German-American Teachers' seminary at Milwaukee, by the will of the late George A. Sammett of Boston.

Ulmer Knowles, 5 years old, was run over by a heavy four-horse truck at Brookline, Mass., and instantly killed.

The molasses warehouse of Benjamin Adams & Co., at New York, was almost destroyed by fire. Loss, $40,000.

William A. Lombard of New York has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities of $58,656 and no assets. Among the creditors is the Cape Cod National bank of Harwich, Mass., $10,709.

John Nason of Millbridge, Me., aged 65, was killed by a tree limb while chopping with a logging crew.

The officials of the war department are annoyed at the unexpected delay in the preparation of the troopship Sumner for the Philippine transport service. She is being fitted out at Norfolk navy yard and was to be ready early in January.

—The class was having lessons in natural history, and the teacher asked: Now, is there any boy here can tell me what a zebra is? Tommy—Yes sir; I can. Teacher—Well, Tommy what is a zebra? Tommy—Please, sir a zebra is a donkey with a foot-ball suit on.

—The annual conference of the New England Methodist preachers will be held in Fitchburg this year, commencing April 2 and continuing a week.

—Bills, a fruitful source of anxiety to young housekeepers, should never be allowed to grow. Weekly settlements should be made. In this way only can one properly check her books.

—When a girl is willing to be weighed in the presence of a young man she wants to marry she knows beforehanb just what the scales will say.

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Englishman Knocked Out.

London, Feb. 27.—At the National Sporting club last night Tommy Hogan, the American beat Bill Chester of London in a 15-round boxing contest. Both men appeared in excellent condition, and they were fairly matched. At the opening of the eighth round Hogan got his right heavily on the jaw of Chester, who fell dazed and failed to rise to time.

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Dewey's Personal Share of Bounty For Victory In Manila Bay.

His Fleet Did Not Defeat a Superior Force.

Court of Claims Overrules Admiral's Contention and He May Take an Appeal.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The United States court of claims yesterday rendered an opinion on the claim of Admiral Dewey, his officers and men for naval bounty under section 4635 of the revised statutes for the destruction of the Spanish fleet in Manila bay, May 1, 1898, the court holding that the claimant has a right to recover for each person on board the enemy's ships the sum of $100.

This decision is on the basis that the admiral's fleet was superior to the Spanish fleet, excluding the shore batteries, the torpedoes and the mines in Manila bay. Admiral Dewey's claim was for $200 for each man belonging to the enemy's fleet, including the supporting shore batteries, mines and torpedoes.

The principal question involved was whether in determining the enemy's force the supporting shore batteries, mines and torpedoes should be included. The statute provides that a bounty shall be paid by the United States for each person on board any ship or vessel of war belonging to an enemy at the commencement of an engagement, which is sunk or otherwise destroyed in such engagement by any ship or vessel belonging to the United States, or which it may be necessary to destroy in consequence of injuries sustained in action, of $100, if the enemy's vessel was of inferior force, and of $200 if of equal or superior force, to be divided among the officers and crew in the same manner as prize money.

In the course of his brief, counsel for the admiral stated that the number of officers and men on the vessels of the United States during the battle was 1836; that the official complement of the Spanish vessels taking part in the battle was 2037, and that several of the enemy's vessels had on board a number considerably in excess of their complement, making the actual number on the enemy's vessels about 2973.

The total number of men on board the vessels of the enemy which were destroyed, including two torpedo boats, is given as 1914. Taking into consideration the guns at Corregidor, El Fraile and other forts at the entrance to Manila bay and those at Manila and Cavite and the torpedoes and mines in the bay's entrance to it, it was contended by counsel for Admiral Dewey that the enemy's force was superior to the vessels of the United States. The government insisted that the statute failed to provide for the contingency of the co-operation of land batteries with the naval forces destroyed, and that the court was powerless to supply the omission.

The court, in deciding the case, held that the law applied only to the force of the vessels engaged in the action, and that in this instance, taking the number and character of the vessels into account, the strength of their batteries on board and all other matters which properly go to the determination of the actual fighting strength of the two opposing fleets, that of the United States was the superior.

It is understood that counsel for Admiral Dewey will take an appeal to the supreme court of the United States. Under yesterday's decision Admiral Dewey is personally entitled to $9570.

As Altgeld Views It.

Detroit, Feb. 27.—"The State of Our Country and the Tendency of the Times" were discussed here last night by John P. Altgeld. Mr. Altgeld denounced the expansion idea as simply a joining with the monarchies in bullying and attacking weaker nations for purposes of spoliation, and appealed to his hearers to stand by the American principles of liberty and justice for all.

Mrs. Langtry Was There.

Philadelphia, Feb. 27.—The Broad Street theater was crowded yesterday with members of the fashionable set, the occasion being a concert for the benefit of the British soldiers' families fund. About $3000 was raised by the entertainment. The feature of the concert was the appearance of Mrs. Langtry, who recited in her khaki uniform.

Three Men Probably Fatally Hurt.

Newton, Mass., Feb. 27.—Henry Miller Richard J. Dixon and Joseph Ryan were victims of an explosion at the Masten & Wells fireworks factory yesterday, and there is scarcely a chance of their recovery. All the men were frightfully burned and bruised. They were making Roman candles when the explosion occurred.

Cornell May Close For a While.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Physicians confirm the rumors that the diphtheria epidemic in this city is very serious. The disease originated in milk which a milkman, living just outside the city, sold to his customers. If many more cases develop Cornell university will close its doors until the disease passes over.

Flour Trust Collapses.

Milwaukee, Feb. 27.—Judge Jenkins in the United States court has appointed three receivers for the United States Milling company, otherwise known as the flour trust. The collapse of the company was due, it is said, to its inability to float its securities on the open market.

Heavy Losses Off the Shetlands.

London, Feb. 27.—Recent storms have caused great damage among the outlying islands of the Shetlands, at the north of Scotland, where it is reported 14 wrecks and several life buoys have been picked up.

SEWALL ON EXPANSION.

Would Keep Puerto Rico and Hawaii and Make the Philippines a Republic.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Arthur Sewall, who was the Democratic candidate for vice president in 1896, paid his respects to President McKinley yesterday. Mr. Sewall has been to Hawaii on his way to the Philippines, but was prevented from continuing his journey by the plague outbreak.



ARTHUR SEWALL.

He denies a recent interview in which he was quoted as forecasting the defeat of the Democratic party this year. "I did not say anything of the kind without qualifications," Mr. Sewall said. "I believe in expansion in a certain way. I believe in keeping Puerto Rico and Hawaii, and extending to them every law of the United States. Make them territories of this country, without discrimination as to tariff or other laws. I also want to keep the Philippines, but I think we should ultimately establish a republic there, with our protection extended over it."

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 27.—In the senate yesterday an order extending the time for making committee reports one week, to March 21, was adopted, as was also an order that the drainage committee be authorized to travel about the state.

The following bills were passed to be engrossed: To extend time within which the Barre Street Railway company may construct and operate its railway; to confirm the locations granted the Worcester and Clinton Street Railway company in the two places named; to authorize the state treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of revenue.

The reports of leave to withdraw were accepted on the bills to allow women to vote for municipal officers and upon all municipal questions.

The following were among the committee reports received in the house: Leave to withdraw, on petition that no person shall maintain more than one bar on a single license; ought not to pass, on bill for ward option in Boston; leave to withdraw, on petition for regulating the distribution of licenses in Boston; leave to withdraw, on petition for regulations on the conditional sale of personal property; ought not to pass, on bill to provide for the temporary release of convicts; ought not to pass, on bill relative to granting of warrants in police courts; ought not to pass, on resolve to provide for a certain system of spelling; leave to withdraw, on petition to permit sale of limes without license; ought not to pass, on bill relative to the law on liens on buildings and land; ought to pass, on bill relating to attachment of wages; ought to pass, on bill relative to fraternal military organizations; leave to withdraw, on petition to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Griggs For Supreme Bench.

Trenton, Feb. 27.—From authority which is regarded here as unquestionable, it is announced that United States Attorney General John W. Griggs is booked for Justice Gray's place on the supreme bench, when the latter reaches the retirement age, a short time hence. It is no secret among Mr. Griggs' friends that a seat on that tribunal has long been the cherished goal of his ambition. This is the reason why Mr. Griggs' vice presidential boom so suddenly disappeared from sight.

Mrs. Craven's Evidence.

San Francisco, Feb. 27.—In the Fair-Craven proceedings yesterday Mrs. Craven was on the witness stand. She produced the affidavit of her marriage to Senator Fair. It is dated Aug. 12, 1899. In it Justice of the Peace Simpton declares that he married Mrs. Craven and Senator Fair in July, 1892. Simpton has since declared that this affidavit was a part of a trap to upset Mrs. Craven's case. The production of this paper will force the Fair heirs to put Simpton on the stand.

Young Armour's Will.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—The will of the late Philip D. Armour, Jr., who died recently in California, filed for probate here yesterday, disposes of property valued at $8,000,000. One-third of the estate is left to the widow and two-thirds left in trust for the two surviving sons of the testator.

Big Bill to Settle.

San Francisco, Feb. 27.—An expert survey of the United States hospital ship Missouri has revealed a startling state of affairs in the engine room and other parts of the vessel. It will take $110,000 to put the vessel into seaworthy condition.

Carter's Application Denied.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The United States supreme court has denied the application of Captain Oberlin M. Carter to bring his case into that court. There was no written opinion.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The temperature is above the seasonal average in the gulf states and Florida and generally west of the Rocky mountains, and is 15 to 25 degrees below the seasonal average in the Ohio valley, the lake region and the Atlantic states from North Carolina northward. Fair and continued cold weather is promised in New England, followed tomorrow by cloudiness.

FROM THE CAPE TO CAIRO.

Traveler Grogan Passes Through a District Where Cannibals Were In Full Sway.

London, Feb. 27.—E. S. Grogan, who has just returned to England after a two years' journey in Africa, and who represents himself to be the first European who has travelled through the continent from the Cape to Cairo, in an interview today, says that, after leaving Lake Tanganyika, with eight porters, he entered a region of active volcanoes, where he encountered "enormous lava streams, forming a veritable sea, 40 miles by 40 to 100 feet deep." This whole region he found devastated, forests and herds of elephants being buried in liquid fire.

The neighboring country, he says, is occupied by some 5000 Balekas' ferocious cannibals from the Congo, who live by man hunting. His guides told him that the country, covering 3500 square miles, had been until recently densely populated, but that the people had virtually all been killed and eaten by the Balekas.

Everywhere he found evidences of cannibalistic practices. The very paths in the jungle were marked out by lines of human skeletons. The streams were full of decomposing remnants of humanity, half eaten and horribly mutilated. These cannibals, according to Mr. Grogan's narrative, lived in grass cabins. He entered some of these habitations and witnessed horrible sights. He saw "cauldrons full of liquid with floating human skulls and the bodies of infants."

On one occasion the savages attacked Mr. Grogan's party, but he opened upon them with rifle fire. This staggered the cannibals, as they had never before seen a gun or a white man. Mr. Grogan shot two and the rest retreated.

He says the Balekas are by no means repulsive to look upon. Although small, they are well built and have good features. Men and women go about stark naked, and their long hair gives them a peculiarly wild appearance.

Proceeding along the west coast of Albert lake, Mr. Grogan found the natives terrorized by raids of the Belgians. He declares that the Belgian troops were in the habit of crossing the frontier, had shot large numbers of the inhabitants and had carried off the young women and cattle, tying up and burning the old women, while white Belgian officers were present.

He adds: "From the north of Albert lake to Lake Mwaru the whole country is in a state of chaos. It is administered by incompetent Belgians. Often the non-commissioned officers and troops are of the lowest type of native; and they are almost invariably cannibals."

Without a State Government.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 27.—The state contest board yesterday awarded certificates of election to all of the Democratic contestants for minor offices. Immediately afterward the contestants were sworn in and repaired to the state house in a body, where they made a formal demand on the Republican incumbents for possession of the offices, but the demands were not acceded to. Injunction suits were filed by each of the new officials seeking to oust the present incumbents and enjoining them from discharging the duties of their offices. The installation of the Democratic officials will have the effect of tying up every branch of the state government pending a decision of the contests by the courts. From now till then the state will be practically without a state government.

Revolution In Mechanical Economics.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Consul General Mason at Berlin reports that Professor Josse has succeeded in advancing the efficiency of the best type of modern compound steam engine 50 percent. This is effected by the absorption of heat from the exhaust steam through sulphurous acid, which, being evaporated, drives an auxiliary engine. In this way a 2000 horse power central station engine should, according to Mr. Mason, furnish power to drive an additional 1000 horse power engine.

Puerto Ricans Make Good Soldiers.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Secretary Root is so well satisfied with the record made by the troops recruited from the natives of Puerto Rico that he has determined to increase the number now in service. There is now a full batallion of these troops, and the secretary has issued orders for the enlistment of another battalion. The new battalion will take the place of the United States regular cavalry, which will be brought back to the United States.

Twenty-five Rounds to a Draw.

New York, Feb. 27.—Sammy Kelly of New York and Eddie Lenny of Philadelphia were to have met in the principal bout at the Hercules Athletic club in Brooklyn last night, but Lenny was unable to appear and his place was filled by Austin Rice of New London. Kelly and Rice put up a game battle, which lasted the limit, Referee White declaring the bout a draw. Rice was aggressive and attempted to force matters throughout.

To Regulate Society System.

New Haven, Feb. 27.—The seniors of Yale who signed the petition to the faculty for the abolishment of the sophomore secret societies met last evening, fully 250 strong, and appointed a committee of six men to meet and arbitrate the matter with six men chosen by the sophomore society. The first session of the arbitrators will be to receive suggestions from the students as to a better society system.

Total of Eighty-five Desertions.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Colonel Woodruff, commanding at Fort Slocum, has telegraphed the adjutant general in response to a request for information as to the truth of the press report that about 200 soldiers deserted from that post last week, that the records of the post show total desertions of 85 during the past seven months.

From England to Abyssinia.

Rome, Feb. 27.—A dispatch from Asmara says that the Anglo-Abyssinian convention for frontier delimitations has been signed between Emperor Menelik and Great Britain. Metemmeh, which was within the influence of the English zone, is now Abyssinian territory.



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Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,

A READER

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[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

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Via WOLLASTON, 6.35, 6.35 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A. M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

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Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

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The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

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r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 49 r
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VICTORY OF ROBERTS

Causes Feeling of Jubilation Throughout Great Britain.

Cronje's Army Yields After Most Stubborn Defense.

Smallness of the Captured Forces Causes Some Wonderment.

Both Sides Have Lost Heavily In the Recent Engagements In Natal.

London, Feb. 28.—Reports from all parts of the country show flag hoisting, bell ringing and great jubilation, in celebration of the victory of Lord Roberts. In the house of commons, Mr. Balfour allowed Mr. Wyndham to make the announcement and to read the dispatches of Lord Roberts. The references to the Canadians were most enthusiastically cheered. At all the theatres and music halls last evening the wildest enthusiasm was displayed. Everywhere patriotic pictures, songs and allusions were applauded to the echo. The morning papers are jubilant, but they all warn the nation against over-confidence.

Lord Roberts has done more than to capture 4000 Boers and a few guns. He is within striking distance of one of the Boer capitals, and is master of a large district of the Free State. He has given a shock to Boer confidence and immeasurably restored the spirits of his own troops. In capturing Cronje he has taken a leader whose presence alone was worth thousands to the Boer cause.

The best opinion here is that the Transvaalers are certain to continue the fight with undiminished valor, but it is not so certain about the Free Staters.

Lord Roberts has not allowed the corps of descriptive writers with him to supplement his plain narrative, as yet, and there are some points in doubt. It is not clear whether the 4000 prisoners include those taken in small parties before the capitulation. What has become of the rest of the Boers who held the Magersfontein lines, and where are the big guns? The smallness of Cronje's forces cause some wonderment.

The morning papers, without exception, comment on the achievement of the Boer leader and men in holding off for 10 days a force from six to eight times as large as their own. British opinion is far more generous in victory than in defeat.

Cronje surrendered unconditionally to Lord Roberts Tuesday morning and the Free State leader is a prisoner in the British camp at Paardeberg. The Canadians led the advance which compelled the surrender. The immediate measure of this British success is the capture of what is left of the Boer army which has been grimly holding out in a hopeless position since Feb. 17, together with such guns as they had with them. Concerning the number of these guns there is no information at hand.

The removal of this force from the chessboard of war will prove a considerable physical factor in determining the course of future events, but its moral effect will very likely prove even greater. On the other hand, Cronje's 10 days' resistance may have given the Boers time to concentrate on a second line of defense, and the time gained may be some slight offset to the force lost.

Roberts' next objective, presumably, is Bloemfontein, which with its rail connection with the Cape Colony through the Stormberg mountains would be a convenient base for a march on Pretoria. The district south of the Orange river appears to have become untenable to the Boers, and it will create no surprise if these commands are speedily withdrawn before Clements and Gatacre, who in that event would join Roberts.

General Buller is having a hard time in Natal. It is evident now, after a fortnight's fighting, that he was misled when he wired that there was only a weak rear guard between him and Ladysmith. Apparently some of the hardest fighting of the war took place at the end of last week, as an armistice was agreed upon, to allow attendance upon the wounded and burial of the dead. Both sides must have lost heavily.

A Colenso dispatch says that in the attempt of the Inniskillings Friday evening to rush the Boer position on Pieter's hill, the Boer fire was so terrible when the infantry emerged from the cover of the trees that almost every man in the leading half of the company fell wounded.

The advance line of the British reached a donga in front of the first Boer trench, which was not apparent until they were actually in it. The Boers retired to the crest, and then returned, on either flank of the Inniskillings, enfilading the captured donga with a terrible cross-fire.

Finding it impossible to hold the position or to advance the British fell back and entrenched themselves half way up the hill. The Boers maintained a heavy fire.

In the course of the night the Dublin fusiliers and the Connaughts arriving to support the Inniskillings, another determined attempt was made to take the Boer position. This also failed

heavy fire continued throughout the night.

The Inniskillings lost 14 out of 17 officers, killed or wounded, and about 250 non-commissioned officers and men killed or wounded.

On Sunday an armistice was agreed upon, to enable both sides to collect their dead and wounded. The Boers admit having had very heavy losses, but they scout the idea that the British will compel them to raise the siege of Ladysmith.

A special dispatch from Colenso, dated Tuesday, says: The Boers are endeavoring to outflank us, and severe fighting continues.

"THE IRON TOOTH" A FAILURE.

Kaiser Disappointed at Reception Accorded a Play In Which He Was Interested.

Berlin, Feb. 28.—The premiere night of "Der Eisenzahn" (The Iron Tooth) at the Royal theatre was a notable event, socially and artistically. All the tickets had been sold many days ago, and the house was packed. Emperor William appeared during the second act and sat almost unobserved and quite alone in the royal orchestra box, screened by the drapery from observation.

After the first act there was complete silence. After the second and third there was rather vigorous applause, but from the parquette, where the critics and literary people sat, and from the second and third galleries, there came a piercing storm of hisses. The emperor, whose collaboration with Captain Lauf in the play is well known, was highly displeased. Captain Lauf took a cup of tea with the emperor after the third act, having twice answered calls from the boxes and elsewhere, and having come before the curtain as pale as a ghost. Then he, with the emperor, left the theatre, which caused a sensation.

The public verdict on the play is that it is verbose, although containing fine dramatic passages, and too palpably glorifies the Hohenzollern hero who put down the Berlin rebellion in 1447. The acting was excellent throughout.

Drove a Nail Among Fireworks.

Newton, Mass., Feb. 28.—Michael Dixon and Henry Miller, two of the victims of the Masten & Wells fireworks plant, died yesterday, and it is doubtful if the third man, Joseph Ryan, can recover. The men were in a small building, known as the charging shop, and were charging Roman candles. It is against the rules of the shop to strike metal with metal, but it is claimed that Dixon tried to drive a nail, using a metal hammer, when a spark ignited the powder and dust, and in less than a second there was an explosion, and the building was a mass of fire.

State Funds Tied Up.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 28.—Two state governments, completely officered, and each claiming to be the regular and legal officials, are in Frankfort, and will each claim the right to administer the affairs of state until the question is adjudicated in the courts. The banks refuse to recognize either of the contending factions, and as a result both are without money, and the state funds are securely tied up.

Bank Accounts Considered.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The proceedings in the case of Senator Clark of Montana yesterday dealt with the bank accounts of some of the members of the Montana legislature. One of these accounts was that of Representative Stephen Bywater, who declared that he had not received any pay for his vote for Mr. Clark for the senate, but said that Mr. Whiteside had told him that he could get $5000 for supporting Mr. Clark.

Passenger and Freight Trains Collided.

Sudbury, Pa., Feb. 28.—On the Pennsylvania railroad near Nescopeck last night a passenger train crashed into a freight going in an opposite direction. Engineer Keefer and Fireman Seeley of the passenger train were killed. A number of passengers are reported injured.

Murder In First Degree.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 28.—The grand jury returned a true bill for murder in the first degree against Charles B. Cross, the 17-year-old Stamford boy accused of the murder Nov. 8 last of Mrs. Sarah C. King, the aged woman with whom he lived.

To Increase Army's Efficiency.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Secretary Root appeared before the house committee on military affairs yesterday and made a strong appeal to the committee to report favorably the bill drafted by him to increase the efficiency of the army.

Youthful Criminal Sentenced.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 28.—Fred W. Merrill, 16 years old, who attempted several times to wreck the trains which run between Bangor and Old Town, was sentenced in the supreme court to 10 years at hard labor in the state prison.

Finished the Job Up Quick'y.

Buffalo, Feb. 28.—Walter Johnson of Philadelphia knocked out Jack Warner, heavyweight of Buffalo, in 51 seconds at the Black Rock club last night.

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Newark, N. J., Feb. 28.—The heart of the retail drygoods district was swept by fire last night. It started in W. V. Snyder's department store, at Broad and Cedar streets, a four-story building of 75 feet frontage and extending 200 feet along Cedar street. The stock was valued at $500,000, and nothing was saved. The building was burned to the ground.

The fire broke out about 6:20 p. m., after the several hundred employes had left the building. The flames spread with terrible rapidity, the entire building being enveloped before the arrival of the firemen.

Meanwhile a general alarm was turned in, and all of the 50 odd pieces of fire apparatus in the city were rolling to the fire 10 minutes after the fire was discovered. The flames had leaped across Cedar street and were traveling also northward along Broad street. Within half an hour the fire was beyond control. At the same time the flames were traveling southward with as much fury as on the north of the original fire, and all the police in the city were on duty at the fire except those absolutely needed on post. A hundred thousand persons gathered around the fire and made the task of the police a difficult one. The crowd had to be forced back again and again as the advance of the flames caused the firemen to shift position back.

Despite the great heat and the rain of sparks upon the crowd, it insisted in pushing forward and getting as near the scene of fire as the police would allow.

Finally orders were given to extend the fire lines beyond the two blocks on either side, and the crowd was pushed back and lines stretched across the street. Women fainted in the fearful crush. Blows were exchanged and clothing torn from backs in the crush.

Despite the cold the crowd insisted upon remaining, and stood for hours watching the destruction of a million dollars' worth of property.

The heat close to the fire was fearful and the firemen were driven back time and again. They had to move their apparatus many times. Several times men handling hose had to abandon it and flee from the flames which threatened to engulf them. They were coated with ice when they went a few feet away from the fire, and the next moment would be almost roasted by the heat as the fire advanced or they returned to do battle.

The streets for blocks were flooded and ice covered as the water flowed from the fire outside the heated zone.

Four firemen were buried under a wall at the rear of Snyder's, that fell with a terrific crash. Captain Harrison and Fireman Brown were taken out unconscious, and may be fatally injured. The other two firemen were severely injured.

Although a number of persons were believed to be in the Snyder store when the fire broke out, no bodies have been found. There are several persons unaccounted for, and it is not known whether they escaped or were burned to death.

Thousands of Machinists May Strike.

Chicago, Feb. 28. — The Machinery Manufacturers' association has voted unanimously to refuse the demands of the Machinists' union for an increase in wages and recognition of the union. This means the calling of a great strike by the Machinists' union. Sixty thousand machinists throughout the country have made practically the same demands that the Chicago local union has, and it is expected that the action taken by the Chicago manufacturers will be followed by others in the United States and Canada.

Porter to Prepare New Schedule.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Robert P. Porter, who is employed by the United States government as a special commissioner, has arrived here and will go over the final details of his new Cuban tariff with Secretary Root. Mr. Porter made the present Cuban tariff schedule about a year ago, but certain changes have been found necessary and soon a new schedule will be issued.

Bout Stopped by Police.

Memphis, Feb. 28.—Fred Bogan of San Francisco was awarded the decision over Tom Cooney of Boston at the Auditorium yesterday in the 19th round. Both men were on their feet and fighting furiously when a dispute arose among the timekeepers, resulting in such a disturbance that the police stopped the bout. The referee gave Bogan the decision.

Business Is Booming.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 28.—The weaving plant of the Stafford mills will be increased in capacity by the erection of a new shed for 400 looms. The spindleage increase will make the mill of 100,000 capacity. If the present business continues the corporation will be without debt by the time the new shed is built.

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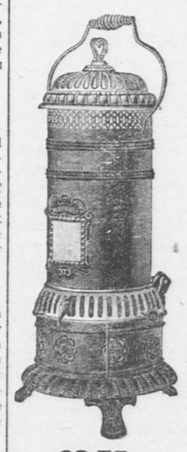
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This Sale is not New Cheap Goods bought for the purpose of advertising. But goods actually marked down for a reduction of stock.

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This Jewell of a Heater is as handy as a lamp and as hot as the 4th of July. ONLY A FEW LEFT and we have marked them from $5.50 to

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Guy's Coliseum,

QUINCY, MASS.

JUST OPENED,

BY HANS HANSON.

The Store No. 10, Granite street, has just been opened for Shoe Repairing and Manufacturing for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. From years of experience he guarantees first-class work.

Feb. 24. tf

CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Assessors will meet at City Hall, on THURSDAYS of each week from 9 until 11 A. M., for the transaction of all business that may come before them for the ensuing year.

Per order of the Board,
JAMES THOMPSON,
Principal Assessor.

Feb. 15. 1p-2w

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A Weekly Established in 1878.

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	25	26	30	49	43
Monday,	23	30	34	40	32
Tuesday,	12	34	52	43	28
Wednesday,	32	45	38	39	30
Thursday,	—	41	50	40	27
Friday,	—	39	41	42	54
Saturday,	—	45	41	40	52

New Advertisements Today.

Hearings—State House (2).
Found—A bag of granite tools.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Gen. Cronje must have been in a tight box, indeed.—Lynn Item.

☞ The automobile has one advantage over the horse—it never will be served up as steak when it becomes old.—Milford News.

☞ Zola says that the world is getting better. Can it be that the great novelist has noticed a falling off in the sale of his books?—Worcester Spy.

☞ A number of Boston ministers have united in an effort to abolish the mourners' bench. Many of the new fashions in religion must be very pleasing to the devil.—Norwich Bulletin.

☞ A Washington correspondent has made the discovery that "no man in the history of the world ever spoke to as many people as Bryan has." It might be added that no man ever said less to as many people, either.—Chicago Times-Herald.

☞ Mr. Bryan is said to be disappointed with the selection of July Fourth for the holding of the Democratic national convention. So are a good many news paper men who will lose their holiday.—New Bedford Standard.

☞ It is rather hard on the pride of Brookline to have the town hall for which it paid $225,000 condemned, but then the building has done duty for a quarter of a century and a town with such a gilded list of taxpayers as Brookline possesses ought to be able to bear such a burden with a goodly share of equanimity.— Brockton Times.

☞ Not to have a single bell alarm for over six weeks was the record of Brockton that was closed Monday by fire on Manomet street. How many cities of the size of Brockton can furnish such a complimentary showing? —Times.

Brockton is getting slow! It takes two figures to give Quincy's record for that time.

☞ The most contemptible thing on earth is the paper which publishes immoral advertising, and then piously tells ministers what they should do. The editor of the paper will tell you sweetly that the advertisement was paid for, but as well might Judas say that his betrayal of his Master by a kiss was recompensed by silver.—A Providence clergyman.

☞ Free traders are particularly silent these days. Even their contention of last year that the increase in iron and steel business would not materially increase the volume of business has been shown entirely false, and today no branch of trade or manufacture more clearly reflects the business condition of the country. The value of the steel output of last year is stated at four times that of the gold mined in the United States, including Alaska. —Haverhill Gazette.

Died at Eighty Years.

Mr. Jeremiah Nightingale, one of Quincy's oldest citizens, died this morning at his home on Granite street, at the advanced age of 80 years, his death being largely due to old age. Mr. Nightingale was born in Quincy, near the place where he died, and has always resided there. During his early years he was engaged in the butcher business, which he was obliged to relinquish on account of rheumatism, from which he has been a sufferer for years, being obliged for several years to move about in a wheel chair. He leaves a widow and adopted son.

PETITIONERS HEARD.

For New Bridge Between Quincy and Weymouth.

Good Arguments for the Rebuilding.

Expenses to be Borne by Norfolk and Plymouth Counties.

The argument at Tuesday's hearing before the Committee on Roads and Bridges of the Legislature, on the bill to rebuild the bridge between Quincy and Weymouth were all in favor.

A. P. Worthen, Esq., in opening for the petitioners, said the trustees of the bridges are the Mayor of Quincy and the chairman of the Selectmen of Weymouth and Hingham. They have had charge since 1864. But a small portion of Weymouth use this bridge, as it is used almost exclusively by towns below. He would suggest another section to the bill, giving the counties authority to borrow money for the purposes of the bill, the present bridge was about 840 feet long, 28 1-2 feet wide, the draw 38 feet, and the bridge at the draw but 22 feet wide. The bridge was such to make reconstruction almost imperative. It was not fair nor just that the three towns bearing the expense of maintenance should pay the cost of rebuilding.

T. A. Watson said his company, the Fore River Engine Works, were builders of steam vessels which was becoming one of the greatest industries in the county. To establish a modern plant requires not less than twenty-five acres of land. You would be surprised to find how few suitable sites there are for such a plant on the Massachusetts coast. The present draw places a limit on the size of ships built. Before we can begin the ships we have contracts for, it is necessary to know that the draw will be eighty feet. The United States government has expended nearly $50,000 in the river, and it did not seem just that a new bridge should be built at the expense of the towns of Weymouth, Hingham and Quincy. It should be by the counties. We are now distributing from $3,000 to $4,000 per week in salaries, and as soon as this is settled, it will be quadrupled. In 1899 over $1,220,000 of business was done along this river. This does not include the work we have contracted for. This is a large increase over previous years. If the drawer is not widened we can not build the Des Moines here, and it will probably be built outside of Massachusetts.

F. O. Wellington gave a brief outline of the growth of the Fore River Engine Co. which was established sixteen years ago, giving employment to eight or ten men, until today we are employing from 275 to 330 men, which will be increased to 600. The two torpedo boat destroyers are nearly completed. We have the contract for the Des Moines, but have delayed starting it until this is settled. We shall personally make improvements at the plant, which will call for an outlay of from $25,000 to $30,000.

H. P. Elwell, also of the company, had been with the Navy department at Washington for three years, and said he knew there would be a large increase in the business. If we have a proper plant we can get four or five million dollars of work within the next twelve months.

Martin E. Hawes said the bridge was little used by Weymouth people, and he ventured to say that 10,000 of its population had not seen the bridge for a year. A large part of the people using it were from other places. He would favor the cost being charged to Suffolk, Norfolk and Plymouth counties, not over one-half being imposed on Norfolk county.

W. W. Mayhew, of the Braintree selectmen, favored the bill. It was desirable to retain the Fore River Engine Co. in Braintree.

Capt. Joel F. Sheppard said the channel now had a draft of 14 to 16 feet. Originally 200 tons was the largest vessel that used it, now he had vessel as high as 1,450 tons. The bridge was in bad condition. A notice had been posted forbidding teams of over six tons passing over it. One of the piles that had been taken up showed that where it was originally twelve inches in diameter it had been eaten away to two inches. Diver Phillips had also informed him that the piling in the mud was all honeycombed. There should be a new bridge. As it was now it was a trap for the three towns to pay some bills upon.

Mayor Hall thought it unjust to make Quincy, Weymouth and Hingham pay for the maintenance of what is used largely by people outside of these localities. Seventy-five per cent. of the traffic was outside of these towns. He did not think Suffolk County should be included. As to the State building it, the benefit would be more than offset by the additional expense of legislation. He believed the expenses should be borne by the counties. We should not be asked to maintain highways like Washington street, for the benefit of other people. That there should be a new bridge was apparent, as it was hardly possible to repair it.

Gordon Willis of Weymouth said a new bridge would be desirable. He was in favor of the cost being born by the two counties.

Mr. Rackerman of Milton, asked why the draw should be eighty feet.

Mr. Willis—I can not tell unless it was for prospective reasons. There were no vessels building at the present time over forty feet. He had no idea of the increased cost between a forty and eigthy foot drawer.

Mr. Wellington was then asked about the cost, by Mr. Rackerman, and said he thought an eighty foot bridge would cost twenty per cent. more than a forty foot.

Mr. Rackerman—What benefit would other towns like Milton, Brookline, or Hyde Park get from an eighty foot draw?

Mr. Wellington—It was for the interest of the whole county to assist a plant that would give employment to a large number of men, and pay out the amount of money we do.

At this point the hearing was adjourned until 10.30 Wednesday.

TODAY'S HEARING.

The adjourned hearing on the petition to rebuild the Quincy Point bridge was held this morning before the Committee on Roads and Bridges at the State House.

The first half of the hearing was devoted to Mr. Worthen who put on several witnesses for the bill. These were Marcus E. Wight and J. P. Cleverly, two river pilots, who testified as to the class of vessels using the draw and river: Augustus J. Richards and John B. Rhines, who do business on the shore of the river; Nelson W. Gardner, of the Weymouth Selectmen, and DeWitt C. Bates one of the bridge trustees.

The opposition then had their innings and those to speak against the bill as drafted were Mr. Rackerman, who represented the town of Milton; James Hewins and D. E. Wadsworth, two of the Commissioners of Norfolk County, and Mr. Faunce of the Plymouth County Commissioners.

Although these gentlemen spoke in opposition, their objection was mainly against the clause which fixes the cost of reconstruction upon the two counties They also thought that a fifty-foot draw was wide enough to accommodate the vessels that would use it, other than those that posssibly a private corporation might build.

Ten Years Married.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hart of 33 Independence avenue observed the tenth anniversary of their marriage Monday evening, and entertained from 75 to 100 friends. Members of the Womans Relief Corps presented a hall stand, members of the Ladies Aid Society a rocking chair, and members of the Sons of Veterans a punch bowl and glasses. Refreshments were served and a general good time was enjoyed.

Norway is the best telephone country in the world, in spite of the fact that 70 percent of its area is uncultivable, and another 24 percent is forest. It has one exchange for every 7812 inhabitants and one telephone to each 40 inhabitants—8 1-2 times the number in this country.

The Granite Manufacturers Association held a meeting Tuesday evening. No action was taken in regard to the strike situation or the meeting of the two committees to be held tonight.

☞ Carpets Cleaned—Taken up and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 27, 1900.

THE Committee on Public Charitable Institutions will give a hearing to parties interested in the following: House bill No. 641, being a bill to change the name of the Massachusetts State Hospital for consumptives and Tubercular Patients; also House petition No. 824, the petition of Jabez Fox for legislation to give the State Board of Charity additional powers with reference to children who are not under the personal care of their parents; House petition No. 795 of Catherine F. Sullivan for reimbursement for money expended in the support of her son, Martin C. Sullivan, at the Massachusetts School for the Feeble-Minded and other State institutions; and House resolve No. 795, being the petition of Erastus P. Carpenter and another for legislation to provide for the maintenance at the expense of the Commonwealth of Martin C. Sullivan of Foxboro, at room No. 440, State House, on FRIDAY, March 2d, at 10.00 o'clock A. M.

HOWARD K. SANDERSON, Chairman.
WILLIAM HOPEWELL,
Feb. 28-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 26, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 630, (on leave by Silas D. Reed of Taunton) that cities may indemnify police and firemen for damages or expense, etc., at room No. 444, State House, on THURSDAY, March 1, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
FRANK E. WETHERELL,
Feb. 28-1t Clerk of the Committee.

First-Class Dressmaking.

MRS. GEORGE A. CHELIUS of Boston will be pleased to meet the ladies of Quincy and vicinity at *No. 6 Coddington St., March 8, 1900.* Feb. 26-1m

RICH MUSICAL TREAT.

The Choir Boys Concert Was a Grand Success.

Very complimentary notices of the soloists for the Choir Boys' concert in recent issues of the Daily Ledger led the people of Quincy and vicinity to expect a rich musical treat at Music hall, Tuesday evening, and realization in this case exceeded expectation. The concert had been well advertised and an appreciative audience of about 800 assembled.

In the opening number,—a chorus—the joint choirs; Master Andrew Todd, the soloist; and Mr. E. Landis Snyder, the conductor, all established themselves as skilled artists, and ensured the success of the concert. The tones were pure and good and responsive to the baton of the conductor, and the work of Master Todd was a wonder to many.

Number two was a song, "The Muleteer of Tarragona" by Mr. Silas R. Mills. The very generous applause given at the close attested to his success. He did not respond, but later he gave a group of three songs, and when that did not prove sufficient, he responded to the encore.

The boys of the choir gave a pleasing trio, and No. 5 was a chorus "When Allen-a-Dale," wheih was so taking that a part was repeated.

Part II of the programme was "The Daughter of Jairus," in which the boy choirs were assisted by these soloists: Mrs. H. Y. Follett, Soprano, Trinity Church, Boston; Mr. A. W. Ferguson, Tenor, Boston; and Mr. Silas R. Mills, Bass, Professor of Music, Smith College, Northampton.

Again the choirs were fine in their recitative parts and choruses, and Mr. Mills was enjoyed in his parts. Mr. Ferguson was particularly good in his song, and bowed his acknowledgment for the applause. The duet by Mrs. Follett and Mr. Ferguson was probably the best thing of the evening, but Mrs. Follett was enjoyed in her solo parts.

Success always adds to success, and as it became more and more certain, Mr. Snyder arose to the occasion, and his leadership was equal to the training which he must have given to the boys to attain such results.

The choir of Christ church includes:

Sopranos—Masters Peter Carlson, Herbert Dickey, Ilsley Dole, Ralph Doble, John Esson, John Findlay, Albert Gordon, Edward Hodge, John King, Matthew Nicoll, Roy Prout, Reginald Randall, James Rapson, Albert Smith, Harvey A. Smith, Sidney Williams, James Cotton Williams.

Altos—Masters Alfred Brown, Joseph Collins, Carl Doble, George Esson, Harry Findlay, John McClay, Carl Nelson.

Tenors—Messrs. C. C. Bradford, H. H. Bemis, Norris Wason, E. G. Woodward.

Basses—William Adrian, Merton Emerson, John E. Greene, Walter T. Harrison, Clayton Marston, Abner Packard, Malcom C. Stewart, Parker Southor.

The members of St. Chrysostom's choir were:

Sopranos—Masters Fred Croucher, Blakeslee Estabrooks, Carl Fowler, Raymond Fowler, Albert Hoxie, Harry Humphrey, Richard Jacobs, Leslie Kay, Victor Malcolm, Robert Sibley, John Todd, Andrew Todd, Harold Woodman, Charles Whitcacre.

Altos—Masters Ralph Croucher, Ernest Moore, William Weston.

Tenors—Messrs. George Anderson, John H. Osborne, G. H. Page.

Basses—Messrs. A. H. Briggs, H. E. Fowler, A. Linde Fowler, Joseph Jacobs, Ellerton Williams.

Nathaniel Nightingale.

Uncle "Nat" Nightingale, the veteran cobbler of Quincy, has been much missed this winter. For more than forty years he has been a familiar figure on the streets of the city. All this time opening his little shoemakers shop on Granite street so punctually every morning, that you might almost time your watch by his appearance. His sickness at the hospital, the death of his wife, and the breaking up of his home, are facts familiar to most of our readers. Through the Rev. E. N. Hardy, we learn that he is now very happily situated at the home of his daughter at Barnstable, is rapidly regaining his usual strength and good spirits and hopes a little later in the spring to visit his many friends in Quincy. Mr. Nightingale is thoroughly appreciative of the many kindnesses shown to him during his sickness, and in his bereavement. Almost his last words at the depot as he went away were in grateful acknowledgement for the thoughtfulness of the matron and nurses at the hospital. And they by the way were much attached to this genial old gentleman, who won their respect and affection while under their care.

Rarely does one, almost a nonagenarian, possess such complete use of physical powers and mental faculties. Undoubtedly his strictly temperate habits have had much to do with this vigorous old age. For more than sixty-five years he had plied his trade here in the city, has been an industrious, honest, genial, blameless citizen, uncomplainingly working at his bench till prostrated with sickness. The city would be richer if we had more of that kind of men. Unconsciously "Nat" Nightingale has set before the men of Quincy an example of industry, frugality, temperance and honesty well worthy of imitation.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Rain or snow?

Ash Wednesday.

The last day of February.

Will the granite sheds be quiet tomorrow?

Mr. Rogers started getting in ice this morning.

Thomas Kingston of Norfolk Downs has gone west on a business trip.

Alexander Thompson left this morning for a trip to New York and Philadelphia.

The severe cold weather this week has prevented any work being done in the stone sheds.

The meeting of the City Council Committee on Public Buildings, announced for tonight, has been called off.

The third degree Staff of Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows will work the degree at Wollaston tonight for John Hancock lodge.

The next lecture in the Quincy Mansion School course on Current Events will be given by Mrs. May Alden Ward Thursday evening, March first, at quarter before eight.

Esther is the cantata that the Singing school at Quincy Point are studying. There is a large chorus of voices but many solos are yet unassigned. All singers who desire to come would be cordially welcomed. Mr. Sidelinger of North Weymouth is director.

The pastor of the Wollaston Methodist church has announced the following series of sermons to be given on successive Sabbath evenings in March at 7 o'clock: Sunday, March 4, Occupied, or No Room for Jesus. Sunday, March 11, Mistaken, or The Folly of Supposing. Sunday, March 18, Shadowed, or Found Out at Last! A half hour praise meeting opens each service.

The Brotherhood of Andrew and Phillip are to give a social time and maple sugar festival in the Bethany church chapel at 7.45 P. M. tomorrow. All men of the church over sixteen, are invited to be there. Progressive food tables will be one of the features. A good time is promised. No special invitations were issued so all who read can consider this as one. Admission free.

It was reported to the police Tuesday that a horse attached to a democrat wagon had run away from Milton. Later in the day the horse was found wandering about East Milton. The team, however could not be found. Later employes of the Quincy Quarry Co. found the team in the quarries. It would appear that the animal went through West Quincy and into the quarries where he cleared himself from the team.

There was a large attendance of relatives and friends at the funeral of the late Edward C. Hewitson, which was held from his home on Grand View avenue, Wollaston, on Monday afternoon. The services were conducted by the Rev. Edward A. Chase and the Rev. Edward A. Robinson. The Congregational church quartette sang "Home of the Soul" and "Some sweet day bye and bye." The floral tributes were many and beautiful. The body was interred at Cedar Grove.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. E. J. MURPHY, L. G. MURRAY, G. A. LORING, Wollaston, S. F. COPELAND.

DIED.

NIGHTINGALE—In Quincy, Feb. 28, Mr. Jeremiah Nightingale, aged 88 years and 21 days.
Funeral from late residence, 169 Granite street, Saturday, March 3, at 2 o'clock, P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

SOUTHER—In Quincy, Feb. 27, Mr. Frederick Souther, aged 84 years, 10 months and 17 days.
Funeral from late residence, 7 Mill street, Thursday, March 1, at 2.15 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

LEE—In Bradford, Vt., Feb. 27, Mrs. Emily S., widow of Rinaldo L. Lee, formerly of Quincy, aged 79 years and 29 days.
Service at chapel of Bethany Congregational church, Quincy, Friday, March 2, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

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54th ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

NET ASSETS, January 1, 1899,		$61,807,067.53
RECEIVED IN 1899.		
For Premiums,	$4,932,559.33	
For Interest and Rents,	2,989,047.28	
For Balance Profit and Loss,	86,150.70	
	8,007,757.31	
		$69,814,824.84
DISBURSED IN 1899.		
For claims by death, matured endowments and annuities,	$4,323,361.90	
Surplus returned to policy holders,	1,265,334.14	
Lapsed and Surrendered Policies,	532,667.53	
TOTAL TO POLICY-HOLDERS,	$6,121,363.57	
Commissions to Agents, Salaries, Medical Examiners' Fees, Printing, Advertising, Legal, Real Estate, all other Expenses,	921,814.12	
TAXES,	393,738.22	
	7,436,945.91	
BALANCE NET ASSETS, Dec. 31, 1899,		$62,377,878.93
SCHEDULE OF ASSETS.		
Loans upon Real Estate, first lien,		$26,192,657.64
Loans upon Stocks and Bonds,		2,300.00
Premium Notes on Policies in force,		829,945.23
Cost of Real Estate owned by the Company,		11,611,937.33
Cost of Bonds,		22,407,953.33
Cost of Bank and Railroad Stocks,		473,504.16
Cash in in Banks,		855,217.83
Bills receivable,		5,061.63
		$62,379,577.15
Less Agents' Credit Balances,		1,698.22
		$62,377,878.93
ADD		
Interest due and accrued,	$983,777.38	
Rents due and accrued,	16,805.02	
Market Value of stocks and bonds over cost,	870,526.57	
Net uncollected and deferred premiums,	340,013.34	
	$2,211,122.31	
Less Bills Receivable,	5,061.63	
		$2,206,060.68
GROSS ASSETS, December 31, 1899,		$64,583,939.61
LIABILITIES:		
Amount required to reinsure all outstanding Polices, net, Company's standard,	$55,828,853.00	
All other liabilities,	1,546,745.02	
	$57,375,598.02	
SURPLUS, (including contingent real estate depreciation mem. account, $750,000.00		$7,208,341.59
Ratio of expenses of management to receipts in 1899,		11.51 per cent.
Policies in force Dec. 31, 1899, 67,649.		
Insuring,		$160,432,486.00

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Rump Steak, 15 to
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Feb. 26. tf

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Aug. 17. tf

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WALTER P. PINEL, Manager.

TOO RIDICULOUS.

The Notice for Eight Hours Given Three Years Ago.

Not Seriously Considered by the Manufacturers.

A Writer Who Says Trade Will Not Stand Increase.

Boston, Mass. Feb. 23, 1900.
Editor Quincy Ledger.

Having read a number of letters in your paper the past few days relative to the demands of the Cutters Union, I feel that I would like to say a few more words on the subject. Frank P. Foley's letter certainly caps the climax and I for one would advice the gentleman not to to be quite so sanguine that the cutters will be successful. His slurring remarks concerning the office boys, etc., can be taken with good grace by those alluded to, as they may consider the source from which they came.

Mr. Foley evidently forgets that those same "numskulls" are voicing the sentiments of their employers. Even Mr. Duncan in his letter has afforded both the manufacturers and the more intelligent class of cutters considerable amusement. As Mr. Milne states, his assertions regarding the stone dresser and pneumatic tools were absurd. He is either very ignorant or wishes to mislead the public at this crisis. From his estimate of sixty to eighty to the real capacity, an average of forty feet per day for the pneumatic stone dresser, is quite a drop, especially taking into consideration the expense of the machine, cost of running, and men required to feed it with prepared stone.

Moreover stone that can be cut to advantage by the dresser are figured on a lower basis than others, and one of the reasons that for the past six or eight years vaults and mausoleums have been within reach of the public. More vaults have been cut in the past eight years than in all the years preceding them, and I will predict here that if prices advance 25 per cent., there will be an immense falling off in this class of work.

Only a salesman can appreciate this, I have sold a great many vaults and mausoleums and even at the old prices had to fight hard against the lime and sandstones of the west. People finally consenting to pay the difference for granite. But with 25 per cent. added my cases would have been hopeless. However as far as the machine is concerned roof stone and shafts platforms and very large bases are about the only style of work they are used on and there are not over thirty in use in Quincy and Barre today.

I notice that you also copied the letter of Mr. Sullivan of Minneapolis in your paper; evidently it was sent you. If you saw the February number of the Monumental News in which the above letter was printed you would have seen that there were a great many other letters from dealers who know as much about the industry as Mr. Sullivan and who were not interested in western quarries. If the "Ledger" had taken the editorials of Mr. Hunt of "Granite" and Mr. Nichols of the "Reporter" in their February numbers and also published a few of the letters which "Granite" received from dealers it might give the public and a great many of the workmen a better light on the subject. Mr. Sullivan and one other dealer were the only ones to my knowledge of the hundreds of dealers in the United States who upheld the demands and probably for reasons that they would rather keep to themselves.

There are cutters and hundreds of them in Quincy today not earning over two dollars and one-half per day for nine hours and now to advance the bill of prices to such an extent that these same men will be able to earn three dollars per day for eight hours appeals to any fair minded person as most unreasonable. I have talked to a great many of the best cutters in Quincy and in Barre and their own individual frank opinion is that this request is outrageous. Still these men are not agitators and as a consequence cannot express their opinions to advantage.

The whole thing in a nut shell is this the leaders had the local unions sanction the constitutional a clause demanding three dollars per day for eight hours March 1st 1900, three years ago when the mass of the cutters really did not appreciate its importance. The manufacturers were notified but thought it was ridiculous to consider seriously and further did not care to borrow trouble at that time not caring as the saying is to cross a bridge until they come to it.

The time has now arrived and in anticipation of it the manufacturers sent out word to their various customers that owing to an anticipated advance in labor and the increase in the cost of steel, lumber coal etc. prices would advance from 15 per cent. to 20 per cent. on March 1st or on all work that could not be got out by that date.

This is quite different from the 50 per cent. advance Mr. Duncan claims that the dealers received notice of. The labor leaders have to apparently earn their money even at a sacrifice of what they know will eventually be to the mens' best interests, and so they urge the men not to accept an advance of about 15 per cent. that the manufacturers have offered. And they are backed by the agitators, such as Mr. Foley, and by a lot of single men who had just as leave take a vacation, and by a few of the hot heads.

Mr. Duncan in his letter evidently foresees that he will be mostly blamed when the men come to their senses and see that the manufacturers mean business this time, and disclaims all blame for the inevitable.

It is true, Mr. Foley, that business boomed in Quincy during the summer, fall and this winter, but I will venture to say as I know pretty well that fully 40 per cent. of the business could be considered an unnatural rush as dealers on the plea of an advance have forced in orders cut during the spring months heretofore, and some orders that would not have been placed for years. Moreover a vast quantity of random or stock work has been ordered to carry dealers through the trouble, so that even if there is an early settlement Quincy will not be as brisk in 1900, as it was in '99.

As for the wages of the granite cutter, I advocate that he is paid as much today as any other mechanic, of equal intelligence. Any able bodied youth, sixteen to eighteen years old, can go in and learn the trade in three years getting during his apprenticeship as a rule $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 per day for each year of his term. As much as he would earn in some stores in any city if he stayed a life time, and at the end of the three years he gets, if he is only an ordinary mechanic, about $2.50 and from that up to $4.50, according to his ability and talents, although to become an ordinary cutter no talent is required only ordinary intelligence.

As far as cutting stone being extremely laborious is concerned, or very unhealthful, I cannot agree with Mr. Foley. The statistics of stone cutters regarding the length of life include the soft stone cutters whose lives are notoriously short, but cutting of granite is different and certainly there is not much danger attached to the trade.

There is one thing certain, and that is, as a body, they are the most independent class of men in the country, and even though they may have been victorious in former strikes they may merit a Waterloo this time, and I know that a great many of the cutters think so themselves.

Respectfully yours,
Observer.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1-4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

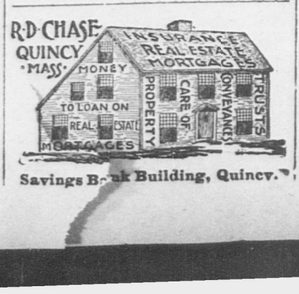
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Piano Tuner.

Quincy Office, C. F. Pettengill's Jewelry Store, 126 Hancock street.

Residence, No. 5 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point.

Oct. 6 tf



Savings Bank Building, Quincy.

Frederick Souther Dead.

Another of our smart old men passed away very suddenly Tuesday night. Mr. Frederick Souther of Mill street has not been in good health of late, yet for one in his 85th year he was pretty smart, and was frequently seen in city square. On Tuesday the pump at his house froez and he labored some time to thaw it out. When he started for bed he appeard as well as usual, but while undressing he died of heart failure.

Mr. Souther was born in Hingham in 1815, and the same year his parents moved to Quincy. His father built the house now occupied by Mr. John R. Graham, which has since been remodelled. Early in life Frederick was a boot maker, but has since been in different lines of business. He was one of the subscribers to the first issue of the Quincy Patriot in 1837, it has continued a weekly visitor for over 63 years.

Mr. Souther's wife died about two years ago. He leaves a brother and two sisters, Mr. E. B. Souther for many years the newsdealer of Quincy, Mrs. C. C. Appleton of Westboro, and Mrs. Hannah L. Souther of Somerville.

The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon from his late residence on Mill street.

QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

Parents noticing errors of any kind in the births of 1899 as published in the Ledger, are requested to notify City Clerk Cleaves promptly, that corrections may be made before the City Book is printed.

DATE.		NAME.	PARENTS.
June	1.	Viola May Ford,	John E. and Mary M.
	1.	Eleanor F. Bates,	Gustavus and Annie M.
	1.	James Reynolds,	Alex and Margaret
	2.	Hope William Matson,	William and Conilla
	2.	—— — Martin,	August A. and Hattie
	2.	Vira Mildred Seeley,	Benjamin and Emma A.
	3.	Frank Byrne,	Frank and Winla
	3.	Ann Ellis McTear,	James and Georgie M.
	5.	Charles Winslow Johnson,	August V. and Cora
	6.	Edwin Batchelder Allard,	Edwin A. and Nellie W.
	7.	Olive Sutton Knowlton.	Frank W. and Agnes
	8.	Michael Callahan,	Michael and Annie
	8.	Eino Everett Thompson,	Thomas and Mary
	10.	Martin Edward Shaughnessey,	Martin and Mary
	11.	Nora Theresa Corcoran,	Jeremiah and Nora
	12.	Frederick Angus Prince,	Edgar and Florence
	13.	John Norman Magnall,	John W. and Nellie
	14.	—— — Dean,	William and Mary
	14.	Edith Bixby,	Thomas E. and Martha
	14.	——— Parsons,	William and Rose
	14.	Dorothy Bright,	George E. and Anna
	15.	John P. Reddington,	John and Mary
	16.	——— Monti,	Giuseppe and Amelia
	16.	Dorothy Frances Ferguson,	George H. and Mary A.
	18.	Martin Arthur Nicholson,	Martin and Josephine
	19.	Lillian Harolda Hanson,	Harold and Annie
	19.	——— Riihimaki,	Matthew and Ida
	21.	Nellie Reed,	Richard and Nellie
	22.	——— Bennett,	Edwin S. and Jeannie W.
	22.	——— Erickson,	John and ———
	22.	Arthur Kimball Roberts,	Arthur C. and Emma F.
	23.	Dorothy Murian Duggan,	Michael and Hannah
	23.	Mary Florence Keegan,	Lawrence and Margaret
	23.	Anna Foy,	Robert E. and Margaret E.
	23.	Marion F. King,	Joseph A. and Sophie
	25.	Alice Louise Cutter,	William R. and Edith E.
	26.	Jane Byers Stephens,	George and Bessie
	26.	———Gillette,	Samuel and Caroline
	26.	Francis Cashman,	William and Mary
	26.	Margaret Theresa Rapp,	Joseph and Margaret
	27.	——— Fitzpatrick,	Luke and Margaret
	28.	Marie Johnson,	John and Aleda
	28.	James Maloney,	John J. and Pauline E.
	29.	——— Wedland,	Henry C. and Agnes
	29.	Thomas Keeley,	John and Maria
	30.	Frank Fruth,	Frank and Scholastica
	30.	Ruth Louise Ranson,	John M. and Hattie J.
	30.	Flora E. Benson,	Arthur E. and Elma

(To be continued.)

THE CRANCH SCHOOL

Name Selected by Committee for New Building.

The regular meeting of the School Committee was held Tuesday evening, Dr. Record being the only absentee.

A RESIGNATION.

Superintendent Lull reported the resignation of Miss Minnie G. Riley of the Wollaston school, who had accepted a position in Malden.

CRANCH SCHOOL.

The Superintendent recommended the appointment of a special committee to select a name for the new school building at the junction of Whitwell street and Glendale road.

Chairman Porter spoke of the name of Cranch and gave a brief outline of this settlement in Quincy.

It was then voted that the new building be named the Cranch school.

PARKER CELEBRATION.

The Superintendent gave a brief outline of the Parker celebration as at present arranged. The first day would probably be devoted to literary exercises and a reception, and on the second day a banquet would possibly be held in Boston.

NEW TEXT BOOKS.

The Text Book committee recommended, and the board adopted, a German Composition, Ginn and Company, another of D. C. Heath and Company, sets of readers of the American Book Company, and one by Rand, McNally and Company.

THE DEFICIT.

The chairman was requested to urge the Council to make an appropriation to cover the deficit of $1,528.72 for the year 1899.

BUDGET FOR 1900.

In executive session the board discussed and adopted the budget for 1900, copies of which will be forwarded to the Council and the Mayor at once.

FINANCES.

The monthly financial report showed these expenditures:

Salaries,	$15,442 50
Fuel,	69 50
Janitors,	1,060 30
Transportation,	176 70
Books, Supplies, Sundries,	910 16
Evening Schools,	406 16
	$18,065 32

The greater part of the cast-off uniforms of British soldiers find their way into the shops of dealers in second-hand clothing. The coats are either then cut up, sold to theatrical managers, or exported to Africa and elsewhere for trading purposes with the Kaffirs and other uncivilized people.

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To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free)
Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

W. Y. C. Entertainment.

A very enjoyable entertainment was held in Poland's hall Norfolk Downs with Mrs. Frank Knowlton of Beach street, Miss Alice Dorety of Beach street and Mrs. Henry Smith of Wollaston avenue as the committee. The programme open with a piano solo by Miss Lillian Smith followed by a little sketch entitled "Why we never married" fourteen taking part, seven ladies and seven gentleman. They came as follows: Mr. Chester F. Cleaves and Miss Susie Dorety, Mr. Talbot and Miss Alda Shay, Mr. Fuller and Miss Alice Dorety, Mr. Dickey and Miss Julie Page, Mr. L. Chase and Miss M. Lapham, Mr. McTear, and Miss Lena Cleaves, Mr. L. Merrill and Miss Lillian Smith.

After the last one had spoken, the happy couples stepped off arm in arm to a wedding march rendered by Mrs. Alva Polk of Beach street.

Following this came a musical entertainment consisting of a vocal solo by Mr. Allsebrook, a reading by Miss Gertrude Cleaves, vocal duet by Miss Julie Page and Mr. Charles Page, a violin solo by Master Ernest Merrill, accompanied by his brother John, comic songs by Mr. C. F. Cleaves, a piano duet by Mrs. Minnie Hinkley and Miss Lena Cleaves, another solo by Mr. Allsebrook, and a comic sketch entitled "Mrs. Bray Hiring Servants." Mrs. Smith took the part of Mrs. Bray in the sketch and Mr. Page was her husband. Miss Lillian Smith was the first to apply; she took the part of Bridget O'Tingley, an Irish maid; she wore a green shawl with green chiffon, a green hat and carried a traveling bag. The next was Miss Alice Dorety, who took the part of Katrina Vanscopenfungerminger, a Dutch maid; she was arrayed in a box coat and a mild hat and also had a traveling case. Miss Lena Cleaves came next, and took the part of Lily Snow Drop, a colored maid, who wore a black mask, red dress, white apron, blue shawl, yellow handkerchief, a gaudy hat, cow hide boots and carried a carpet bag and umbrella. The last but not least was Mrs. Frank Knowlton who took the part of widow Jones; she wore a dark dress, a paisley shawl, a black bonnet and carried a travelling case; with her was Master Norman Smith who took the part of her little son Freddy.

After the entertainment there was an opportunity for whist and dancing. Very much praise is due to the committee who worked so hard in preparing such an entertainment; also to Mrs. Knowlton who kindly offered to make the curtain. Every one enjoyed themselves and thought their money was well invested. There were about 125 present.

Lewis Bates, the richest negro in Chicago and reputed to be worth $300,000, laid the foundation of his fortune the night of the great fire, when he made $60 by carrying trunks in an express wagon. He was born in slavery and is 70 years old.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.



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THE QUINCY SYSTEM.

Anniversary of New Era to be Celebrated in April.

The Quincy Teacher's Association is at this early date preparing its programme for Friday, April 20, the date on which twenty-five years ago Colonel Francis W. Parker began his work in Quincy.

The Stone temple has been secured, as it is necessary to provide for a crowd. Many teachers and superintendents of Boston and neighboring cities have already anxiously inquired if there will be room for them. At the last dinner of the Massachusetts Schoolmasters' Club, Superintendent Lull moved the reference of Colonel Francis W. Parker's name to the executive committee of the club for honorary membership, and at the same time, gave the two hundred and fifty members notice of the celebration. The announcement was greeted with applause.

It is the intention of the special committee of the association having the anniversary in charge to hold a reception in the chapel of the Stone temple from six to seven-thirty and then to adjourn to the auditorium for the literary exercises. The list of speakers will include several of the most eminent educators of the country. From time to time their acceptances will be published so that the public may be kept alive to the importance of the anniversary and may give the committee its support. Today the acceptance from Dr. William T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education is printed. This official position is no political appointment. Dr. Harris has already held it during several administrations. He is an authority on educational matters on both sides of the ocean and commands the respect of the whole educational public.

Department of the Interior,
Bureau of Education,
Washington, D. C., December 9, 1899.

Mr. H. W. Lull, Superintendent of Schools, Quincy, Massachusetts.

My Dear Sir: I take pleasure in acknowledging the receipt of your esteemed invitation to be present on the occasion of the observation of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the beginning of Colonel Parker's work in Quincy, Massachusetts, Friday, April 20, 1900.

I shall be very glad to be present and promise to come, unless otherwise prevented by engagements that I cannot now control.

Very respectfully,
W. T. HARRIS, Commissioner.

Concert at Downs.

Prof. L. W. Titus of Wollaston gave a most pleasing concert at Park and Downs Congregational church, Monday evening, which a large number attended. The programme consisted of cornet solos by C. H. Prescott of South Boston and vocal numbers by Prof. Titus and Mrs. H. Y. Follett of Wollaston. Mr. Prescott's playing and Mr. Titus' singing were of very difficult selections and were enjoyed by every one. As they are both blind it was the more interesting. Mrs. Follet and Mr. Titus favored with a duet. The baritone soloist, Mr. H. Y. Follett was most heartily encored. By special request, the sweet strains of The Holy City" were rendered by Mr. Titus followed a duet by Mr. and Mrs. Follett. Last but not least came a trio by Mr. and Mrs. Follett and Mr. Titus. The concert was a success and showed the hard work of those taking part. It was enjoyed by everyone and all thought their twenty-five cent admission was well invested. Had it not been such a blustering cold night the church would have been filled.

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Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

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TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.
CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

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Dec. 28. tf

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A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
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BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—Loring's Pharmacy.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter 6 11:23 a. m. | Full Moon 14 8:56 a. m.
Third Quarter 22 11:46 a. m.

Latest English Invention.



Drop a penny in the slot and receive good news from the Transvaal.—Le Rire.

The duck, called in French "canard," is a symbol for a false report.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Joshua W. Davis, one of the veteran members of the New York stock exchange, and a former governor of that body, died from heart disease, aged 60 years.

W. F. Walker, nce one of the most prominent members of the Canadian bar, threw himself in front of a train at Hamilton, Ont., and was killed.

Cardinal Ledochowski, prefect of the congregation of the propaganda, who has been ill for several months, has suffered a serious relapse and a fatal issue of the malady is feared.

Colonel John E. Bryant, editor of The Chronicle Record, a Republican newspaper of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., died from the effects of an operation performed for the removal of a cancer on the leg. Colonel Bryant was a native of Maine, and served three years in the Union army as an officer of the Eighth Maine infantry.

Miss Nellie H. Horton, the inventor of Beman's pepsin chewing gum, was married at Elmira, N. Y., to George A. Manning of Boston. Miss Horton sold her formula for the gum to the Beman company for $50,000.

Thomas Toole, 54, committed suicide at Holyoke, Mass., by shooting. His wife had sued for divorce and despondency was the cause of the deed.

Samuel Dorous, aged 27, a half-breed Indian, committed suicide at North Adams, Mass., by cutting his throat. He had been working as a section hand on the Fitchburg railroad.

The 50th anniversary of the dedication of the Congregational church at Rutland, Mass., was celebrated. Rev. G. E. Fisher of North Amherst, who was ordained pastor of the church 50 years ago, preached the principal sermon.

HOW'S THIS?

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Sailors Must Have Safe, Warm Room.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 28.—In the United States court, Judge Hanford has rendered an important decision in admiralty in the libel suit of three sailors against the schooner Ida McKay, holding that masters of vessels must provide a safe and warm room for use of sailors in cold weather.

Homeward Bound.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Lieutenant J. C. Gilmore, the leader of the Yorktown's little band who were held captive by the Filipinos for so many months, has started on his way home from Manila. He is in company with 14 other naval officers.

SAME AS FREE TRADE.

Puerto Rican Revenues to Be Expended For the Benefit of Its People.

Open Door Policy a Factor In the Measure.

Features of Compromise Bill Which the President Took Into Consideration.

Washington, Feb. 28.—It is stated by a member of the cabinet that the provision in the Puerto Rican compromise tariff bill which stipulates that all the revenues collected on Puerto Rican goods, and goods imported from the United States and elsewhere, shall be expended in the island for the benefit of its people is the prominent feature which reconciles the president to its passage. With this provision in the bill, he said, the net result would be in a measure the same as free trade, which the president recommended to congress in his last message. It was said that in making that recommendation the president had taken into account all of the factors that entered into it, its great need of schools, the provisions which must be made for the suppression of epidemic diseases, the necessity for the construction of roads and bridges and the other necessary public improvements which the situation in the island imperatively demands. He also took into account, it is said, the fact that business on the island is in a deplorable situation, and that the people are well nigh helpless to meet the ordinary demands of government.

In this situation it was the president's view that the United States, from its abundance, should extend a helping hand, and he had in preparation at one time a message to congress asking for an appropriation of $3,000,000 to be expended for the public schools of the island.

Another phase of the subject which has occupied the attention of the administration is that involving the open door policy. This government, having secured from the European powers a pledge that the United States shall have equal trade rights with them in the east, could not, it was said, with any degree of consistency, shut the doors to their trade with the Philippines. Although it is admitted that a declaration in favor of free trade with Puerto Rico might establish a precedent which would be difficult to overcome in dealing with the Philippines, yet it was stated that a declaration in the bill itself of the right of congress to deal in these two questions separately and, as in its judgment, it might deem best, would simplify the problem and leave this government free to treat the Philippines as an entirely independent proposition. The one point in the determination of the Puerto Rican problem which the president, it is believed, will steadfastly insist upon, is that the nominal duties collected by the Puerto Ricans and those collected in the ports of the United States on Puerto Rican goods shall be expended for the sole benefit of the islanders themselves.

The general debate on the Puerto Rico tariff bill closed in a blaze of glory. The galleries were banked to the doors and every seat on the floor was occupied when the rival champions of the respective sides, Mr. Dolliver of Iowa and Mr. Bailey of Texas, made the closing arguments. Each spoke for an hour and a half. The speech of Mr. Bailey, devoted as it was almost exclusively to the legal phases of the controversy, while it was profound and impressive, did not arouse the enthusiasm which swept galleries and floor while Mr. Dolliver was speaking. The Iowan was at his best. Before the closing speeches were made Mr. Cannon, chairman of the appropriations committee and one of the veterans on the Republican side, made an effective speech in support of the bill.

Messrs. Carmack (Dem., Tenn.), Clayton (Dem., Ala.), Kleberg (Dem., Tex.), Pearce and Dearmond (Dem., Mo.) made speeches in opposition to the bill. The Republican managers are now confident that with the modifications agreed upon at the conference the bill will command a narrow majority in the final vote today.

Mr. Depew addressed the senate on the Philippine question. He strongly upheld the policy of the administration, and in conclusion, pictured commerce and civilization moving hand in hand for the Philippines, and an uplifting of the people of the Philippines as well as those of this country.

After Mr. Turley had concluded his speech on the Quay case, the Hawaiian government bill was again taken up, but little progress was made. An agreement was reached that a final vote should be taken on the measure today.

Confessed to Forgery.

Boston, Feb. 28.—Charles A. Love pleaded guilty yesterday to forgery of a real estate deed, and was sentenced to state prison for a term of not more than seven years and not less than six. The fraud was discovered by the owner reading of a transfer in the real estate department of a Boston newspaper. Henry A. Chase, an accomplice, was sentenced to the house of correction for 18 months.

McGraw Signs Baltimore Contract.

Baltimore, Feb. 28.—John J. McGraw and Wilbert Robinson affixed their names to Baltimore contracts last night, respectively as manager and captain. McGraw's salary is to be $5000, but President Hanlon only smiled when asked what Robinson's salary was to be. "Robby" said there was a substantial increase over last year's remuneration.

Financial Institution For Yale.

New Haven, Feb. 28.—The matter of establishing a banking institution for Yale university is being agitated. The principal argument advanced in favor of such a movement is that many of the banks in the city do not care to accept small deposits, such as many students wish to make, subject to check.

AMERICA'S FINANCIAL POWER

Disclosed by a Loan to Russian Government by New York Financial Institutions.

New York, Feb. 28.—The Herald says: Ignoring the Berlin, London, Paris and the other European banking centers, the Russian imperial government has come to New York for a loan. A syndicate of banks, trust companies and insurance companies of this city have just arranged the purchase of an issue of $25,000,000 of 4 percent bonds, representing a first mortgage on the Wladikawkas railway system. The principal and interest of these bonds are guaranteed by the Russian government and are payable in American gold dollars at the New York Security and Trust company.

The nature and size of this loan and the disclosure which it makes of this country's present position as a financial power of the world is its most interesting feature. Another is its surprising showing as to Russia's purchases in the American market of iron, steel, coal and finished machinery. Besides, there is the fact of a gold loan guaranteed by one of the great European powers selling in the American market at a price which nets the syndicate slightly more than 4 percent.

The first $10,000,000 of the bonds has just been delivered in New York, and a payment of $5,000,000 has been made on account. This money is now deposited to the credit of the Russian government at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. the National City bank and the New York Security and Trust company.

Politics Humming In Cuba.

Washington, Feb. 28.—General Ludlow, military governor of Havana, called at the White House yesterday. He will leave for Havana on Saturday. "The affairs of the island are in a waiting condition just now," he said. "The first general municipal election will take place in May. All the cities are to elect mayors and councils at that time. There are 1200 candidates for mayor of Havana. All the city officers appointed by me will be succeeded by officers elected by the people. What the general politics of the island will be is still a problem."

Two Killed a d Many Injured.

Kansas City, Feb. 28.—The blizzard prevailing throughout western Missouri caused a train wreck last night on the main line of the Missouri Pacific road. A St. Louis express was delayed by a freight train stuck in a snowdrift. A St. Louis local passenger train came on through the blinding snowstorm and crashed into the express train ahead, the engineer having failed to see a danger signal. The parlor car in the rear of the first train was cut in two. Two or more persons, it is believed, were burned to death, and several were injured.

A Suffrage Endorsement Fund.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Miss Susan B. Anthony has undertaken to raise an endowment fund for the National Suffrage association, her aim being to secure not less than $500,000, to be placed in the hands of 21 trustees, who shall use it as they see fit in behalf of the propaganda for equal political rights for women. Incorporation has been effected to carry out the plan. Miss Anthony is to be the president of the trust fund company as long as she lives, and the fund is to be named in her honor.

Want Five Cents an Hour.

San Juan, Feb. 28.—The first important strike among Puerto Rican laborers began when 500 men, who had been constructing the military road from Ponce to Adjuntas, marched into the latter town and appointed a committee to consult with the contractors. The present rate of pay is 3 cents an hour. The men complain that they are compelled to work from sunrise to sunset for 30 cents, and demand 5 cents an hour. No definite understanding was reached.

To Command the Vermont.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Captain H. C. Taylor, who commanded the battleship Indiana during the war with Spain, and who has been stationed at Newport as president of the naval war college, has been detached from that duty and ordered to the command of the receiving ship Vermont, stationed at New York city. Captain M. Miller, who now holds command, is placed on waiting orders.

Morrison's Story Disbelieved.

New York, Feb. 28.—The West Chester county grand jury has handed down an indictment for murder in the first degree against Alfred Morrison of Mount Vernon, who shot and killed the woman generally known as his wife. Morrison had claimed he shot the woman on waking from a dream that burglars were in the house.

A Satisfactory Test.

Washington, Feb. 28. — A six-inch armor plate intended for the Russian government was tested at the Indian Head proving grounds yesterday. A six-inch gun was fired at the plate, the projectile having a velocity of over 900 feet per second. The plate was unharmed, the penetration being less than an inch.

Advance In Pipe and Tubing.

Pittsburg, Feb. 28.—Prices of all classes of pipe and tubing have been advanced, to take effect March 1. The general percentage of the advance ranges from 4 to 8 percent, and covers the entire line, with the exception of galvanized pipe, which is slightly lowered. The rise in price is stimulating buying.

"Let Down" by Supreme Court.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 28.—The supreme court yesterday handed down a decision quashing the contempt proceedings against the mayor, city clerk and 25 aldermen of the city of Milwaukee for passing and approving the street railway ordinance after they had been enjoined from doing so by the superior court.

New Batch of Doctors.

Hanover, N. H., Feb. 28.—Once again old Dartmouth has sent out a class of medics to face the world, each graduate armed with his sheepskin as a remembrance from the alma mater. The class graduated last night was one of the largest from the medical department for years.

MORE TROUBLE FOR SPENCER.

Connecticut Banker Has Forgery Charge Added to That of Embezzlement.

Thompsonville, Conn., Feb. 28.—Robert E. Spencer, cashier of the bankrupt firm of R. D. & Robert E. Spencer & Co., bankers, is under arrest, on a charge of alleged forgery. Judge Davis held him in $5000 bonds for appearance before the superior court. Spencer, after several futile attempts to secure bail, was taken to the Hartford jail.

The complaint alleges that on May 13, 1899, Spencer forged Anastana Lawton's name to an order on the Springfield Institute for Savings, Springfield, Mass., in the sum of $1500. Spencer pleaded not guilty, and his counsel waived examination.

Mrs. Lawton is a widow residing at Hazardville, and had some business transactions with the Hazardville bank, which was conducted solely by Robert E. Spencer. She had a small balance in the bank, and Spencer had the care of the bank book of the Springfield institution. Mrs. Lawton alleges that her first knowledge of the funds being withdrawn from the Massachusetts bank was when informed that her name appeared in the schedules of the Hazardville bank as an unsecured creditor to the amount of $1500. The alleged forged order was drawn in favor of the Hazardville bank.

Spencer is already under bonds on a charge alleging embezzlement in connection with the affairs of the Spencer Banking company.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, Feb. 28.—The feature in the legislature yesterday was the victory of the Democrats in one of their preliminary battles against the Boston and Albany lease. The committee on railroads had set down a hearing on the bill for state ownership, but the Democratic members, who opposed the lease, asked for a postponement until the attorney general and the railroad commissioner return answer on various questions on the lease and the proposition for a purchase of the road by the state. A postponement was strongly opposed by Attorney Hoar, for the road, but late last evening the committee decided to put the matter over until March 20.

The house had a long debate over the bill permitting the Boston, Cape Cod and New York Canal company to issue $12,000,000 of stock and bonds after the canal is completed, no matter what the cost of the undertaking, but no vote was taken.

An investigation of the metropolitan water board, under whose direction the state is spending $20,000,000 for a new water system for Greater Boston, was begun. The commission is charged with allowing its contractors to transgress the law in liquor selling and encouraging the padrone system.

These committee reports were received in the house: Leave to withdraw, on petition to establish the salary of the West Norfolk district court justice of probate and insolvency; ought to pass, on the bill for the preparation and sale of probate indexes.

In the senate the house bill for the abolition of the Fall River board of police was referred to the next general court.

The petition for legislation relative to beneficiaries of fraternal benefit organizations was refused admission. The same action was taken on house petitions to provide for free water in Boston, and to regulate the use of horses and carriages by constables.

Coldly Received by Cubans.

Havana, Feb. 28.—The Patria says: "The fact that the Cubans have not made a hostile demonstration against Mgr. Sbarretti, the newly appointed Catholic bishop, should not be construed to mean approval of his appointment. The reception which was accorded him, which was cold and formal, is indicative of the attitude of the Cuban population."

Choate's Brief Report.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Beyond making the statement that the steamship Sabine had been released by the British authorities at Port Elizabeth and had gone on her way, Ambassador Choate has made no report to the state department as to the outcome of his representations to the foreign office on this subject.

Murder at a Funeral.

Pleasant Hill, Ga., Feb. 28.—George Williams, a young negro, killed his mother while they were following the corpse of the husband and father to the grave, near here, yesterday. The boy ordered his mother to stop her manifestations of grief. She paid no heed to him, and then he shot and killed her.

Won't Make Peruvian Trip.

Kansas City, Feb. 28.—Charles Ingersoll, ex-treasurer of Tompkins county, N. Y., charged with embezzling county funds, has been arrested at Iola, Kan., Ingersoll is said to have arranged to meet his son here, and to have planned to go to Peru. A reward of $2000 had been offered for Ingersoll's capture.

Coke Workers' Wages Raised.

Pittsburg, Feb. 28.—The coke workers in the Connellsville region today received notice of an advance in their wages of about 12 percent. Altogether, directly and indirectly, between 25,000 and 50,000 workers will be affected by the increase.

Wrecking Fleet Arrives.

Portland, Me., Feb. 28.—The wrecking fleet from Boston arrived here last night and work on the stranded Allan liner Californian will soon be in progress. The plan is to take off as much of the cargo as may seem desirable and convey it to this city.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The temperature has risen decidedly in the lake regions and continues 15 to 20 degrees below the seasonal average along the Atlantic coast north of Florida and in the upper Ohio valley. During today the southwest storm will move north of east, causing snow by tonight in the New England states. Over the eastern part of the country the temperature will moderate. On the New England coast variable winds will shift to easterly and increase in force.

CONCERNING TOAST.

As It Should Be and as It Is Too Frequently Served.

There is hardly a well regulated table today on which toast is not often served. It is a dainty fashion to place a tiny toast rack before each person, and it is to be commended. The little silver racks are pretty and add much to the appearance of a table. But what of the toast which they hold?

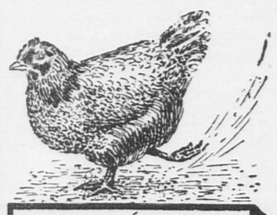
"Any one can make toast." Have you not often heard that statement, gentle reader? I have, and I consider it a most erroneous one, and from long observation I venture to question its veracity. Toast wants as much care in its preparation as any other article of the menu, and much that passes for toast is unworthy of the name.

It is not sufficient to cut a slice of bread more or less thin—generally less than more—and hold it to the fire, so that part is scorched while the rest is not baked, then to put three of four of these pieces in a rack, where by close contact they quickly become sodden and unwholesome.

Good toast is a dainty which is worthy the cook's best attention. For its achievement take a loaf and cut from it a thin slice. Place this for a few minutes on the rack over the range or in the mouth of the oven to dry, then toast it lightly and evenly on both sides before a clear fire; put it on the rack again to keep hot and be quite crisp before serving.

Trim it neatly, cut into three cornered pieces and serve. The result will be excellent, and the difference between it and the thick, sodden stuff generally served as toast will be wide as the poles asunder. The one is wholesome and delicious; the other, alas, is too often met with to need description.

So far I have spoken only of dry toast. But there is buttered toast to be served with tea or as foundation for various dishes. Much that has been said before applies to this toast also, but now the bread must be cut thicker, and it should not be dried or made crisp. Let it be baked evenly a delicate golden color and buttered liberally at once. Then, with the crusts removed, it will be delicious by itself or with the addition of deviled sardines, herring roes, scrambled eggs and the hundred and one dainties served by a clever cook in this form. Though both kinds of toast are excellent in their own way, the cook should remember the individual qualifications of each when serving it.



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A READER

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

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Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

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Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

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Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

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The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

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r 7 42 abc		8 02	r 9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	r 10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	r 11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	r 12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	r 1 28 cba		1 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	r 2 28 cba		2 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 32	r 3 28 cba		3 49 r
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r 12 12 abc		12 32	r 4 58 cba		5 19 r
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r 2 12 abc		2 32	r 5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 3 12 abc		3 32	r 5 45 da		6 06 r
r 4 12 abc		4 32	r 5 58 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 32	r 6 15 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 32	r 6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abcd		7 32	r 6 58 cba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 07	r 7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 32	r 8 28 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	r 9 28 cba		9 49 r
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r 1 27 abc		1 47	r 5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 5 12 abc		5 32	r 6 58 cba		7 19 r
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

THE LADYSMITH SIEGE

Relieved by the Arrival of Dundonald's Cavalry.

Garrison Had Been Beleaguered For Four Months.

Success of Movement Attributed to the Great Strategy of Roberts.

Great Britain Is Swept by a Perfect Tornado of Patriotic Excitement.

London, March 2.—All England is wild with joy over the relief of Ladysmith. The tide of war seems to have turned with a vengeance. The general belief is that the Boer offensive campaign has completely collapsed, and that henceforth they will fight only on the defense.

Lord Roberts is the idol of the hour. His praises are sung from one end of the land to the other. Buller, too, is receiving a large share of praise.

Britons feel that they are living in the presence of momentous events. Tornadoes of patriotic excitement are whirling through the country. Even the dullest soul must have been stirred by the emotions of yesterday, and London's 6,000,000 were raised to a high pitch of patriotic exaltation.



LORD DUNDONALD.

Lord Lansdowne chose the psychological moment to announce estimates exceeding £61,000,000, and rather startled the public by unfolding the program of the war office to send out, in addition to the 30,000 troops now afloat, 56,000 fresh soldiers. Lord Roberts will ultimately have a force of a quarter of a million. An order has reached Woolwich arsenal for the construction of 224 new guns, from three-pounders to 12-inch guns. Of these 140 are to be naval guns. Already 25,000 workmen are employed at the arsenal and 3000 more will be engaged. These decisions to send out more troops and to increase the home armament meet with universal approval.

The Boers seem to have gotten quite away from around Ladysmith without losing a gun or their baggage. Van Reenen's pass is only about 20 miles from Ladysmith.

The conditions at Ladysmith are now better understood, as the military authorities no longer retain their special information. It appears that, since the middle of January, the horses have been half starved and altogether too weak either to drag guns or to carry cavalrymen. Hence the impossibility of dashing out to help General Buller attack the Boers. These half-starved animals were carefully saved for food.

Lord Dundonald's cavalry entered Ladysmith Wednesday night. General Buller, whose main body is apparently at Nelthorpe, four miles south, visited General White Thursday. The country south of Ladysmith he reports cleared of the Boers. The siege of 119 days has been raised, and only the arrival of convoys with food and supplies for the long-suffering garrison is necessary to complete the relief of the town, a task which has cost Buller's army upwards of 5000 men.

To the strategy of Lord Roberts is due the relief of Ladysmith at this time. His invasion of the Free State and capture of Cronje's army has made the Boer positions in Natal and north Cape Colony untenable, and it was undoubtedly due to the fact that the main Boer army before Ladysmith was withdrawn to the second line of defense that Buller was able to fight his way to his present position, from which is was possible to dispatch a flying column into the beleaguered town.

Had the Boer army remained in force it is entirely probable that Buller would still be south of the Tugela. Weakened though the forces of the Boers were they have made a strong rear-guard fight, and have compelled Buller to pay dearly for every advantage gained. The enemy has been given time to withdraw the bulk of his heavy artillery, and undoubtedly will succeed in getting out of the fatal triangle without serious loss, as Buller cannot apparently move quickly enough to cut him off at any point.

Dundonald is the first British officer outside his immediate command who has grasped General White's hand in a period of 119 days of perilous siege. During that time, covering almost exactly four months, the British garrison has steadfastly held out in the face of more or less continuous bombardment, of steadily diminishing stores of food and ammunition, and of at least two determined attempts to carry the town by assault. The credit for this energetic and, with the exception of some early strategic errors, due some of them to political considerations, effective defense will be very generally awarded General White, who, up to this time at least, has won the chief laurels of the campaign in Natal.

LIVES OF JUDGES THREATENED.

Alleged Reason For Postponement of Court of Appeals Argument In Kentucky.

Frankfort, Ky., March 2.—The court of appeals yesterday entered an order postponing the argument docket till the spring term, which begins in April. The order of the chief justice does not give the reason for this action, but merely states that the judges will hold their consultations at which cases will be decided as usual, and that the court will convene on the bench whenever the occasion demands it. In Democratic circles it is said this action was taken on account of stories that the lives of two of the judges had been threatened.

The two factions of the state government are proceeding each in full operation, but with nothing approaching a clash pending the litigation over the offices.

Alleged Murderers Arraigned.

New York, March 2.—Three persons charged with murder in the first degree were arraigned and pleaded not guilty before Judge Newburg yesterday. They were Frank Marino, an Italian, charged with having killed Eugino Luciana; Alvin O. Collins, accused of killing Elmer E. Kipp and Joseph Victor; and Emil Johnson, charged with havnig killed Emil A. Diekert. After arraignment all were sent back to the tombs.

A War Tax Question.

Boston, March 2.—An attachment in the sum of $10,000 has been placed in the hands of a United States marshal to serve on Collector of Internal Revenue Gill for Herbert L. Hildreth, manufacturer of candy, advertised to cure coughs, colds, etc. Mr. Gill had decided that this brand of candy was subject to the war tax, holding that it advertised as a patent medicine. The tax was paid under protest.

Headed Off by Devery.

New York, March 2.—Chief of Police Devery has instructed all officers to prefer charges, should it be found that patrolmen were raising a corruption fund to influence legislation giving them eight-hours' duty. It is said that the Patrolmen's Benevolent association had decided to collect from each member $10 for this purpose. Should each member contribute $10, the fund would reach $60,000.

Charged With Manslaughter.

Boston, March 2.—Joseph H. Sheehan of Cambridge is charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Carl L. Thorpe of Cambridge in a barroom on Tuesday evening. Thorpe died from choking, due to a hemorrhage caused by an injury to the throat. Sheehan appeared in court Thursday, and the case was continued until March 9, $3000 bail being furnished.

Had Lost His Courage.

Boston, March 2.—Discouraged over the loss of considerable money in unsuccessful business ventures, and by the further fact that he was gradually losing his hearing, Arthur Atkinson of the brokerage firm of Arthur Atkinson & Co. attempted suicide yesterday by shooting. Physicians say he cannot recover. Mr. Atkinson is unmarried and 39 years old.

Colonel Porter and Wife Injured.

New York, March 2.—Colonel Henry W. Porter and his wife were seriously injured last night. Their coach was struck by a trolley car, and they were buried in the wreck. Colonel Porter was very severely hurt about the head, and his wife was injured about the body. Colonel Porter commanded the Seventh Vermont volunteers during the Civil war.

Sentiment In Favor of Battleships.

Washington, March 2.—Members of the house naval committee, in an informal discussion yesterday of the policy to be pursued regarding new ships for the navy, developed the fact that a considerable number of them favor two battleships in place of 10 small gunboats, three armored cruisers, three protected cruisers and four gunboats.

Attended to Miller's Advertising.

Cleveland, March 2.—Cecil Leslie, who was private secretary and press agent to W. F. Miller of the Franklin syndicate, Brooklyn, was arrested here last night by a New York detective. Leslie has been indicted with Miller. He denied complicity in the swindling operations, claiming that he only acted as advertising manager for Miller.

Bank President Sent to Prison.

Chicago, March 2.—Edward S. Dreyer, former president of the bank of E. S. Dreyer & Co. and treasurer of the West Park board, has been found guilty of withholding from his successor as treasurer $316,000 of the West Park funds. The jury fixed the punishment at an indeterminate term in the penitentiary.

Mill Stocks Soar Upward.

Fall River, Mass., March 2.—The renewal of offers by the Wade, Guthrie & Barrow syndicate of New York for the purchase of local mill properties has had the effect of booming the mill stock market to such an extent as to send many shares up to a point $5 higher than the last weekly quotation.

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LIKELY TO BE SHORT.

Signs of a Speedy Settlement of Strike In Granite Quarries.

Edge Taken Off by the Agreement at Barre, Vt.

Cutters In Several Places Will Adhere to Agreements Running to May 1.

Boston, March 2.—From information received in Boston, which has the headquarters for the Granite Manufacturers' association of New England and the Granite Cutters' National union, it appears that nearly all the manufacturers seem willing to adopt the proposed eight-hour workday, and a number of them granted the increase in wages also; but some of them have refused to comply with the request of the union and their journeymen struck.

The Barre, Vt., cutters have accepted the manufacturers' offer of an eight hour day, with an average of 35 cents an hour, in place of a minimum of $3 a day, as the union demands. The actual terms of this agreement have been questioned, however, and until the other manufacturers ascertain definitely whether the 35 cents at Barre is "minimum" or "average" hourly wage, the strike will remain in force.

The strike has developed some interesting features. The union officials early predicted that every quarry would be tied up, but in doing so they forgot that in several places, especially in Boston, the local cutters had agreements with their employers to adjust the wage schedule on May 1. At such points, accordingly, the union men made their word good, and probably before their time comes to readjust conditions a precedent will obviate a contest. Again, although the union's demand, written in definite terms, was made on the manufacturers months ago, it did not hesitate to sanction compromise offers, and this willingness to reach a settlement points unmistakeably to an early resumption of work in quarries all over New England.

The Barre agreement having taken the edge off the strike, as it were, interest centered in Quincy, with its 2500 cutters. It developed that no opposition is made to the eight-hour day in any quarry in New England. The Quincy manufacturers offered a minimum of 33 cents per hour, which the union's committee refused to entertain, insisting instead on the Barre agreement, as they understood it, of a 35-cent minimum. Then the manufacturers raised the point that Barre manufacturers only guaranteed an average of that figure, and with little debate the Quincy employers decided to carry the matter to the New England Granite Manufacturers' association for a decision. This association represents a majority of the big quarries, and has already told the union that it did not see the way clear to grant the demand. The margin in contention at the end of the first day of the strike is so small that a resumption of work does not seem far distant. It is likely that the settlement in Quincy will end all trouble throughout New England, but if Quincy granite yards remain still from 6000 to 7000 journeymen cutters will remain idle.

Newfoundland Loses a Statesman.

St. John's, March 2.—Sir Frederick Carter, former chief justice of Newfoundland, is dead. He was in his 82nd year. Judge Carter was speaker of the Newfoundland house of assembly from 1861 to 1865; was premier and attorney general from 1865 to 1870, and again from 1874 to 1878. He was the first colonial statesman upon whom Queen Victoria conferred knighthood.

At Least Two Lives Lost.

Philadelphia, March 2.—The unusually heavy rain for the past two days, coupled with the melting ice and snow, has caused severe floods in the central part of Pennsylvania in the anthracite coal regions. Two lives have been lost and many industries have been forced to suspend work, including a large number of coal mines.

Lee Brooks' Awful Death.

Victoria, B. C., March 2.—China advices say that Lee Brooks, whose murder has been reported, was stripped and dragged about the streets for a day and was finally hacked to pieces with swords and knives, and then beheaded, his dismembered remains being thrown into a ditch.

A Substantial Surplus.

Washington, March 2.—The total government receipts for February were $45,631,265, and the expenditures $37,738,472, leaving a surplus for the month of $7,892,793. During the last eight months the total receipts have exceeded the expenditures by $37,763,000.

Illicit Still In Gotham.

New York, March 2.—A complete still, with $5000 worth of appurtenances, many barrels of whisky and sour mash, etc., was discovered yesterday by the police at 61 Jefferson street. They arrested Philip Alpes, and the federal authorities were notified.

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